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MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SESSION 1964-65

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 14TH JULY, 1964.

1. The Council met pursuant to the Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor, bearing date the thirtieth day of June, 1964, which Proclamation was read by the Clerk and is as follows:—

FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTY-THIRD PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation, fix Tuesday, the fourteenth day of July, 1964, as the time for the commencement and holding of the First Session of the Forty-third Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne: And the Honorable the Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this thirtieth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, and in the thirteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command, HENRY E. BOLTE,

Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

The Honorable Mr. Justice Dean, the Commissioner from His Excellency the Governor appointed to open the Parliament, having been introduced to the Council Chamber by the Usher of the Black Rod, His Honour desired the Usher of the Black Rod to request the presence of the Members of the Legislative Assembly to hear the Commission read for the commencement and holding of this present Session of the Parliament.

The Members of the Legislative Assembly having presented themselves, the Honorable Mr. Justice Dean said—

Mr. President and Honorable Members of the Legislative Council:

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

His Excellency the Governor, not thinking fit to be present in person, has been pleased to cause Letters Patent to issue under the Seal of the State constituting me his Commissioner to do in his name all that is necessary to be performed in this Parliament. This will more fully appear from the Letters Patent which will now be read by the Clerk.

Then the said Letters Patent were read by the Clerk, as follows, viz:

ELIZABETH THE SECOND by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Australia and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith:

Whereas by Proclamation issued the thirtieth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, by His Excellency Major-General Sir Rohan Delacombe, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Governor of Our State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c., Tuesday, the fourteenth day of July, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, was fixed as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of Our Parliament of Victoria, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, in the Parliament Houses, in the City of Melbourne: And forasmuch as for certain causes the said Sir Rohan Delacombe cannot conveniently be present in person in Our said Parliament at that time: Now know ye that We, trusting in the discretion, fidelity, and care of Our trusty and well-beloved the Honorable Sir Arthur Dean, Judge of Our Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, do give and grant by the tenor of these presents unto you the said Arthur Dean, full power in Our name to begin and hold the said Session of Our said Parliament, and to do everything which for and by Us, or the said Sir Rohan Delacombe shall be there to be done; commanding also by the tenor of these presents all whom it may concern to meet Our said Parliament, and the said Arthur Dean, that he diligently attends in the premises and form aforesaid. In testimony whereof We have caused the seal of Our said State to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS Our trusty and well-beloved Major-General SIR ROHAN DELACOMBE, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Governor of Our State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c., at Melbourne in Our said State this tenth day of July, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, and in the thirteenth year of Our reign.

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY E. BOLTE,

Premier.

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book No. 34, page 35, this tenth day of July, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four.

J. V. DILLON, Under-Secretary.

Then the Honorable Mr. Justice Dean said-

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

I have it in command from His Excellency to let you know that, later this day, His Excellency will declare to you in person, in this place, the causes of his calling this Parliament together; and, Members of the Legislative Assembly, as it is necessary before you proceed to the despatch of business that a Speaker of the Legislative Assembly be chosen, His Excellency requests that you, in your Chamber, will proceed to the choice of a proper person to be Speaker.

The Members of the Legislative Assembly then withdrew.

The Honorable Mr. Justice Dean withdrew.

- 2. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 3. Returns to Writs—Periodical Election.—The President announced that he had received from the Official Secretary to His Excellency the Governor seventeen Writs issued under the hand of His Excellency on the 14th May last for the election of Members to serve for the undermentioned Provinces in the places of Members whose seats became vacant by effluxion of time, and that by the indorsements on such Writs it appeared that the following Members had been elected in pursuance thereof:—

The Honorable Murray Byrne for the Ballaarat Province.

The Honorable Frederick James Granter for the Bendigo Province.

The Honorable Samuel Merrifield for the Doutta Galla Province.

The Honorable Rupert James Hamer for the East Yarra Province.

The Honorable Henry Arthur Hewson for the Gippsland Province.

The Honorable Baron David Snider for the Higinbotham Province.

The Honorable Geoffrey John O'Connell for the Melbourne Province.

The Honorable John Malcolm Walton for the Melbourne North Province.

The Honorable Archibald Todd for the Melbourne West Province.

The Honorable Graham John Nicol for the Monash Province.

The Honorable Michael Alastair Clarke for the Northern Province.

The Honorable Ivan Archie Swinburne for the North-Eastern Province.

The Honorable Sir Percy Thomas Byrnes for the North-Western Province.

The Honorable William Raymond Garrett for the Southern Province.

The Honorable William Phillip Mair for the South-Eastern Province.

The Honorable Geoffrey Walter Thom for the South-Western Province.

The Honorable Kenneth Samuel Gross for the Western Province.

- 4. Swearing-in of New Members.—The Honorables Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, M. A. Clarke, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, H. A. Hewson, W. P. Mair, S. Merrifield, G. J. Nicol, G. J. O'Connell, B. D. Snider, I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom, A. Todd, and J. M. Walton, having severally approached the Table, took and subscribed the Oath required by law.
- 5. Approach of His Excellency the Governor.—The approach of His Excellency the Governor was announced by the Usher of the Black Rod.

His Excellency came into the Council Chamber, and commanded the Usher of the Black Rod to desire the immediate attendance of the Legislative Assembly, who being come with their Speaker, His Excellency was pleased to speak as follows:—

Mr. President and Honorable Members of the Legislative Council:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

I have taken the earliest opportunity after the recent Conjoint Election of calling you together for the First Session of the Forty-third Parliament of Victoria.

During the Session you will be asked to give consideration to many important matters, including some upon which action was foreshadowed during the recent election campaign.

Since I last addressed you the State has suffered the loss of the Honorable Wilfred John Mibus, who at the time of his death was Minister of Water Supply and Minister of Mines. Mr. Mibus served the State with distinction both as a Minister of the Crown and a member of the Legislative Assembly.

We also mourn the deaths of the Honorable Ian Macfarlan, a former Premier of this State, the Honorable Sir Albert Lind, a former Deputy Premier, and the Honorable Sir Ewen Cameron. Each, as you know, gave long and honorable service as a Minister of the Crown.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

A Supply Bill to make further provision for the services of the financial year 1964-65 will be presented to you immediately.

In due course detailed estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the new financial year will be submitted to you, as well as Supplementary Estimates for the financial year 1963–64 which has just recently concluded. Taking into account the expenditure to be covered by this supplementary appropriation, the Consolidated Revenue Account for 1963–64 will show expenditure as having exceeded current revenues for that year by a modest amount.

It is proposed that when Supply has been granted the Parliament should adjourn for a short period to enable Ministers to prepare their legislative programme.

Mr. President and Honorable Members of the Legislative Council:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

The comprehensive programme of legislation to be placed before you will include two Bills to amend The Constitution Act Amendment Act. One which will be introduced immediately will provide for the appointment of a fifteenth Minister of the Crown, who may be either a member of the Legislative Council or of the Legislative Assembly.

The other will provide for a re-arrangement of the boundaries of Legislative Assembly Districts and Legislative Council Provinces.

Legislation dealing with road traffic infringements will again be placed before Parliament, as will a Bill to amend the Workers Compensation Act.

A Bill to amend and consolidate the Maintenance Act will be submitted to bring about a greater measure of co-operation with other States, particularly in the field of interstate enforcement.

Other measures will relate to-

the provision of loans for the establishment of pine plantations on farm properties; the purchase of houses from the Housing Commission on a purchase-lease basis; the long service leave provisions of the Labour and Industry Act and the Railways Act;

the constitution of a Consumer Council, consisting of persons experienced in manufacturing and retailing, as well as representatives of housewives and consumers generally, to safeguard the interests of consumers;

service by women on juries under a scheme which will recognize the duty of both men and women alike;

the re-organization of the activities of the Aborigines Welfare Board and the transfer of certain of its functions to the Social Welfare Branch of the Chief Secretary's Department;

the establishment of minimum standards for car safety belts sold in Victoria;

Portland Harbor Trust Railway land;

the extension of State Land Tax concessions; and

a Statutory Committee to advise on country town development.

My advisers are very conscious of the greater responsibility which devolves upon them as Ministers of the Crown arising from the circumstances in which this newly-elected Parliament is meeting.

They are conscious too of the high level of prosperity and development prevailing in Victoria; but are, nevertheless, mindful that this is no time for complacency.

Our immediate future offers an exciting challenge; a challenge to maintain our expansion, to diversify our production and to promote the export of the products of our labours.

In the ultimate this challenge must be met by the people but it is for the Government and this Parliament to provide the incentive.

With this thought in mind I formally open this First Session of the new Parliament, and in leaving you to the discharge of your important duties, I pray that the blessing of Almighty God will rest upon your deliberations.

Thereupon a copy of His Excellency the Governor's Speech was delivered to the President, and a copy to Mr. Speaker, and His Excellency withdrew from the Council Chamber.

The Legislative Assembly then withdrew.

- 6. PRIVILEGE BILL—Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill.—On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Division Six of Part I. of the Social Welfare Act 1960, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 7. House Committee.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorables D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May and A. Todd be members of the House Committee.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

8. LIBRARY COMMITTEE.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton be members of the Joint Committee to manage the Library.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 9. Printing Committee.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, that the Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Gregg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd be members of the Printing Committee; three to be the quorum.

 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 10. Standing Orders Committee.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne be members of the Select Committee on the Standing Orders of the House; three to be the quorum.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

11. Statute Law Revision Committee.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton be members of the Statute Law Revision Committee, and that the said Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

12. Subordinate Legislation Committee.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider be members of the Subordinate Legislation Committee, and that the said Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 13. Public Works Committee.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorables A. K. Bradbury and W. P. Mair be appointed members of the Public Works Committee. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 14. State Development Committee.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorables A. W. Knight and A. R. Mansell be appointed members of the State Development Committee. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 15. CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorable William Raymond Garrett be Chairman of Committees of the Council.

 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 16. Leave of Absence to Member.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That leave of absence be granted to the Honorable Gilbert Lawrence Chandler for one month on account of ill-health. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 17. Days of Business.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in each week be the days on which the Council shall meet for the despatch of business during the present Session, and that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays be half-past Four o'clock, on Wednesdays Four o'clock, and on Thursdays Eleven o'clock; that on Tuesday and Thursday in each week the transaction of Government business shall take precedence of all other business; that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business; and that no new business be taken after half-past Ten o'clock.

 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 18. Temporary Chairmen of Committees.—The President laid upon the Table the following Warrant nominating the Temporary Chairmen of Committees:—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL-VICTORIA.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Standing Order of the Legislative Council numbered 160, I do hereby nominate—

The Honorable Percy Victor Feltham,

The Honorable Thomas Henry Grigg, and

The Honorable Archibald Todd-

to act as Temporary Chairmen of Committees whenever requested to do so by the Chairman of Committees or whenever the Chairman of Committees is absent.

Given under my hand this fourteenth day of July, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four.

G. S. McARTHUR,

President of the Legislative Council.

19. Papers.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—Supreme Court—Annual Report for 1963 of the Judges of the Supreme Court.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—Agricultural Colleges Advisory Committee (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 74/1964).

Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Footwear Manufacturing Industry Trades) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 39/1964).

Co-operation Act 1958—Co-operative Societies (General) Regulations No. 3 (S.R. No. 41/1964). Country Fire Authority Act 1958—

Country Fire Authority (Groups of Brigades Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 64/1964).

Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 44) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 54/1964).

Dried Fruits Act 1958—Victorian Dried Fruits Board (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 77/1964).

Education Act 1958—Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 67/1964).

Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Interstate Transactions) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 69/1964).

Forests Act 1958—Forests (General Fire Lighting) Amendment Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 48/1964).

Friendly Societies Act 1958 and Benefit Associations Act 1958—Report of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies and Benefit Associations for the year 1961-62.

Gas Regulation Act 1958—Gas Regulation (Emergency Powers) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 55/1964).

Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958—Accounts and Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Geelong Harbor Trust for the year 1963.

Hairdressers Registration Act 1958—Hairdressers Registration Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 66/1964). Labour and Industry Act 1958—

Labour and Industry (Clothes Cleaners' Shops) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 40/1964). Labour and Industry (Rescission of Penalty) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 49/1964).

Land Act 1958-

Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Leopold.

Report of the Department of Crown Lands and Survey for the year 1962-63.

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Council of Legal Education relating to the qualification and admission of candidates.

Libraries Act 1958—Reports of the Free Library Service Board for the years 1959-60, 1960-61, and 1961-62 (three papers).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958-

Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendment No. 1, 1964 (S.R. No. 50/1964).

Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendment No. 2, 1964 (S.R. No. 72/1964).

Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—

Melbourne Harbor Trust (Amendment of Special Berth Charges) Regulations, No. 58 (S.R. No. 61/1964).

Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations (Amendment No. 2) (S.R. No. 47/1964).

Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Charges, Allowances and Additional Payments) Amendment Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 78/1964).

Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Dairy Produce Board (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 75/1964).

Milk Board Act 1958—Statements of Accounts of the Milk Board for the year 1962-63 (four papers). Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—

Milk Pasteurization Committee (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 73/1964). Regulations prescribing the Shire of Bellarine as a District (S.R. No. 63/1964).

Motor Car Act 1958-

Motor Car (General Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 56/1964).

Motor Car (Vintage Cars, Drivers' Licences and Speed Measuring Devices) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 52/1964).

Nurses Act 1958—Nursing Council (Training) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 57/1964).

Police Regulation Act 1958—

Determinations Nos. 109 and 110 of the Police Service Board (two papers).

Police (Entry Age) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 51/1964).

Police (General Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 42/1964).

Police (United Nations Peacekeeping Force) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 46/1964).

Public Service Act 1958—

Amendment of Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations-

Part I.—Preliminary, Part II.—Appointments to the Public Service, and Part V.—Allowances.

Part II.—Appointments to the Public Service.

Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (twenty papers).

Part VI.—Travelling and other Expenses.

Part IX.—Hours of Duty and Times of Attendance of Officers and Employees, and Part X.—Leave of Absence.

Part X.—Leave of Absence.

Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 58/1964).

Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 31st March, 1964.

Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Right of Way at Intersections) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 59/1964).

Sale of Land Act 1962—Sale of Land Regulations 1964 (No. 1), (Arbitrator's Salary and Travelling Expenses) (S.R. No. 79/1964).

Stamps Act 1958—Stamps (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 71/1964).

State Library, National Gallery, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—National Gallery (Students' Fees) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 53/1964).

Report of the Building Trustees with Statements of Receipts and Expenditure for the year 1962-63.

State Savings Bank Act 1958-

State Savings Bank (Interest Rates) General Orders 1964 (S.R. No. 45/1964).

State Savings Bank (Provident Fund) General Orders (S.R. No. 62/1964).

Subordinate Legislation Act 1962—Subordinate Legislation (Copies of Rules) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 70/1964).

Teaching Service Act 1958—

Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (two papers). Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulations (S.R. No. 60/1964).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

Planning Schemes-

City of Broadmeadows Planning Scheme, Amendment No. 11, 1963.

City of Brunswick Planning Scheme 1956, Amendment No. 9, 1963.

City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme-Section 1, Amendment No. 9, 1963.

City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme 1952, Amendment No. 14, 1963.

City of Nunawading Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 2, 1963.

Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—

Amendment No. 2, 1963 (City of Geelong West).

Amendment No. 5, 1963 (Shire of Corio).

Amendment No. 1, 1964 (City of Geelong).

Amendment No. 5, 1964 (City of Geelong West).

Portland Planning Scheme 1957, Amendment No. 2, 1964 (Shire of Portland).

Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 8, 1963.

Town and Country Planning Board (Staff) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 44/1964).

Town and Country Planning Board (Staff) Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 1 (S.R. No. 68/1964).

Trade Unions Act 1958—Report of the Government Statist on Trade Unions for the year 1963. University Act 1958—University of Melbourne—

Report for the year 1963.

Statutes and Regulations and Amendments allowed by the Governor during the year 1963 (nine papers).

Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1958—Vegetation and Vine Diseases (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 65/1964).

Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 76/1964).

Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Weighbridges) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 43/1964).

20. Speech of His Excellency the Governor.—The President reported the Speech of His Excellency the Governor.

The Honorable F. J. Granter moved, That the Council agree to the following Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech:—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY-

We, the Legislative Council of Victoria, in Parliament assembled, beg to express our loyalty to our Most Gracious Sovereign and to thank Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which you have been pleased to address to Parliament.

Debate ensued.

The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

21. The Constitution Act Amendment (Responsible Ministers) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to make provision for increasing the number of Responsible Ministers of the Crown" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave and after debate, was read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

- 22. Consolidated Revenue Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Forty million eight hundred and sixty thousand nine hundred and ten pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave and after debate, was read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 23. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

Order of the Day (to take precedence):—

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor-Motion for-Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day,

No. 2.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

Government Business.

Notices of Motion:-

- *1. The Hon. L. H. S. Thompson: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Justices Act* 1958 with respect to Informations and Complaints and the Service of certain Summonses by Post and for other purposes.
- *2. The Hon. R. J. Hamer: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958.

Order of the Day (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor—Motion for—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The Council met in accordance with adjournment, the President, pursuant to resolution, having fixed this day at half-past Four o'clock as the time of meeting.
- 2. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 3. The Late Honorable William Phillip Mair.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That this House place on record its deep regret at the death of the Honorable William Phillip Mair, one of the Members for the South-Eastern Province, and its keen appreciation of the valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria during his long and honorable career.

And other Honorable Members and the President having addressed the House-

The question was put, and Honorable Members signifying their assent by rising in their places, unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

4. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House, out of respect to the memory of the late Honorable William Phillip Mair, do now adjourn until a quarter to Eight o'clock this day.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-seven minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until a quarter to Eight o'clock this day.

- 1. The Deputy-President took the Chair.
- 2. Messages from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, on the dates mentioned hereunder, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

On the 15th July, 1964—

The Constitution Act Amendment (Responsible Ministers) Act.

On the 21st July, 1964-

Consolidated Revenue Act.

3. Issue of Writ.—The Deputy-President announced that the President had, on Wednesday, the 9th instant, issued a Writ for the election of a Member to serve for the South-Eastern Province in the place of the Honorable William Phillip Mair, deceased, and that by such Writ the following dates had been fixed for the election:—

Nomination day—Friday, 25th September, 1964.

Polling Day-Saturday, 10th October, 1964.

Return of Writ—Before or on Tuesday, 27th October, 1964.

4. Statute Law Revision Committee.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Desirability of Restricting the Use of Shot Guns, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix; and a Further Report upon the *Evidence Act* 1958 (Section 28), together with Minutes of Evidence.

Severally ordered to lie on the Table and the Reports to be printed.

5. Adjournment.—Motion under Standing Order No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of "The effect of the burdens which will be imposed upon the people of Victoria by the recently-announced increases in fares, freights, and hospital charges"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

And the Council having continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock-

WEDNESDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

Debate continued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Noes, 14. Ayes, 15. The Hon. Murray Byrne (Teller), W. M. Campbell (Teller), The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (Teller), Sir Percy Byrnes, V. O. Dickie, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot (Teller), W. R. Garrett, P. V. Feltham, C. S. Gawith, J. W. Galbally, H. A. Hewson, F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg, A. W. Knight, K. S. Gross, R. W. May, R. J. Hamer, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack, S. Merrifield, G. J. O'Connell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom, A. Todd, J. M. Tripovich, L. H. S. Thompson. J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at nineteen minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until this day.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 3.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Land (Special Grant) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the Grant of certain Land to the After Care Hospital" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

- 3. Closer Settlement (Regulations) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Forty-six of the 'Closer Settlement Act 1938'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

- 4. State Insurance Funds Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to make further Provision with respect to Interest earned on Reserves of the State Motor Car Insurance Office and the State Accident Insurance Office and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 5. General Sessions (Pensions of Chairmen) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the Payment of Pensions in respect of Chairmen of General Sessions" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 6. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Part II. of the Administration and Probate Act 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 7. CHILDREN'S COURT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Children's Court Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 8. Papers.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—Library Services—Report of Board of Inquiry.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 45) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 108/1964).

County Court Act 1958—County Court Rules 1964 (S.R. No. 80/1964).

Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—Amendment of Regulations (two papers) (S.R. Nos. 85 and 106/1964).

Dried Fruits Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Dried Fruits Board for the year 1963.

Estate Agents Act 1958—Rules of the Estate Agents Committee 1964 (S.R. No. 111/1964).

Explosives Act 1960—

Explosives (General Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 81/1964).

Order in Council—Classification of Explosives (S.R. No. 107/1964).

Fertilizers Act 1958—Fertilizers Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 116/1964).

Fisheries Act 1958—Commercial Fisheries Council (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 93/1964).

Gas Regulation Act 1958—Gas Testing Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 112/1964).

Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law No. 42 (S.R. No. 104/1964).

Health Act 1958-Meat Transport Vehicles (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 92/1964).

Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Shop Trading Hours) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 102/1964).

Land Act 1958—

Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of schools at Koo-wee-rup and Tecoma (two papers).

Schedules of country lands proposed to be sold by auction (four papers).

Lands Compensation Act 1958—Return under section 37 showing particulars of purchases, sales or exchanges of land by the State Electricity Commission for the year 1963-64.

Land Tax Act 1958—Land Tax (Notice of Objection) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 83/1964).

Marine Act 1958—The Pilot (Pilotage Exemption) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 97/1964).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958-

Marketing of Primary Products (Polls and Elections) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 115/1964).

Marketing of Primary Products (Registration of Onion Producers) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 109/1964).

Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Amendment of Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations (S.R. No. 103/1964).

Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Car Mileage Rates) Amendment Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 90/1964).

Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—Regulations prescribing the City of Colac as a District (S.R. No. 105/1964).

Motor Boating Act 1961—Motor Boating (Flame Arrestors) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 82/1964).

Motor Car Act 1958—

Motor Car (Equipment and Driving Permits) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 87/1964).

Motor Car (General Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 89/1964).

Motor Car (Indorsement of Drivers' Licences-Testing Fee) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 110/1964).

Motor Car (Seat Belt Anchorage) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 113/1964).

Premiums Committee (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 94/1964).

National Parks Act 1958—National Park (Mileage Allowances Amendment) Regulations (S.R. No. 99/1964).

Poisons Act 1962—Poisons (Methyl Chloride) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 114/1964).

Police Offences Act 1958—Police Offences (Animals) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 96/1964).

Public Service Act 1958-

Amendment of Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations (S.R. No. 84/1964).

Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations-

Part III.—Promotions and Transfers.
Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (thirteen papers).

Part X.—Leave of Absence.

Report of the Public Service Board for the year 1963-64.

Public Works Committee Act 1958—Twenty-sixth General Report of the Public Works Committee. Racing Act 1958—Dog Racing Control Board (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 95/1964). Railways Act 1958—

Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 30th June, 1964. Statement of equipment and materials to be removed from railways closed to traffic.

Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Act 1961—Rural Finance and Settlement (Insurance Policy and Land Settlement Purchase Lease) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 101/1964).

Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 88/1964).

Seeds Act 1958—Seed Certification (Currie Cocksfoot) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 91/1964).

State Coal Mine Industrial Tribunal Act 1932—Awards Nos. 83 and 84 of the State Coal Mine Industrial Tribunal (two papers).

State Electricity Commission Act 1958-

State Electricity Commission Inspection of Electrical Installations (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 100/1964).

State Electricity Commission Wiring (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 86/1964).

State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960-Report, with statement of income and expenditure, of the Trustees of the National Gallery for the year 1961-62.

Stock (Artificial Breeding) Act 1962—Stock (Artificial Breeding of Cattle) Amendment Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 98/1964).

Supreme Court Act 1958—Supreme Court Office Fees Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 117/1964).

Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations—Amendments Nos. 61-65 (five papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

City of Brunswick Planning Scheme 1956—Amendment No. 8, 1963.

City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 13, 1964.

Latrobe Valley Sub-regional Planning Scheme 1949—Amendment No. 6, 1963.

Moe-Newborough Planning Scheme 1951-Amendment No. 5, 1963.

- 9. Leave of Absence to Member.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That leave of absence be granted to the Honorable Gilbert Lawrence Chandler for one month on account of ill-health. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 10. Public Works Committee.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Honorable W. M. Campbell be appointed a member of the Public Works Committee in the place of the Honorable W. P. Mair, deceased.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 11. Local Authorities Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.—On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 12. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill.—On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Justices Act 1958 with respect to Informations and Complaints and the Service of certain Summonses by Post and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

- 13. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
- 14. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

15. Local Authorities Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

16. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

17. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

18. LAND (SPECIAL GRANT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

19. CHILDREN'S COURT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

20. State Insurance Funds Bill.—The Order of the day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

21. Address-In-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 7 ante), having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable I. A. Swinburne moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

22. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-seven minutes past six o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 3.

TUESDAY, 22ND SEPTEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development-
 - (a) How many secondary industries were established in country locations outside a radius of 30 miles from the Melbourne G.P.O. during the period 1st July, 1963, to 30th June, 1964, at what towns were they located, and how many male and female employees, respectively, are at present engaged in each such industry.
 - (b) Has any secondary industry closed down in these locations during the above period; if so, how many employees were affected.
 - (c) What was the total number of secondary industries functioning outside a radius of 30 miles from the Melbourne G.P.O. as at the 30th June, 1964.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Is it proposed to carry out further generation extensions at the Newport Power House; if so, what are the extensions envisaged.
- *3. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What factors contributed to the belated switch in priorities which resulted in the announcement by the Government of plans to build a high school on a 2½-acre site in the city of Prahran before building a high school on a 5-acre site in the city of Richmond.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—In respect of each of the years 1963 and 1964, what was the number of pupils in attendance at State primary and secondary schools who, on the 1st August, were aged 14 years, 15 years, 16 years, 17 years, 18 years, and 19 years and over, respectively.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What was the price per block paid by the Housing Commission to the Department of the Interior, for land in Laurie and Bradley streets, Newport.
- *6. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What is the cost to date of the Government's inquiries into—(i) the liquor industry; and (ii) scientology.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What was the total intake of migrants to Victoria during the period 1st July, 1963, to 30th June, 1964, and from what countries did they come.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Which Government Department owns the land situated at the corner of Newcastle and Elizabeth streets, Newport.
 - (b) When was such land leased to Mobil Oil Australia Ltd.
 - (c) Will the area be released or sold by the Crown.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—Was any liberalization of freight concessions made from the Decentralization Fund during the period 1st July, 1963, to 30th June, 1964; if so, what are the details of such concessions.
- *10. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Will the Government Department which owns the land situated at the corner of Newcastle and Elizabeth streets, Newport, carry out the recommendations of the Chief Officer of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board with respect to proper fire fighting facilities and fire protection.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.
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Order of the Day (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor-Motion for-Resumption of debate (Hon. I. A. Swinburne).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. GENERAL SESSIONS (PENSIONS OF CHAIRMEN) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. Closer Settlement (Regulations) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 3. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- *4. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading— Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *5. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *6. CHILDREN'S COURT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- *7. Land (Special Grant) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- *8. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading— Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- *9. STATE INSURANCE FUNDS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:

*1. The Hon. SIR PERCY BYRNES: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Valuation of Land Act 1960.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 22ND SEPTEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Grain Elevators (Borrowing) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to increase the Maximum Sum which may be borrowed by the Grain Elevators Board" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 3. Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Long Service Leave) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Eighty-one of the "Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. MILDURA (RATING ON UNIMPROVED VALUES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to validate the Adoption of Rating on Unimproved Values in the City of Mildura and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 5. Country Fire Authority (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Eighty-two of the Country Fire Authority Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 6. Local Government (Councillors' Declarations) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to extend the Time for the making by certain Persons elected as Councillors of Municipalities of the Declaration required by Section Fifty-four of the Local Government Act 1958, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 7. Paper.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That there be laid before this House the Interim Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to Division 4 of Part VI. of the Companies Act 1961 to investigate the affairs of Stanhill Development Finance Limited and other companies.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The said Report was thereupon presented by the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson and ordered to lie on the Table.

8. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament were laid upon the table by the Clerk:—

Local Government Act 1958—Uniform Building Regulations Amending Regulations No. 4 (S.R. No. 118/1964).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.

Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Purchases Book) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 119/1964).

- 9. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
- 10. General Sessions (Pensions of Chairmen) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

11. CLOSER SETTLEMENT (REGULATIONS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable S. Merrifield, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

12. Local Government (Councillors' Declarations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

13. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable A. Todd, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

14. MILDURA (RATING ON UNIMPROVED VALUES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

15. Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Long Service Leave) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 16. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 3, be postponed until later this day.
- 17. Local Authorities Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

18. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

19. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill.—The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, by leave, That the proposals contained in this Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and negatived.

20. Local Government (Councillors' Declarations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

21. CHILDREN'S COURT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

22. Land (Special Grant) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

23. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

24. State Insurance Funds Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

25. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-five minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day,

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

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- 1. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
- (a) Which Government Department owns the land situated at the corner of Newcastle and Elizabeth streets, Newport.
 - (b) When was such land leased to Mobil Oil Australia Ltd.
 - (c) Will the area be released or sold by the Crown.
- 2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Will the Government Department which owns the land situated at the corner of Newcastle and Elizabeth streets, Newport, carry out the recommendations of the Chief Officer of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board with respect to proper fire fighting facilities and fire protection.
- *3. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
- (a) What is the age range of the trams at present in service on the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board routes.
 - (b) Does the Board intend at an early date to commence adding a new type of tram to its fleet; if so—(i) are plans and specifications for these trams being prepared by the Board at the present time; (ii) does the Board intend to construct the new type tram in its own workshops and if not, why; (iii) what expenditure is envisaged by the Board in adding the new type tram to its fleet, and over what period will it be spent.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) What resignations of professional officers have taken place within the Department of Agriculture during each of the years 1961-62, 1962-63, 1963-64 and to date in 1964-65.
 - (b) Have all the vacancies been filled; if not, what vacancies remain at present.
- *5. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
- How many inmates of Langi Kal Kal Training Centre have escaped—(i) from 1957 to 1963, inclusive; and (ii) during the last two months.
 - (b) Have any of those who escaped in the last two months been previously convicted of offences; if so—(i) how many; and (ii) have they committed any offences involving assault or violence.
 - (c) How many present inmates of Langi Kal Kal have been committed for crimes of assault or violence, and how many have previously served terms at that Centre.
- *6. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has a contract for the construction of bus bodies been entered into between the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board and Freighters Ltd.; if so, will he lay on the table of the Library all files relevant to the contract.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
- (a) Did the Minister personally announce a reduction in the maximum selling price for Housing Commission homes from £5,400 to £4,995 last April; if so, is the price reduction still current, and from what date did it apply.
 - (b) How many houses were involved as at the date of announcement, and where were they located.
 - (c) How many houses have been sold since 30th April, 1964, which normally would have been sold at a trachigher price.
 - (d) How many houses were sold for amounts in excess of £4,995 during each of the financial years 1961-62 and 1962-63, and from 1st July, 1963, to 30th April, 1964, and was any financial adjustment made or subsequently made; if so, in how many cases and for what amounts.
 - *Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *8. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) Are the Minister and the Hospitals and Charities Commission aware of the decision of the Cancer Institute Board to discontinue cancer clinics at the Ararat and District Hospital.
 - (b) Is the Minister also aware that in June, 1963, the Institute discontinued cancer clinics at the Stawell District Hospital.
 - (c) Are the Minister and the Hospitals and Charities Commission prepared to make strong representations to the Cancer Institute Board to set up a clinic as soon as possible to serve the people living in Ararat, Stawell and surrounding areas.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—If any charges have been made, or are to be made, for gas and/or electricity or any other services supplied to State Schools and used by voluntary canteen committees in the preparation of meals, refreshments, &c., for the students; if so—(i) when was the decision made; (ii) from what date they operated or will operate; (iii) why were they imposed; and (iv) what amount of recoup is anticipated.

Order of the Day (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor—Motion for—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. A. Swinburne).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Grain Elevators (Borrowing) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *2. Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Long Service Leave) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 3. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 4. General Sessions (Pensions of Chairmen) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *5. MILDURA (RATING ON UNIMPROVED VALUES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- *6. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 7. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 8. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 9. CLOSER SETTLEMENT (REGULATIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:

1. The Hon. SIR PERCY BYRNES: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Valuation of Land Act 1960.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day,

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has the plan for a spur line from the Port Melbourne railway line at North Port and proceeding via Evans and Bridge streets, Port Melbourne, to Fishermen's Bend been abandoned.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Have any retrenchments been made within the past three months in the employees of the construction branch of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission in the Goulburn Valley; if so, how many men have been dismissed and upon what projects were they engaged.
 - (b) Have any other retrenchments been made by the Commission in any other country areas; if so, how many men were involved and what works were affected.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Under what traffic regulation are the *Herald* vehicles permitted to make a left-hand turn out of Flinders-street into Swanston-street between the hours of 4.00 p.m. and 6.00 p.m.
- *4. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Have all claims for compensation involved in the transfer of the Mount Eliza Dam site from the original proposed location on Mr. R. M. Ansett's land to its present location been finalized; if so, what steps have been taken by the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission to have Mr. Ansett meet the cost of compensation to landholders affected by the site transfer.
 - (b) If no such steps have been taken to date, will the Government indicate when action in the matter can be expected, or whether it intends, through the Commission, to press the claims at all.
- *5. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many houses are under construction by the Housing Commission at Rochester.
 - (b) At what stage of construction are these houses.
 - (c) When was the contractor due to complete them under his contract.
 - (d) How much time has elapsed since any work on these houses was done by the contractor.
 - (e) What is the cause of the delay in construction.
 - (f) Will the Minister take steps to have these houses completed as soon as possible.
- *6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many applications for housing were on the waiting list of the Housing Commission as at 25th September, 1964.
 - (b) How many of these applications were for—(i) Darby and Joan units; and (ii) lone person units.
- *7. The Hon. P. V. Feltham: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Why have many municipalities in the Northern Province received reduced Country Roads Board grants for the current financial year.
 - (b) Is this situation peculiar to the Northern Province, or is it happening in other country provinces.
 - (c) Where has the money gone which has been saved by this reduction in grants to country municipalities.
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*8. The Hon. T. H. Grigg: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government-

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- (a) Which municipalities have been valued under the new system of valuations introduced by the Valuer-General, on the basis of comparable sales.
- (b) What monetary increase of valuations has resulted in the respective municipalities so valued.
- (c) How many appeals have been made by the ratepayers against the new valuations in each municipality.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Is any separate record kept of the amounts of money paid out in claims for goods damaged in transit through railway derailments, as distinct from other causes; if so, what is the total amount involved from 1st July, 1963, to date; if not, what was the total amount of moneys paid out in claims for goods damaged in transit during each of the financial years 1961-62, 1962-63, and 1963-64, and what amount has been paid out since 1st July, 1964, to date.
- *10. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What financial allocation has been made for channel construction and remodelling and other new water distribution works in the Campaspe irrigation district for the financial year 1964-65.
 - (b) Is this allocation substantially lower than the amount necessary to complete the works previously proposed for this financial year.
 - (c) Will the distribution channels in the Campaspe irrigation district be completed by 1965.
 - (d) Will the construction of the Eastern channel from the Campaspe Weir commence during this financial year.
 - (e) What is the reason for any reduced allocation to the Campaspe irrigation district.
- *11. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) When were the Herald and Weekly Times Limited and their contractors granted a temporary permit with respect to carting reels of newsprint.
 - (b) What is the term of the permit.
 - (c) On what basis was the permit given.
 - (d) Does the permit conform to the Transport Regulations.

Order of the Day (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor-Motion for-Resumption of debate (Hon. I. A. Swinburne).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

1. The Hon. SIR PERCY BYRNES: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Valuation of Land Act 1960.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Grain Elevators (Borrowing) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- 2. METROPOLITAN FIRE BRIGADES (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 3. General Sessions (Pensions of Chairmen) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 4. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 5. MILDURA (RATING ON UNIMPROVED VALUES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 6. Country Fire Authority (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 7. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 8. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 9. CLOSER SETTLEMENT (REGULATIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

L. G. McDONALD,

G. S. McARTHUR,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

President.

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SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

5. Adjournment.—Motion under Standing Order No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of "The continuing failure of the Government to take prompt and adequate action to safeguard Victoria against the improper and fraudulent activities of certain persons with relation to companies"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 14. Noes, 13. The Hon. Murray Byrne (Teller), W. M. Campbell, The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Sir Percy Byrnes, V. O. Dickie, W. R. Garrett, M. A. Clarke (Teller), D. G. Elliot, P. V. Feltham, C. S. Gawith (Teller), J. W. Galbally, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, R. J. Hamer, A. W. Knight (Teller), R. W. May, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack, S. Merrifield, G. J. Nicol, G. J. O'Connell, B. D. Snider, G. W. Thom, I. A. Swinburne, A. Todd, L. H. S. Thompson. J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at seven minutes past Eight o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 6.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

Local Government (Councillors' Declarations) Act.

3. South Melbourne (Unimproved Rating Poll).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to postpone the Day and Time for the Taking of a Poll of the Ratepayers of the City of South Melbourne on a Proposal to adopt Rating on Unimproved Values in the said City, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer, moved That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

- 4. Local Government (Councillors' Declarations) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Legislative Assembly acquainting the Council that they have concurred with the Council in the correction of the clerical error reported by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, in this Bill.
- 5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Labour and Industry Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

- 6. Scientology Restriction Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to prohibit the Teaching and Practice of Scientology for Fee or Reward and the Use in relation to such Teaching or Practice of any Apparatus or Device for Recording or Measuring Personal Reactions Impulses or Characteristics, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 7. Papers.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—Police Department—Report for the year 1963.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Audit Act 1958—Amendment of the Public Account and Stores Regulations 1958 (S.R. No. 125/1964).

Cancer Act 1958—Report of the Anti-Cancer Council of Victoria for the year 1963-64.

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Expenses of Officers and Employees Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 122/1964).

Exhibition Act 1957—Report of the Exhibition Trustees for the year 1963-64.

Explosives Act 1960—Order in Council—Classification of Explosives Amendment No. 3/1964 (S.R. No. 123/1964).

Health Act 1958—

Apartment House (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 124/1964).

Report of the Commission of Public Health for the year 1963-64.

Lifts and Cranes Act 1959—Cranes Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 121/1964).

Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 111 of the Police Service Board.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.

State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—Report of the Trustees of the National Gallery for the year 1962-63.

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendments Nos. 11 and 12, 1963 (two papers). City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme—Section 1—Amendment No. 10, 1964.

Transport Regulation Act 1958—Transport (Protective Devices—Amendment) Regulation 1964 (S.R. No. 120/1964).

- 8. TITLE OF "HONORABLE".—The President announced that he had received from the Honorable the Premier a copy of a despatch from the Secretary of State for Commonwealth Relations intimating that Her Majesty the Queen had been pleased to approve the retention of the title of "Honorable" by Mr. Dudley Joseph Walters and Mr. Arthur Smith, who had each served as a Member of the Legislative Council for a continuous period of not less than ten years.
- 9. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
- 10. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill.—On the motion of the Honorable I. A. Swinburne, for the Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Valuation of Land Act 1960, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 11. Grain Elevators (Borrowing) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

12. Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Long Service Leave) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 13. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 and 4, be postponed until later this day.

14. MILDURA (RATING ON UNIMPROVED VALUES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

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- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 15. Country Fire Authority (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 16. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 17. South Melbourne (Unimproved Rating Poll) Bill.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett, having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 18. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.
- 19. Closer Settlement (Regulations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 20. General Sessions (Pensions of Chairmen) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

21. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address, see page 7 ante), having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

22. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at forty-six minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. The state of the state of the second

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER, 1964.

Questions.

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- 1. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Which municipalities have been valued under the new system of valuations introduced by the Valuer-General, on the basis of comparable sales.
- What monetary increase of valuations has resulted in the respective municipalities so valued.
 - (c) How many appeals have been made by the ratepayers against the new valuations in each municipality.
- *2. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many children are attending the Oral Schools for the Deaf at Ballarat and Bendigo, respectively.
 - (b) How many teachers are posted to each of these schools.
 - (c) What are the classifications of these teachers.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What was the total construction cost, together with cost of land and land development, of—(i) brick veneer homes of two and three bedrooms, respectively; and (ii) concrete homes of two and three bedrooms, respectively, at the Broadmeadows and Fawkner Housing Commission estates during the years 1960 to 1963 inclusive, and what was the sale price of each of those types of homes during those years.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government-
 - (a) What action (if any) has been taken by the Government to implement section 5 of the Local Government Act 1963.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that municipal councils will be able to take advantage of this section.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many people were employed by the Apprenticeship Commission of Victoria in both permanent and temporary capacities for each of the years 1951, 1954, 1957, 1960, and 1963, showing in what classifications or grades.
 - (b) In respect of each such year, how many supervisors were allocated to the metropolitan and country areas, respectively.
- (c) What was the total number of apprentices registered for each of those years in the metropolitan and country areas, respectively.
 - (d) Do all the country apprentices meet the requirements of practical workshop instruction necessary to qualify for the Apprenticeship Commission's Proficiency Certificate; if not—how many apprentices fall short of the requirement, in what trades, and for what reason or reasons.
- (e) Does the Commission have power, together with the finance necessary, to subsidize the travel and living expenses of country apprentices; if so—(i) when was the power given; and (ii) how much money has been used in subsidies in each of the financial years to date.
- (f) Do such subsidies granted (if any) meet the full requirements of country apprentices; if not—(i) how many such apprentices are suffering a disadvantage and in what trades; and (ii) what action is being taken or is contemplated to correct the position.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *6. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What financial allocation has been made to the Rochester irrigation district for the financial year 1964-65.
 - (b) Will the No. 11 channel in this district be remodelled this financial year; if so, to what distance from the Waranga western channel.
 - (c) Will any work be done on the No. 14 channel in this district during this financial year.
 - (d) How many men have been dismissed in the last three months by the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission from construction work in the Rochester and Campaspe irrigation districts.
- *7. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) When was the survey of applicants for Housing Commission houses and flats commenced.
 - (b) Has it been finished.
 - (c) When will a report or an analysis of the questions put to applicants be available.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What are the comparative weights and sizes of the rails and sleepers used on the standard-gauge railway line as against other lines in this State.
- *9. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What were the delivery schedules in the contract entered into in 1962 between A.E.C. (Australia)

 Pty. Ltd. and the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board for the supply and delivery
 of 100 motor buses.
 - (b) Has there been any delay in the delivery schedules; if so, does the responsibility lie with the prime contractor, A.E.C. (Australia) Pty. Ltd., or the sub-contractor, Freighters Ltd.

Order of the Day (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor—Motion for—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Grain Elevators (Borrowing) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 2. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 3. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- *2. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- *3. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

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CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 7.

TUESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the under mentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Long Service Leave) Act.

Mildura (Rating on Unimproved Values) Act.

Country Fire Authority (Borrowing Powers) Act.

South Melbourne (Unimproved Rating Poll) Act.

Closer Settlement (Regulations) Act.

General Sessions (Pensions of Chairmen) Act.

- 3. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - Land Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Glen Waverley.
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Third Party Insurance Vintage Cars) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 127/1964).
 - Stamps Act 1958—Stamps (Distribution) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 126/1964).
 - State Savings Bank Act 1958—Statements and Returns of the State Savings Bank for the year 1963-64.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Ringwood Planning Scheme 1960.
- 4. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
- 5. Grain Elevators (Borrowing) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
 - House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 6. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved-That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- 7. FISHERIES AND GAME (REDUCED LICENCE FEES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Sixteen of the 'Fisheries Act 1958' and Section Forty-one B of the 'Game Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 8. Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to revoke the Permanent Reservations of certain Lands, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 9. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Agricultural Colleges Act 1958', to validate certain Regulations, to excise certain Areas from Land permanently reserved as a Site for the Purposes of a State Agricultural College, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 10. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 11. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Latrobe Valley Act 1958', and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 12. Portland Harbor Trust (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to increase the Borrowing Powers of the Portland Harbor Trust" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 13. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Disposal of Uncollected Goods Act 1961" with respect to Damaged Motor Cars" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 14. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Motor Car Act 1958" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 15. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agreed to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address, see page 7 ante), having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable G. W. Thom moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

16. State Forests Loan Application Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and other Purposes relating to State Forests" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

- 17. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Country Roads Act 1958" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, for the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 18. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at forty-two minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 7.

TUESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What exemptions have been applied for or granted in the South Melbourne reclamation project bounded by Bank, Cecil, and Park streets, and what persons have applied for or been granted exemptions or any other form of consideration under the final scheme.
 - (b) Has any Commonwealth department sought or acquired any portion of the said area; if so, what is the department, and for what specific use is it being sought or acquired.
 - (c) When is the Housing Commission likely to announce its plan for the re-development of the area.
- *2. The Hon. H. A. Hewson: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) Will the Minister give an assurance that when specifications are being drawn up by Government departments for country projects, products produced locally by country industries will be given equal opportunity to compete with metropolitan products.
 - (b) Are bricks made at Traralgon being used in the construction of Government projects; if not, why.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Under what circumstances and at what points does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works allow raw sewage to discharge into the Yarra river and its tributaries.
 - (b) Will the proposed South-Eastern sewerage scheme eliminate all of these points; if not, which ones will remain.
 - (c) When is it contemplated that this scheme will be completed.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What was the selling price of two-bedroom Housing Commission homes built in—(i) brick veneer; and (ii) concrete, at Fawkner and sold to eligible applicants during the years 1960 to 1963 inclusive.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—At which point the Victorian Railways takes delivery of the furnace oil which Mobil Oil Australia Ltd. stores at the installation at the corner of Newcastle and Elizabeth streets, Newport—(i) before entry into the receivers; and (ii) after discharge from the receivers.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) When was the Home Ownership Advisory Bureau set up.
 - (b) Is it still functioning; if so—(i) where; (ii) what staff is at present engaged; and (iii) how many applications were dealt with in each month from November, 1963, to date.
- *7. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG; To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government-
 - (a) What are the names of the regional valuation groups in Victoria.
 - (b) What are the names of the valuers appointed to each group and the qualifications of and previous experience of each valuer.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) At what freight rates are petrol, oil and petroleum products carried by the Victorian Railways.
 - (b) When were these rates reviewed and what were the bases of the revisions.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What was the total amount claimed from the Railways Department for goods damaged in transit due to derailments from 1st July, 1963, to 30th September, 1964, and what portion of the £25,995 paid out in settlement of such claims was for goods carried at the Commissioners Risk rate.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *10. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) How many applications have been received to date for second mortgage loans by the Home Finance Trust.
 - (b) How many such applications have been granted.
 - (c) What is the total amount loaned during each year to date and what interest rate is now being charged.

Government Business.

Notices of Motion:-

- *1. The Hon. V. O. DICKIE: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Stock Foods Act 1958.
- *2. The Hon. V. O. DICKIE: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to alter the Title of and to amend the Fungicides Act 1958.

Order of the Day (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor-Motion for-Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :-

- *1. FISHERIES AND GAME (REDUCED LICENCE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *2. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *3. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *4. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *5. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (BORROWING POWERS) BILL-(from Assembly-Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *6. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *7. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *8. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *9. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 10. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 2. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 8.

TUESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

Grain Elevators (Borrowing) Act.

Local Authorities Superannuation (Amendment) Act.

- 3. Local Authorities Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (St. KILDA AND ELWOOD LAND RECLAMATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to validate the Expenditure of certain Moneys by the Council of the City of St. Kilda" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

- 5. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—PUBLIC LANDS AND WORKS BILL.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Public Lands and Works Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence.
 - Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
- 6. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill.—On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Stock Foods Act 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 7. Pesticides Bill.—On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to alter the Title of and to amend the *Fungicides Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 8. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Explosives Act 1960—Explosives (Exemption) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 131/1964).

Health Act 1958—Food and Drug Standards (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (No. 1) (S.R. No. 128/1964).

Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (General Amendment No. 3) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 130/1964).

Police Regulation Act 1958-Determination No. 112 of the Police Service Board.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part V.—Allowances.

Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Portable Lamps) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 129/1964).

Workers Compensation Act 1958—Workers Compensation Board Fund—Balance-sheet and statements of receipts and expenditure for the year 1963-64 (three papers).

- 9. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
- 10. FISHERIES AND GAME (REDUCED LICENCE FEES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 11. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until later this day.
- 12. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 13. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 8 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 14. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 15. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Crimes Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 16. Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

17. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

18. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

19. State Forests Loan Application Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

20. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the amendment be taken into consideration later this day.

21. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

22. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

23. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

24. Pesticides Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 25. CHILDREN'S COURT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 26. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-eight minutes past Eight o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day,

No. 8.

TUESDAY, 20th OCTOBER, 1964.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What was the selling price of two-bedroom Housing Commission homes built in—(i) brick veneer; and (ii) concrete, at Fawkner and sold to eligible applicants during the years 1960 to 1963 inclusive.
- *2. The Hon. J. W. Galbally: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Will he lay on the table of the Library those reports made by the Railways Commissioners to the Minister of Transport under section 135 of the Railways Act 1958 in respect of the last 83 accidents which have occurred.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—How many emergency outlets for raw sewage discharge into—(i) the Moonee Ponds Creek; and (ii) the Maribyrnong River.
- *4. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—What revenue was received by the Forests Commission in each of the years 1960-61, 1961-62, 1962-63, 1963-64, and to date in 1964-65, from—(i) royalties; (ii) sale of forest produce; and (iii) other sources.

Order of the Day (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor—Motion for—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:

- *1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (St. KILDA AND ELWOOD LAND RECLAMATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill—Amendment of the Assembly—To be considered.
- *3. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *4. Pesticides Bill—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 5. FISHERIES AND GAME (REDUCED LICENCE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 6. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 7. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 8. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 9. Portland Harbor Trust (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 10. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- 11. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 12. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- *13. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 14. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 15. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 2. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL-(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)-Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 9.

WEDNESDAY, 21st OCTOBER, 1964.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor-Motion for-Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 2. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. Game (Black Swans) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (St. KILDA AND ELWOOD LAND RECLAMATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *3. Sewerage Districts Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 4. Crimes (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 5. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill—Amendment of the Assembly—To be considered.
- 6. Pesticides Bill—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 7. FISHERIES AND GAME (REDUCED LICENCE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 8. Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 9. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 10. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 11. Portland Harbor Trust (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 12. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 13. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 14. State Forests Loan Application Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- 15. STOCK FOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 16. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 17. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

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- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 9.

TUESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. RETURN TO WRIT.—The President announced that there had been returned to him the writ issued by him for the election of a Member to serve for the South-Eastern Province, and that by the indorsement on such writ it appeared that Ian Robert Cathie had been elected in pursuance thereof.
- 3. SWEARING-IN OF NEW MEMBER.—The Honorable Ian Robert Cathie, having been introduced, took and subscribed the Oath of Allegiance.
- 4. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:-Children's Court (Amendment) Act.
- 5. Game (Black Swans) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Thirty-five of the 'Game Act 1958' to authorize the Issue of Licences to take or kill Black Swans" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 6. Sewerage Districts Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Sewerage Districts Act 1958' and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 7. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of "The failure of the Government to maintain public safety and confidence in the Victorian Railways"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 16. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Sir Percy Byrnes, I. R. Cathie, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, P. V. Feltham (Teller), J. W. Galbally, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, R. W. May,

S. Merrifield (Teller), G. J. O'Connell,

I. A. Swinburne,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton.

Noes. 14.

The Hon. Murray Byrne, W. M. Campbell, V. O. Dickie,

W. R. Garrett,

C. S. Gawith,

F. J. Granter (Teller),

T. H. Grigg (Teller),

R. J. Hamer,

A. J. Hunt,

R. W. Mack,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-one minutes past Eight o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 10.

WEDNESDAY, 21st OCTOBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Twenty-nine million three hundred and forty thousand six hundred and eighty pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 3. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Police Regulation Act 1958—Police (Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Long Service Leave) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 132/1964).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—

Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.

Part V.—Allowances (two papers).

Seeds Act 1958—Seed Certification (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 133/1964).

Transport Regulation Act 1958—Report of the Transport Regulation Board for the year 1963-64.

Water Act 1958—Report of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission for the year 1963-64.

- 4. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—
 - Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
 - Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
- 5. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

6. Game (Black Swans) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (St. KILDA AND ELWOOD LAND RECLAMATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 8. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Two million and eighty-seven thousand four hundred and sixty-eight pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-three and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 9. Sewerage Districts Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. M. Tripovich, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 10. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
- 11. Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows:—

Clause 6, omit this clause.

- On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Council agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
- 12. Pesticides Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 13. FISHERIES AND GAME (REDUCED LICENCE FEES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 14. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.
- 15. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES BILL—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 16. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 17. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable R. W. Mack moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question-put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at forty-one minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 10.

TUESDAY, 27th OCTOBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many motor cars were reported stolen in each of the years 1960, 1961, 1962, and 1963.
 - (b) Have any statistics been kept as to the number of stolen cars that have been recovered and found to be stripped or damaged in each of those years; if so, what are they.
- *2. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What authority polices the operations of transport operators, particularly in regard to overloading.
 - (b) Into what fund or funds are fines for offences paid.
 - (c) Are these fines paid into such funds without deductions; if not, what is the nature of the deductions.
 - (d) What was the total amount of fines imposed on transport operators in each of the last three years.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) At what age are children charged full fare on—(i) the railways; and (ii) the tramways.
 - (b) What concessions in fares are made to full-time students attending—(i) secondary schools; (ii) universities; and (iii) teachers training colleges.
 - (c) As the minimum school leaving age is now 15 years, will the Government increase the age at which full fare is payable to 15 years.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) In respect of the Broadmeadows, Glenroy, Strathmore, Hadfield, Oak Park, Essendon, Buckley Park, Maribyrnong, and Niddrie high schools, the Broadmeadows, Niddrie, Essendon, and Glenroy technical schools, and the Flemington and Pascoe Vale girls' secondary schools, respectively, what is—(i) the present student attendance; (ii) the present maximum capacity; and (iii) the anticipated attendance in February, 1965.
 - (b) Are any plans in hand or proposed to extend the accommodation at any of the above schools, or to develop further sites; if so—(i) what are the plans; and (ii) when will such increased accommodation be available for student intake.
- *5. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What material is being used by the Country Roads Board for reflectors on guide posts placed at the side of country roads.
 - (b) What is the cost of this reflector material per post.
 - (c) Is this material suitable for application to railway freight trucks.
 - (d) How many railway freight trucks are operated by the Victorian Railways.
 - (e) What would be the cost of applying such material to each railway freight truck.
- *6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many motor vehicles were registered in Victoria from 1st July, 1963, to 30th June, 1964, and what revenue was received during that period in registration fees.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *7. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many fatal accidents have occurred at each of the railway crossings on the South Gippsland Highway during each of the last five years.
 - (b) Has the Government plans for grade separation or other safety precautions for these crossings; if so, when will they be put into effect.
- *8. The Hon. H. A. Hewson: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Have any additional mobile fire units, other than replacement units, been made available to rural fire brigades throughout Victoria in the past five years; if so—(i) how many; and (ii) to which rural fire brigade regions have they been allocated.
- *9. The Hon. T. H. Grigg: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—By what amounts were the salaries of the following workers in the Victorian Railways increased under the agreement between the Honorable the Premier and the Unions—(i) locomotive drivers and firemen; (ii) guards and conductors; (iii) signalmen and shunters; and (iv) station assistants and track maintenance staff.
- *10. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—What amounts of money have been provided for hospitals and charitable institutions during the last financial year from—(i) Tattersall Consultations; and (ii) totalizator funds.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Were plans drawn up including the construction of an island platform together with a pedestrian subway and/or an extended line to facilitate the crossing of trains at Kaniva; if so, when were they approved and are they still current.
 - (b) Were materials necessary for the carrying out of such plans delivered to the site; if so, what became of those materials.
 - (c) If the answers to questions (a) and (b) are in the affirmative, what amount of money was made available for the job, and where was it subsequently spent.
 - (d) How much money has been spent on extending the railway yard at Diapur within the past five years to facilitate the crossing of trains, and were such extensions an alternative to the plans for Kaniva (if any).
 - (e) Has a further plan now been drawn up providing for alterations to the Kaniva yard; if so, what additional line or lines or other facilities are provided for.
- *12. The Hon. G. J. O'Connell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—When does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board intend to lay the new track in Swan-street, Richmond, between Church-street and Punt-road.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

*1. The Hon. R. J. Hamer: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to the Making of Orders for the Maintenance of Wives Husbands Children and Illegitimate Children and for Confinement, Medical and like Expenses and Funeral Expenses and for the Enforcement of such Orders and of similar Orders made in certain other States, Territories and Countries and for purposes connected therewith.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor—Motion for—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3)—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- 3. Game (Black Swans) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell.)
- 4. Local Government (St. Kilda and Elwood Land Reclamation) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 5. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 6. Sewerage Districts Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 7. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).

- 8. Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 9. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (BORROWING POWERS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 10. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 11. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 12. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 13. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 14. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 2. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 11.

TUESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

Justices (Complaints and Summonses) Act.

Fisheries and Game (Reduced Licence Fees) Act.

Agricultural Colleges Act.

Motor Car (Amendment) Act.

3. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Gas and Fuel Corporation Act 1958—Report of the Gas and Fuel Corporation for the year 1963-64.

Land Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Altona North, Bayswater, Deer Park West, and Fitzroy (four papers).

Local Government Act 1958-Municipal Clerks Board Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 134/1964).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).

Stamps Act 1958—Stamps (Betting Books) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 135/1964).

Subordinate Legislation Act 1962—Amendment of Regulations governing the expenditure of Commissions and Boards of Inquiry (S.R. No. 136/1964).

Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Statement of guarantee given to the Reserve Bank of Australia by the Treasurer of Victoria.

- 4. Maintenance Bill.—On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to the Making of Orders for the Maintenance of Wives Husbands Children and Illegitimate Children and for Confinement, Medical and like Expenses and Funeral Expenses and for the Enforcement of such Orders and of similar Orders made in certain other States, Territories and Countries and for purposes connected therewith, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 5. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.

6. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, as an amendment, That all the words after "That" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words "this House is of opinion that the improper and deceitful action of the Government in withholding from the people of Victoria its plans with regard to State income tax and grievous increases in fares, freights, and hospital and other charges warrants a refusal to grant supply."

Debate ensued.

Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 23. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham, W. R. Garrett, C. S. Gawith, F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg, K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, H. A. Hewson (Teller), A. J. Hunt (Teller), R. W. Mack, A. R. Mansell, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider, I. A. Swinburne, W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. O'Connell (Teller),
A. Todd (Teller),
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Amendment negatived.

Question—That this Bill be now read a second time—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 23. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, V. Feltham, Ρ. W. R. Garrett, C. S. Gawith, F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg, K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, H. A. Hewson, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack A. R. Mansell (Teller), R. W. May, G. J. Nicol (Teller), B. D. Snider, I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson.

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G. J. O'Connell,
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich (Teller),
J. M. Walton (Teller).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

- 7. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act for the Establishment and Incorporation of a University to be known as La Trobe University and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 8. Railways (Long Service Leave) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section One hundred and eighty-seven of the 'Railways Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 9. MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION (ACCIDENT INSURANCE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Municipal Association Act 1907'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

10. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 10th November next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at forty-seven minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November next.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 11.

TUESDAY, 10th NOVEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. G. J. O'Connell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—When does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board intend to lay the new track in Swan-street, Richmond, between Churchstreet and Punt-road.
- *2. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests-
 - (a) How many outbreaks of Sirex wasp activity have occurred this year, and where have these outbreaks been.
 - (b) What has been the cost to date of the campaign for the eradication of the Sirex wasp.
- *3. The Hon. G. J. O'Connell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How much revenue was received by the Government in the last three financial years from—(i) The National Coursing Association; and (ii) the Melbourne Greyhound Racing Association, in the form of totalizator payments and entertainments tax, respectively.
- *4. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) Is the Government aware of the Commonwealth Council for National Fitness' "Everyman Fitness Program".
 - (b) What liaison has been effected in this direction with the National Fitness Council (Vic.)
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'Connell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How much revenue has been received from bookmakers turnover tax in the last three financial years from—(i) metropolitan racing; (ii) country racing; and (iii) dog racing.

Order of the Day (to take precedence):-

1. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor-Motion for-Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3)—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *3. RAILWAYS (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL-(from Assembly-Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)-Second reading.
- *4. MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION (ACCIDENT INSURANCE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *5. MAINTENANCE BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 6. GAME (BLACK SWANS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell.)
- 7. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (St. KILDA AND ELWOOD LAND RECLAMATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
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- 8. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 9. Sewerage Districts Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 10. Crimes (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 11. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 12. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (BORROWING POWERS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 13. STOCK FOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 14. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 15. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 16. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 17. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

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Standing Orders.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

Statute Law Revision (Joint).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 12.

WEDNESDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many students are at present in attendance in each of the classes in Forms I., II., III., IV., V., and VI. at the Glenroy, Oak Park, Strathmore, Essendon, Hadfield, and Buckley Park high schools, respectively.
 - (b) What would be the maximum capacity of each of these schools if classes were reduced to the desired maximum of 30 pupils, and if specialist class rooms provided for sewing, woodwork, &c., were not used as general class rooms.
- *2. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What amount of money was—(i) allocated; and (ii) spent, in the last three years in respect of water storages for irrigation purposes, and where are such storages located.
 - (b) What amount of money was—(i) allocated; and (ii) spent, in the last three years in respect of water storages for town water supply, and where are such storages located.
- *3. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL; To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many Darby and Joan units and lone person units, respectively, the Housing Commission intends to build in Murphy-street, Richmond.
- *4. The Hon. B. D. SNIDER: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—Will the Government consider reviewing the qualifications required of medical practitioners with foreign degrees for registration in Victoria under the *Medical Act* 1958.
- *5. The Hon. S. Merrifield: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Is it proposed to alienate part of the foreshore area at McCrae for the purposes of a car park.
 - (b) Is this area reserved under the Land Act 1958 for public recreation; if not—(i) why; and (ii) will the Government reserve this area as part of an intention to permanently reserve and protect these valuable public areas along the foreshores of Port Phillip Bay.
- *6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What revenue the Victoria Racing Club received from the totalizator in the four days of the Spring Racing Carnival just concluded at Flemington.
 - (b) What was the Government revenue from the same source.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Are the engine testing pits at present sited at the Essendon aerodrome to be removed to Tullamarine; if so—(i) when is the transfer to be made; and (ii) has the State Government been requested, or has it made any offer, to bear portion or whole of the costs of such transfer.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Has any decision been made on the suggestion of the previous Commissioner of Public Works, publicised in April, 1963, to alter the route of the freeway to serve the proposed Tullamarine jetport and alleged to save 72 homes then affected by the route gazetted on 11th April, 1962; if so, when was the decision made, and what are the details of same.
 - (b) Have any other alterations or amendments been made to the route as then gazetted.
 - (c) Has any date been fixed for the commencement of the roadworks connected with the construction of the freeway; if so—(i) when will the work commence; and (ii) when is it anticipated the freeway will be open for traffic.
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*9. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What is the official Government attitude on the compulsory installation of safety belts in motor vehicles.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *3. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 4. Sewerage Districts Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (St. KILDA AND ELWOOD LAND RECLAMATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 6. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 7. Crimes (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 8. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 9. Portland Harbor Trust (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 10. STOCK FOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 11. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 12. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 13. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3)—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 2. Maintenance Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A Todd).
- 3. Railways (Long Service Leave) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 4. MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION (ACCIDENT INSURANCE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- *5. Trustee Companies (Affidavits) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *6. MAINTENANCE (RECIPROCATING STATE) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).

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President.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 12.

TUESDAY, 10th NOVEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, on the dates mentioned hereunder, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

On the 29th October, 1964—

Consolidated Revenue Act.

On the 10th November, 1964-

Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Act.

- 3. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and Purposes relating to Railways, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. Administration and Probate (Small Estates) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Local Government Act* 1958 and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 6. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (AFFIDAVITS) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. W. Mack, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend section nine of the *Trustee Companies Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 7. Maintenance (Reciprocating State) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make provision for the Enforcement in Victoria of Maintenance Orders made in the Territory of New Guinea and the Territory of Papua and vice versa and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 8. Papers.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor— Larceny and Illegal Use of Motor Vehicles—Report of Committee appointed by the Honorable the Attorney-General.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—

Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 46) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 142/1964).

Country Fire Authority (Regional Advisory Committees Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 138/1964).

Fisheries Act 1958—Notice of intention to make a Proclamation respecting Inland Angling Licences. Forests Act 1958—Report of the Forests Commission for the year 1963-64.

Grain Elevators Act 1958—Reports, together with balance-sheets and statements of accounts, for the years ended 31st October, 1962, and 31st October, 1963 (eight papers).

Labour and Industry Act 1958—Industrial Appeals Court General Rules 1964 (S.R. No. 139/1964).

Land Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Prahran.

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Supreme Court (S.R. No. 137/1964).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Onion Marketing (Accounting Period) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 141/1964).

Motor Car Act 1958-

Motor Car (Motor Cycle Signal Lamps) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 140/1964). Report of the Third Party Insurance Premiums Committee for the year 1962-63.

Police Regulation Act 1958-Determination No. 113 of the Police Service Board.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).

Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 30th September, 1964.

Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations—Amendments Nos. 66 and 67 (two papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 9, 1963. Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 1, 1964 (Shire of Bellarine).

- 9. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
- 10. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 11. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 12. Maintenance Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Debate ensued.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

13. RAILWAYS (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

14. Game (Black Swans) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

15. Address-in-Reply to Speech of His Excellency the Governor.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address, see page 7 ante), having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor by the President and such Members of the Council as may wish to accompany him.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

16. MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION (ACCIDENT INSURANCE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

17. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (AFFIDAVITS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

18. MAINTENANCE (RECIPROCATING STATE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 19. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.
- 20. Latrobe Valley (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 21. Sewerage Districts Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then the Council, at eighteen minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 13.

WEDNESDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Public Works Loan Application Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Public Works, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 3. Medical (Amendment) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. W. Mack, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Medical Act* 1958 and for purposes connected therewith, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day freeting.

4. Paper.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Amendment of Rules of the Council of Legal Education.

- 5. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
- 6. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 8. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 3, be postponed until later this day.
- 9. Sewerage Districts Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 10. Local Government (St. Kilda and Elwood Land Reclamation) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 11. Consumers Protection Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to constitute a Consumers Protection Council and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 12. State Forests Loan Application Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 13. Crimes (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- 14. Motor Car (Fines and Drivers' Licence Fees) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act relating to the Fees for Motor Car Drivers' Licences and the Disposal of Fines paid under the Motor Car Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 15. Stamps (Motor Car) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to impose Stamp Duties on certain Applications for the Registration of Motor Cars and on certain Notices concerning the Acquisition of Motor Cars, to amend the 'Stamps Act 1958', the 'Motor Car Act 1958' and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 16. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.
- 17. Portland Harbor Trust (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 18. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-three minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 13.

TUESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Did the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission prepare the map for the Dandenong Valley Authority.
 - (b) Was an area in Chelsea, excluded by the Carrum Drainage Authority and which is not in accordance with the provisions laid down by section 14 of the *Dandenong Valley Authority Act* 1963, included in this map.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—On how many bed days during the last financial year were beds used by Victorian hospitals for the treatment of—(i) persons injured in road accidents; and (ii) workers injured in industrial accidents.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Does the Housing Commission propose to sell portion or the whole of any land previously purchased for housing development; if so—
 (i) what are the details of the land so affected; (ii) will the land be sold in individual lots to intending home builders, or in one lot to a land developer; and (iii) will the sales be made privately or by public auction following advertisement.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Why has Wonthaggi Technical School been refused pupils for first year Diploma class.
 - (b) Is the Minister aware that four or five boys will be denied the opportunity of entering tertiary education by this decision.
 - (c) Will the Minister give an assurance that a teacher will be found for this class.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Have any Housing Commission homes been purchased by their tenants on the "purchase-lease agreement without deposit" as promised by the Government during the last State election; if so, how many, and at what locations.
 - (b) If the scheme has not yet been put into operation—(i) what is causing the delay; (ii) when is it likely to commence; and (iii) will it apply to Commission homes in the Ascot Vale, Essendon and Broadmeadows housing estates.
- *6. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What steps has the Government taken to see that all safety belts manufactured in Victoria are safe by meeting, at least, the minimum standards of the Australian Safety Association.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Is the presence of aero engine testing pits at the Essendon aerodrome holding up the development of the high school site known as Strath Park.
 - (b) Has the Government made any official request to the Commonwealth Government to have these pits transferred to Tullamarine; if so, has the Government been requested, or has it made any offer, to bear portion or the whole of the costs of such transfer.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Public Works Loan Application Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. MEDICAL (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *3. MOTOR CAR (FINES AND DRIVERS' LICENCE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *4. Consumers Protection Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *5. STAMPS (MOTOR CAR) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- 6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 7. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3)—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 8. Trustee Companies (Affidavits) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 9. RAILWAYS (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 10. Maintenance (Reciprocating State) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 11. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 12. MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION (ACCIDENT INSURANCE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 13. Crimes (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 14. STOCK FOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 15. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 16. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 17. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 18. Railway Loan Application Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 19. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 20. MAINTENANCE BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A Todd).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day,

No. 14.

WEDNESDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- * The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Are any Melbourne Harbor Trust tugs fitted with fire-fighting equipment; if not, will the Government give consideration to the fitting of same.
- *2. The Hon. A. R. Mansell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many silos will receive barley this year, and where is each situated.
 - (b) What will be the rate of salary or commission for receiving and classifying barley.
 - (c) Who set the rates for this service, and who pays these officers.
 - (d) Is it a fact that these officers are barley merchants or agents.
 - (e) Was the Grain Elevators Board consulted on these matters.
- *3. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What amount of money was allocated by the Country Roads Board and what amount was expended during each of the last four financial years in the metropolitan planning area.
 - (b) What amount was allocated to each division outside the metropolitan planning area.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has any decision been reached by the Government concerning the construction of a rail link between Melbourne and the proposed Tullamarine jetport, about which talks were taking place between the Department of Civil Aviation and engineers of the Victorian Railways Department late in 1963; if so, will the rail link be constructed, and when.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What is the waiting period for Housing Commission tenancy.
 - (b) How many tenants vacated Commission dwellings in the last two financial years.
 - (c) How many tenant families have been evicted by the Housing Commission in the last two financial years.
- *6. The Hon. A. R. Mansell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What is the salary and commission paid to officers of the Grain Elevators Board as silo receivers of wheat.
 - (b) Who decides the rates of pay, and by whom are they paid.
 - (c) On the estimate of a 78 million bushel wheat crop for this season, what would be the added cost if the rate of pay to receivers at silos was made at the same rate as barley receivers.
- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) When was the last general salary claim presented to the Teachers Tribunal.
 - (b) Why has the Teachers Tribunal refused permission to the Victorian Teachers Union to present a general salary claim.
 - (c) What precedents are there for this refusal.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

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- *8. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many fire fighting personnel from Metropolitan Fire Brigades and the Melbourne Harbor Trust attended the fire which broke out at the Newport wharves on the 14th November, 1964.
 - (b) What was the strength of the personnel and units left at the Newport Fire Station after the fire broke out on the wharves.
 - (c) How many police personnel were engaged at the scene of the fire.
- *9. The Hon. A. R. Mansell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) What is the value of the fidelity bonds required from merchants and agents operating at the Queen Victoria Market.
 - (b) How many merchants and agents became insolvent during the years 1962-63 and 1963-64, respectively.
 - (c) Has the Minister any knowledge of any merchant's or agent's cheques for produce not being honoured by banks during the last twelve months.
 - (d) Does the Government intend to carry on with the Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents Bill.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) When will the jetport now under construction at Tullamarine be open for traffic.
 - (b) What transport arrangements are being made to service traffic to and from the jetport.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Have all the charges which were levied on school canteen committees this year for electricity and/or gas supplied to and used in school canteens been refunded; if not, from which schools have the refunds been withheld, and what are the respective amounts involved.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many temporary classrooms will be—(i) in use; or (ii) available for allocation, at the commencement of the 1965 school year.
 - (b) What is the average current construction cost of each such classroom.
 - (c) What are the current costs involved in an average re-siting of a temporary classroom.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. LAND TAX (RATES AND EXEMPTIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. Juries (Women Jurors) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *3. Water Supply Loan Application Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *4. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *5. Acquisition of Materials Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 6. RAILWAYS (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 7. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 8. Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 9. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 10. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 11. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 12. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 13. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 14. MAINTENANCE BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).

TUESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Public Works Loan Application Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 2. MEDICAL (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 3. Motor Car (Fines and Drivers' Licence Fees) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 5. STAMPS (MOTOR CAR) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 6. Consumers Protection Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 14.

TUESDAY, 17th NOVEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

Game (Black Swans) Act.

Latrobe Valley (Amendment) Act.

Local Government (St. Kilda and Elwood Land Reclamation) Act.

State Forests Loan Application Act.

Portland Harbor Trust (Borrowing Powers) Act.

- 3. Water Supply Loan Application Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and other Purposes relating to Irrigation Water Supply Drainage Sewerage Flood Protection and River Improvement, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Continuous Courses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 147/1964).

Health Act 1958-

Food and Drug Standards Amendment (Date of Operation) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 146/1964).

Offensive Trades (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 143/1964).

Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions) Amendment Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 144/1964).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.

Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the year 1963-64.

Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Act 1961—Report of the Rural Finance and Settlement Commission, together with Balance-sheets, Profit and Loss Accounts, Receipts and Payments Account and Statements of Balances, for the year 1963-64 (twelve papers).

State Development Act 1958—Report of the State Development Committee on Extractive Industries. State Electricity Commission Act 1958—Yallourn Town Advisory Council Elections (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 145/1964).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Morwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 7, 1961.

5. Public Works Loan Application Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 6. Sewerage Districts Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 7. Medical (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

8. Motor Car (Fines and Drivers' Licence Fees) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 9. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.
- 10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 11. Land Tax (Rates and Exemptions) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to declare the Rates of Land Tax for the Year ending the Thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five, to make Provision with respect to certain Exemptions from Land Tax and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 12. STAMPS (MOTOR CAR) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable A. Todd, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

13. Consumers Protection Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 14. Public Lands and Works Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to dissolve the Board of Land and Works, to make Provision with respect to Property vested in or held by the said Board and its Powers Functions and Obligations, to validate certain Acts and Contracts of the said Board and to change the Titles of the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey and the Commissioner of Public Works respectively, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 15. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

- 16. Juries (Women Jurors) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Juries Act 1958" and the "Women's Qualification Act 1958" with respect to Jury Service by Women" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, for the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 17. Trustee Companies (Affidavits) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 18. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9, be postponed until later this day.
- 19. Maintenance (Reciprocating State) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 20. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 11, be postponed until later this day.
- 21. Municipal Association (Accident Insurance) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 22. Crimes (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 23. Acquisition of Materials Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Fifty of the Country Roads Act 1958' Section Sixty-three of the Lands Compensation Act 1958' Section Six hundred and fifty-eight of the Local Government Act 1958' and Section Three hundred and eight of the Water Act 1958' and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 24. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-two minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

No. 15.

WEDNESDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o'clock be suspended on Tuesday next and that on Tuesday next the Council shall meet at a quarter to Four o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 3. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—
 - Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Wednesday next.
 - Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
- 4. Juries (Women Jurors) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

5. Land Tax (Rates and Exemptions) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

6. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 7. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.
- 8. Railways (Long Service Leave) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 9. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 and 8, be postponed until later this day.
- 10. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

11. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

12. Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 13. Water Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Water Act 1958' and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 14. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 15. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 and 12, be postponed until later this day.
- 16. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

17. Railway Loan Application Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 18. National Parks (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'National Parks Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

19. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question-put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at eight minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day,

No. 15.

TUESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What amount of money was allocated by the Country Roads Board and what amount was expended during each of the last four financial years in the metropolitan planning area.
 - (b) What amount was allocated to each division outside the metropolitan planning area.
- 2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) When was the last general salary claim presented to the Teachers Tribunal.
 - (b) Why has the Teachers Tribunal refused permission to the Victorian Teachers Union to present a general salary claim.
 - (c) What precedents are there for this refusal.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—What are the names and locations of industries involved in the processing of milk, fruit and other similar rural produce on their present sites for a period of over three years, which have been now approved as decentralized industries under the recent amendment to the Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. Тripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many licences were issued as of right—(i) for vehicles used by primary producers; and (ii) to traders and manufacturers, to carry their own goods during the years 1949–50, 1959–60, 1962–63, and 1963–64, respectively.
 - (b) What was the total number of discretionary licences issued during each of these periods.
- *5. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Have four permanent classrooms been constructed at State School 4820, Doveton West; if so, who was the successful tenderer, and for what amount.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) Are railway employees being appointed to the positions of shunter or yard assistant with shunting duties at the age of 19 years; if so, how many are so employed and at what locations.
 - (b) If the answer to question (a) is in the affirmative—(i) why has it become necessary to depart from previous practice and make such appointments at a junior age; (ii) are the appointments made subject to some period of training and experience; if so, what are the conditions; and (iii) have there been any accidents among junior appointees; if so, how many shunting accidents have taken place, and what personal injuries have been suffered in each instance.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 2. Acquisition of Materials Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *3. WATER BILL-(from Assembly-Hon. R. W. Mack)-Second reading.
- *4. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

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- 5. Local Government (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 6. Public Works Loan Application Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 7. MEDICAL (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 8. Motor Car (Fines and Drivers' Licence Fees) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 9. Consumers Protection Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 10. STAMPS (MOTOR CAR) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 11. Juries (Women Jurors) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 12. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 13. Land Tax (Rates and Exemptions) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 14. STOCK FOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 15. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 16. MAINTENANCE BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).

WEDNESDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

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SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 16.

WEDNESDAY 25TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What areas have been taken up under the Land (Plantation Areas) Act 1959, and who obtained each such area.
- *2. The Hon. Murray Byrne: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Is the Minister aware that the Commonwealth Government has precluded from the Commonwealth housing grant purchasers of houses built on land held under Residence Area Titles.
 - (b) In view of the large number of Residence Area Titles in Ballarat, Bendigo, Stawell and Ararat, what is the Minister or the Department of Crown Lands and Survey prepared to do to see that prospective purchasers are not precluded from the benefits of the Commonwealth housing legislation.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Is it the intention of the Government to have one of the all-party committees investigate the setting up of one port authority in Port Phillip Bay.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—Apart from the firms named in the answer to Question No. 3 asked in the House on the 24th November, 1964, what other rural industries have been declared as "approved industries" under the Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958, and where is each located.
- *5. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many landowners were affected by the recent road widening of the Korumburra-Leongatha road by the Country Roads Board.
 - (b) Has all compensation been paid for land acquired by the Board for this road widening; if not, why.
 - (c) Have the entrances to the properties been fixed to the satisfaction of the owners.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Did the shunting accident at Dandenong referred to in the answer to Question No. 6 asked in the House on the 24th November, 1964, result in the amputation at the wrist of the junior shunter's hand.
- *7. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey made an announcement concerning a land settlement project at Rochester; if so—
 (i) when and to whom was this announcement made; (ii) what is the extent of the area involved; (iii) how many separate farms are contained in this area; (iv) how many families are at present living on these farms; and (v) how many soldier settlement farms are contained in this area.
- *8. The Hon. I. A. Swinburne: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—In respect of work carried out by the Housing Commission in slum reclamation, housing in the metropolitan area, and housing in country areas, respectively—(i) what was the total amount spent in each of the last three financial years; (ii) what is proposed to be spent during the present financial year; (iii) how many units were erected in each of the past three financial years; and (iv) how many units will be erected this financial year.
- *9. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What is the estimated revenue of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for 1965 on the improvement rate of 4d. on the municipal valuations which become operative in 1964.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *10. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Acting Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What number of outbreaks of fruit fly occurred in the Orbost Shire last year, and where were such outbreaks located.
 - (b) What was the cost, last financial year, of maintaining fruit fly blocks in East Gippsland, and what has been the cost to date this year.
- *11. The Hon. Murray Byrne: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has the Country Roads Board an overall scheme or plan for the duplication of the Ballarat-Melbourne road; if so, what estimated amounts will be spent on the duplication work during the financial years 1964-65, 1965-66, and 1966-67, respectively.
- *12. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—Will he give favourable consideration to allowing the Cohuna Agricultural Society to use their pavilion for their Grand National Show on 13th March, 1965, in view of the facts that—(i) the Society is applying for a grant from the Minister of Agriculture towards a new pavilion; (ii) tenders have been called for the construction of a new pavilion; and (iii) time will almost certainly not permit the completion of the new pavilion by March, 1965.
- *13. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has any Government instrumentality carried out a survey to find out whether the colour of motor vehicles is a factor in road accidents, particularly those involving collisions between motor vehicles; if not, will the Government consider making such a survey with a view to recommending the most readily seen colours of motor vehicles to both manufacturers and the public.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. VALUATION OF LAND (VALUATIONS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. HEALTH (OFFENSIVE TRADES) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *3. Swine Compensation Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- 4. WATER BILL-(from Assembly-Hon. R. W. Mack)-Second reading.
- 5. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 6. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
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- 17. Land Tax (Rates and Exemptions) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

TUESDAY, 1st DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. National Parks (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 2. Acquisition of Materials Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 3. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

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- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 17.

THURSDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many landowners were affected by the recent road widening of the Korumburra-Leongatha road by the Country Roads Board.
 - (b) Has all compensation been paid for land acquired by the Board for this road widening; if not, why.
 - (c) Have the entrances to the properties been fixed to the satisfaction of the owners.
- 2. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—In respect of work carried out by the Housing Commission in slum reclamation, housing in the metropolitan area, and housing in country areas, respectively—(i) what was the total amount spent in each of the last three financial years; (ii) what is proposed to be spent during the present financial year; (iii) how many units were erected in each of the past three financial years; and (iv) how many units will be erected this financial year.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has the withdrawal of station staff from metropolitan railway stations after given times as shown in Hansard Vol. 274, pages 3275 and 3276, been altered; if so, what withdrawals and/or restorations have been made, and at what stations.
- *4. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Is it the policy of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission to charge irrigator divertors under licence 17s. per acre foot; if so—(i) how is this charge arrived at; and (ii) is any portion of such charge to meet the capital cost of the storage works.
 - (b) Is it intended that as 15-year licences fall due for renewal, such renewals be made on the basis of 17s. per acre foot.
- *5. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—When is it now estimated by the Government that Kings Bridge will fulfil the full functions for which it was intended.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What is the estimated total cost of the construction of the proposed bridge over Darebin Creek to join Murray-road and Southern-road at the Northland shopping site.
 - (b) Who will be the constructing authority for the bridge.
 - (c) How will the cost be apportioned, and to whom.
 - (d) How much will each party pay.
 - (e) When is the construction of the bridge to be started, and when is it likely to be finished.
- *7. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Acting Minister of Agriculture-
 - (a) How many check testers are employed by the Department of Agriculture for the purpose of check testing butter fat content in suppliers' milk.
 - (b) How often do they check each milk factory.
 - (c) Where are they stationed throughout Victoria.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Has any inquiry been made into the cladding material which has a bituminous impregnation and is being fitted to houses.
 - (b) Is the Government aware that some of this material is inflammable.
 - (c) What action has been taken to stop it being fitted to houses.
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- *9. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many houses have been provided since 1st July, 1963, for persons of aboriginal descent, stating when, and in what towns they were sited.
- *10. The Hon. H. A. Hewson: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Does the Country Roads Board have plans to direct the Princes-highway to the south of Moe along Service-road to connect with the new by-pass road now being constructed in order to avoid the Haunted Hills; if so, when does it plan to commence construction.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many breathalyzer testing units are now in operation.
 - (b) How many tests have been carried out since 17th September, 1963, and with what result.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

*1. The Hon. L. H. S. Thompson: To move, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Four o'clock be suspended until the end of December next and that until the end of December next the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be Four o'clock and on Wednesdays half-past Two o'clock.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. ESTATE AGENTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. POLICE OFFENCES (BETTING INFORMATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
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TUESDAY, 1st DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. National Parks (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
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- 3. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
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- 5. Swine Compensation Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 6. Water Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 16.

TUESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

Sewerage Districts Act.

Consolidated Revenue Act.

Municipal Association (Accident Insurance) Act.

Railways (Long Service Leave) Act.

Country Roads (Amendment) Act.

Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Act.

Railway Loan Application Act.

Disposal of Uncollected Goods (Damaged Motor Cars) Act.

- 3. Pesticides Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - Ordered—That the amendments be taken into consideration on the next day of meeting.
- 4. Swine Compensation Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Six of the 'Swine Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 5. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (DAMAGED MOTOR CARS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 6. Health (Offensive Trades) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. W. Mack, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Health Act* 1958 with respect to Offensive Trades, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 7. Valuation of Land (Valuations) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Valuation of Land Act* 1960 and the *Local Government Act* 1958 with respect to Land Valuations and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 8. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Cooking Trade) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 151/1964).

Apprenticeship (General) (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 150/1964).

Apprenticeship (Sheet Metal Trade) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 152/1964).

Coal Mines Act 1958—Report of the General Manager of the State Coal Mines, including the State Coal Mines Balance-sheet and Statement of Accounts, for the year 1963-64.

Fisheries Act 1958—Commercial Fisheries Council (Fees) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 149/1964).

Friendly Societies Act 1958, Trade Unions Act 1958, and Benefit Associations Act 1958—Report of the Registrar of Friendly Societies for the year 1963-64.

Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (General Amendment No. 4) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 153/1964).

National Fitness Council of Victoria Act 1960—General Report of Activities, Account of Receipts and Expenditure and Balance-sheet of the National Fitness Council of Victoria for the year 1963-64 (two papers).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—

Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.

Part VI.—Travelling and other Expenses.

Racing Act 1958—Racing (Totalizator) Amendment Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 148/1964).

9. Public Lands and Works Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 10. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until later this day.
- 11. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

12. Acquisition of Materials Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 13. Postponment of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5, be postponed until later this day.
- 14. Public Works Loan Application Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved-That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- 15. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 10 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 16. Juries (Women Jurors) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable P. V. Feltham moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

17. Medical (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable B. D. Snider moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

And then the Council, at ten minutes past Six o'clock adjourned until to-morrow.

No. 17.

WEDNESDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Motor Car (Carriers' Identification Marks) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Sixteen of the Motor Car Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 3. Police Offences (Betting Information) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section One hundred and twenty-two of the 'Police Offences Act 1958' with respect to the Publication of Betting Information" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 4. ESTATE AGENTS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to Estate Agents" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 5. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (AFFIDAVITS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 6. Maintenance (Reciprocating State) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 7. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
- 8. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

 Debate resumed.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

9. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—

Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until the next day of meeting.

Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.

10. Health (Offensive Trades) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

11. Swine Compensation Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

12. Water Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

13. Valuation of Land (Valuations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

14. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

15. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Labour and Industry Act 1958", and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

And then the Council, at thirty-two minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 18.

THURSDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Marine (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Marine Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 3. Railways (Funds) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Railways Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—Part IX.—

Statements of Appointments and Alterations of Classifications in the Departments of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly (two papers).

Statements of persons temporarily employed in the Departments of the Legislative Council, the Legislative Assembly, and the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee (three papers).

5. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Four o'clock be suspended until the end of December next and that until the end of December next the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be Four o'clock and on Wednesdays half-past Two o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

6. ESTATE AGENTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

7. Police Offences (Betting Information) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

- 8. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 3, be postponed until later this day.
- 9. Motor Car (Carriers' Identification Marks) Bill .- The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 10. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 and 6, be postponed until later this day.
- 11. MOTOR CAR (FINES AND DRIVERS' LICENCE FEES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read-

Debate resumed.

Question-put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter,

T. H. Grigg,

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson, R. W. Mack,

A. R. Mansell (Teller),

R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom (Teller),

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie (Teller),

D. G. Elliot,

J. W. Galbally, A. W. Knight,

S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell (Teller),

A. Todd,

J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved-That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

12. MEDICAL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

13. MOTOR CAR (FINES AND DRIVERS' LICENCE FEES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

- 14. Paper.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - State Electricity Commission Act 1958—Report of the State Electricity Commission for the year 1963-64.
- 15. Public Works Loan Application Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 16. Stamps Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act relating to Stamp Duties, to amend the Stamps Act 1958, to amend Section Seven of the Probate Duty Act 1962, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 17. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 14 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 18. Juries (Women Jurors) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 19. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at six minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 18.

TUESDAY, 1st DECEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many landowners were affected by the recent road widening of the Korumburra-Leongatha road by the Country Roads Board.
 - (b) Has all compensation been paid for land acquired by the Board for this road widening; if not, why.
 - (c) Have the entrances to the properties been fixed to the satisfaction of the owners.
- 2. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What is the estimated total cost of the construction of the proposed bridge over Darebin Creek to join Murray-road and Southern-road at the Northland shopping site.
 - (b) Who will be the constructing authority for the bridge.
 - (c) How will the cost be apportioned, and to whom.
 - (d) How much will each party pay.
 - (e) When is the construction of the bridge to be started, and when is it likely to be finished.
- *3. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Acting Minister of Agriculture—What were the total payments in each of the last three years from the Swine Compensation Fund, to whom were the twelve highest payments made, and for what diseases.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) With respect to the year 1963-64—(i) what was the total amount spent on education; (ii) what was the total number of primary and secondary State schools, respectively; (iii) what was the total number of pupils enrolled to attend these schools; (iv) what was the total number of teachers engaged in such schools, and how many of these were qualified teachers.
 - (b) How many trainee teachers are now in training, and what is the number expected to be available for allocation to schools in February, 1965.
- *5. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What amount of money has been spent on purchase, renovation and rebuilding of the Family Welfare Centre of the Social Welfare Branch, in Victoria-street, Ballarat.
 - (b) How many people are employed there.
 - (c) What area of the State is it intended that the Centre should serve.
- *6. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What is the present position concerning the six Housing Commission homes under construction at Rochester.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that these houses will be completed.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What police personnel stationed at Ascot Vale, Moonee Ponds, Essendon, and Glenroy, respectively, is available for normal police duties.
 - (b) Are these forces supplemented during any period of the week for normal police duties.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

*1. The Hon. L. H. S. Thompson: To move, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that no new business shall be taken after the hour of half-past Ten o'clock be suspended until the end of this month and that until the end of this month new business may be taken at any hour.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. Marine (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *3. RAILWAYS (FUNDS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *4. STAMPS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 5. Local Government (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 6. STOCK FOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 7. Maintenance Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 8. Pesticides Bill-Amendments of the Assembly-To be considered.
- 9. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 10. STAMPS (MOTOR CAR) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 11. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 12. Land Tax (Rates and Exemptions) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 13. Motor Car (Carriers' Identification Marks) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 14. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 15. National Parks (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 16. Acquisition of Materials Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 17. Health (Offensive Trades) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 18. Swine Compensation Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 19. Water Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 20. VALUATION OF LAND (VALUATIONS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 21. Consumers Protection Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

THURSDAY, 3RD DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Estate Agents Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd.)
- 2. Police Offences (Betting Information) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 19.

WEDNESDAY, 2nd DECEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

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- *1. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What was the total amount spent on education in the year 1963-64.
- *2. The Hon. J. W. Galbally: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Will he lay on the table of the Library the full text of the agreement made between the Liberal and Country Party and the Country Party to enable the Government to stay in office; if not, will the Minister say why an agreement expressed to be in the public interest should not be available to Parliament.
 - (b) Have the terms of the said agreement been altered, added to or varied in any respect; if so, how.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Is the present bridge over the Maribyrnong River in Maribyrnong-road-Raleigh-road to be replaced; if so, when is it anticipated that—(i) the work will be commenced; and (ii) the new bridge will be opened for traffic.
 - (b) Was any money allocated in the 1963-64 financial year for this work; if so, how much money was spent and what works were achieved.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—In view of the fact that there are no public maternity beds available at the Dandenong and District Hospital, will the Minister give an assurance that public maternity beds will be provided.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—When does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works intend to lay the water main on the north side of Highett-street, Richmond, from West Richmond railway station to Church-street.
- *6. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) Is the Minister aware of a New South Wales Housing Commission plan to introduce terrace housing into its current programme.
 - (b) Will the Minister investigate the plan with a view to its adoption by the Victorian Housing Commission if found suitable.
- *7. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Acting Minister of Agriculture—What negotiations have taken place between the Victorian Inland Meat Authority and Sims Cooper Pty. Limited in respect of the transfer of slaughtering at country abattoirs, and when is it contemplated that the transfer will take place.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) When was the Lilydale-Warburton railway line first opened for traffic.
 - (b) Was any "betterment rate" or any other rate levied on landholders or other persons in the area as a contribution towards the cost of constructing the line; if so, how much money was collected.
 - (c) In respect of each of the past ten years, what has been—(i) the total revenue earned; and (ii) the total operating and maintenance costs.
 - (d) Is the line to be closed altogether or is it now proposed to close it to passenger traffic only and to run a restricted goods service; if so, when was a decision made, by whom, and for what reason.
 - (e) What amount of revenue based on present costs would have to be earned annually to allow the present service to remain in operation.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

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- *9. The Hon. Murray Byrne: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What amount of money has been spent by the Education Department during the past twelve months at the Stawell Technical School on—(i) capital works; and (ii) maintenance.
 - (b) In view of the increased enrolment and overcrowding at this school, when does the Department intend to commence the building of new class-rooms.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Are any members of the Cabinet holding directorships of public companies; if so—(i) what Ministers are concerned; and (ii) with what companies.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Superannuation (Time for Election) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. HEALTH (HOUSEHOLD INSECTICIDES) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *3. Tattersall Consultations (Jackpot Consultations) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *5. CANCER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *6. WATER (RECREATIONAL AREAS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *7. Monash University (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *8. Friendly Societies (Assignment of Contracts) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *9. Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- 10. VALUATION OF LAND (VALUATIONS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 11. Health (Offensive Trades) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 12. MAINTENANCE BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 13. Swine Compensation Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 14. Motor Car (Carriers' Identification Marks) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 15. National Parks (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 16. Acquisition of Materials Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 17. STAMPS (MOTOR CAR) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 18. Land Tax (Rates and Exemptions) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 19. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 20. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 21. Water Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 22. Consumers Protection Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

THURSDAY, 3RD DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Estate Agents Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd.)
- 2. Police Offences (Betting Information) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).

TUESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 2. Marine (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 3. Railways (Funds) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 4. Stamps Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

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SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 20.

THURSDAY, 3RD DECEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What is the total number of widows now receiving pensions under the old police pension scheme, and what is the total amount paid to them each fortnight.
 - (b) Did a deputation from the Retired Police Association make representations to the Assistant Chief Secretary on 15th August, 1962, requesting an upward adjustment to the amounts then paid; if so, what decision was reached, and has the association been advised accordingly.
 - (c) If consideration is not yet completed, and as the Government admits the inadequacy of the pensions paid to police widows (see Hansard Vol. 269, page 2710) will finalization of the matter be hastened to enable any adjustments to be made at the earliest possible date.
 - (d) On what dates were any previous revisions of these pension rates made and what increased amounts were granted.
 - (e) Why has such a long period of time elapsed since the last adjustment.
- *2. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Will he lay on the table of the Library all papers relating to the Bemm River School together with copies of letters relating to the official opening on Saturday, 28th November last.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Acting Minister of Agriculture—Will he lay on the table of the Library the file with respect to negotiations between Swift Australian Co. (Pty.) Ltd. and the Victorian Inland Meat Authority.
- *4. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Acting Minister of Agriculture-
 - (a) How frequently do check testers visit dairy factories for purposes of check testing milk or cream.
 - (b) How long are factories required to retain samples of milk and cream for purposes of being check tested.
 - (c) How frequently are factories required to send to suppliers statements indicating weight and test of milk or cream supplied.
 - (d) Will steps be taken to co-ordinate the visits of check testers so that they visit factories immediately after suppliers' statements are sent out.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) On what date was the construction of the Olympic Village, Heidelberg, commenced and when was it completed and handed over for the use of athletes attending the Olympic Games.
 - (b) Did the village contain sections of row or terraced housing.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *3. Housing (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- 4. HEALTH (HOUSEHOLD INSECTICIDES) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
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- *5. THE DECENTRALIZATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *6. Education (School Committees) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- 7. VALUATION OF LAND (VALUATIONS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes.)
- 8. Estate Agents Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd.)
- 9. Police Offences (Betting Information) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 10. Acquisition of Materials Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 11. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 12. Consumers Protection Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 13. Tattersall Consultations (Jackpot Consultations) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 14. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 15. WATER (RECREATIONAL AREAS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 16. Water Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 17. Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon .V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 18. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 19. MAINTENANCE BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 2. Marine (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 3. Railways (Funds) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 4. Stamps Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 5. Superannuation (Time for Election) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 6. Cancer (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 7. Monash University (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 8. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (ASSIGNMENT OF CONTRACTS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. W. Mack).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 19.

TUESDAY, 1st DECEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Vacancy in the Senate.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor transmitting a copy of the following despatch:—

Parliament House, Canberra, A.C.T.,

Your Excellency,

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 21 of the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution, I have the honour to notify Your Excellency that a vacancy has happened in the representation of the State of Victoria through the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter Wade, which occurred on the 18th November, 1964.

I have the honour to be,

Your Excellency's obedient servant,

(Signed) A. M. McMULLIN,

President of the Senate.

His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria,

Government House,

Melbourne, Victoria.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be now taken into consideration.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this House meet the Legislative Assembly for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose a person to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter Wade.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them with the foregoing resolution and requesting them to name the place and time of such meeting.

- 3. Health (Household Insecticides) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. W. Mack, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Health Act* 1958 and the *Pesticides Act* 1958 with respect to Household Insecticides and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 4. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—Agricultural Colleges (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 157/1964).

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Boilermaking Trades) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 160/1964).

Apprenticeship (Bread Trade) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 161/1964).

Apprenticeship (Dental Mechanic Trade) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 162/1964).

Apprenticeship (Pastrycooking Trade) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 163/1964).

(200 copies.)

Apprenticeship (Radio Trade) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 164/1964).

Companies Act 1961—Companies Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 165/1964).

Fungicides Act 1958—Fungicides Registration (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 155/1964).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Report of the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board for the Pool year ended 4th July, 1964.

5806/64.

- Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—Statement of Accounts together with particulars of Rates made for the year 1963-64.
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Amendment of Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations (S.R. No. 154/1964).
- Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Dairy Produce (Verification Fees) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 158/1964).
- Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958—Financial Statements of the Portland Harbor Trust Commissioners for the year 1963-64 (three papers).
- Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).
- Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages Act 1959—Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Fees) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 159/1964).
- Stock Foods Act 1958—Stock Foods Registration (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 156/1964).
- Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Inland Meat Authority for the year 1963-64.
- 5. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that no new business shall be taken after the hour of half-past Ten o'clock be suspended until the end of this month and that until the end of this month new business may be taken at any hour.
 - Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 6. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 7. Marine (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 8. Railways (Funds) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 9. STAMPS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 10. Local Government (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 11. Superannuation (Time for Election) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Superannuation Act 1963'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 12. TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (JACKPOT CONSULTATIONS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Tattersall Consultations Act 1958" with respect to Accumulating Prizes and for Purposes connected therewith" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

- 13. Cancer (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to repeal Section Fifty-one of the 'Cancer Act 1958' and to apply the Balance of any Fund established under that Section for the purchase of Land and Property for the use of the Cancer Institute Board and to amend Section Fifty-four of that Act" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 14. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (FEES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to fix a New Scale of Factory Registration Fees, to repeal the Tobacco Sellers Act 1958, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 15. Monash University (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Monash University Act 1958" and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 16. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (ASSIGNMENT OF CONTRACTS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Friendly Societies Act 1958' by making Provision with respect to Assignment of certain Contracts and Registration of Assignments, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 17. Water (Recreational Areas) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Water Act 1958" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 18. Vacancy in the Senate.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to meet the Council for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose a person to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter Wade, and, as requested by the Council, naming the Assembly Chamber at Three o'clock on Wednesday, the 9th December instant, as the place and time of such meeting.
- 19. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 20. Postponement of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.
- 21. Pesticides Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows:—
 - 1. Clause 3, line 44, omit "definition" and insert "interpretation".
 - 2. Clause 7, line 3, omit "(a)" and insert "(1)".
 - 3. Clause 7, line 8, omit "(b)" and insert "(2)".
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Council agreed to the amendments made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
- 22. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

23. Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Boilers Inspection Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

24. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question-put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-three minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until tomorrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 20.

WEDNESDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

Trustee Companies (Affidavits) Act.

Maintenance (Reciprocating State) Act.

Crimes (Amendment) Act.

Motor Car (Fines and Drivers' Licence Fees) Act.

Public Works Loan Application Act.

Juries (Women Jurors) Act.

3. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Thursdays shall be Eleven o'clock be suspended during the remainder of this month and that during the remainder of this month the Council shall meet on Thursdays at half-past Nine o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

4. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 47) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 167/1964).

Exhibition Act 1957—The Exhibition Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 166/1964).

Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Report of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board for the year

5. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Debate ensued.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

- 6. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until Wednesday next.
- 7. Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Sub-section (1) of Section Seventy-six of the Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 8. Racing (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Racing Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

- 9. Superannuation (Time for Election) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable A. W. Knight, for the Honorable I. R. Cathie, moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 10. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until later this day.
- 11. Labour and Industry (Fees) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
- 12. Cancer (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 13. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 6, be postponed until later this day.
- 14. Monash University (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 15. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (ASSIGNMENT OF CONTRACTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 16. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9, be postponed until later this day.
- 17. Valuation of Land (Valuations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—Debate resumed.
 - The Honorable I. A. Swinburne, for the Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
- 18. Health (Offensive Trades) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
 - House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 19. Housing (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Housing Act 1958', and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 20. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 12 and 13, be postponed until later this day.
- 21. Motor Car (Carriers' Identification Marks) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
- Resolved-That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

22. MAINTENANCE BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved-That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolved itself into the said Committee.

23. MOTOR CAR (CARRIERS' IDENTIFICATION MARKS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time
- Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 24. The Decentralization Advisory Committee Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituded "An Act to establish The Decentralization Advisory Committee and for Purposes connected therewith" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 25. Swine Compensation Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 26. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 15 and 16, be postponed until later this day.
- 27. STAMPS (MOTOR CAR) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 22. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Sir Percy Byrnes, W. M. Campbell (Teller), M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham, W. R. Garrett, C. S. Gawith, F. J. Granter, J. M. Walton. T. H. Grigg, K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, H. A. Hewson, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack, A. R. Mansell, R. W. May (Teller), G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider, I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie, D. G. Elliot, J. W. Galbally, A. W. Knight, S. Merrifield, G. J. O'Connell, A. Todd (Teller), J. M. Tripovich (Teller),

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

- 28. Education (School Committees) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Education Act 1958" with respect to the Powers and Functions of School Committees, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 29. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put, was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 30. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 31. Land Tax (Rates and Exemptions) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 32. TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (JACKPOT CONSULTATIONS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

33. WATER (RECREATIONAL AREAS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

34. Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

And then the Council, at five minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 21.

THURSDAY, 3RD DECEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. National Parks (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.

- 3. State Electricity Commission (Contributions) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the State Electricity Commission Act 1958' with respect to Transfers of Funds to and from the Consolidated Revenue" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. Paper.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.
- 5. Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

6. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

7. Housing (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 8. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
- 9. The Decentralization Advisory Committee Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

- 10. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 7, be postponed until later this day.
- 11. Estate Agents Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 12. THEATRES (SUNDAY FILMS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Part I. of the 'Theatres Act 1958' with respect to the Exhibition of Films or Cinematograph Displays on Sundays and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 13. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 to 11 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

14. Consumers Protection Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 15. Tattersall Consultations (Jackpot Consultations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 16. Forests (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Forests Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 17. LICENSING (DINING PERMITS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to make Provision for the Granting of Dining Permits to authorize the Sale or Disposal of Liquor with Meals to be supplied at the Exhibition Buildings in Melbourne during the Third Australian Industries Fair" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 18. Theatres (Sunday Films) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

19. Education (School Committees) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

20. Forests (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 21. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 14 and 15, be postponed until later this day.
- 22. Water Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

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23. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (FEES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question,
That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was
resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 24. LICENSING (DINING PERMITS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

25. State Electricity Commission (Contributions) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 26. MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (WELFARE AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Marine Stores and Old Metals Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, for the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 27. Melbourne Sailors' Home Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Trustees of certain Land upon which is erected the Melbourne Sailors' Home to sell or lease that Land to the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners, to make Provision with respect to the Application of Moneys held by the Trustees and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, for the Honorable R. J. Hamer, moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 28. MINES (EXPLORATION LICENCES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to make Provision for the Issue of Licences to explore for Gold or Minerals and for Purposes connected therewith" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 29. Motor Car (Hours of Driving) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Part IV. of the Motor Car Act 1958" and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 30. Consumers Protection Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have disagreed with the amendments made in such Bill by the Council.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration on the next day of meeting.

And then the Council, at twenty minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 21.

TUESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What is the total number of widows now receiving pensions under the old police pension scheme, and what is the total amount paid to them each fortnight.
 - (b) Did a deputation from the Retired Police Association make representations to the Assistant Chief Secretary on 15th August, 1962, requesting an upward adjustment to the amounts then paid; if so, what decision was reached, and has the association been advised accordingly.
 - (c) If consideration is not yet completed, and as the Government admits the inadequacy of the pensions paid to police widows (see Hansard Vol. 269, page 2710) will finalization of the matter be hastened to enable any adjustments to be made at the earliest possible date.
 - (d) On what dates were any previous revisions of these pension rates made and what increased amounts were granted.
 - (e) Why has such a long period of time elapsed since the last adjustment.
- *2. The Hon. F. J. Granter: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many garage and service station proprietors were fined for excess trading hours during the years 1962-63, 1963-64, and to date this year.
 - (b) What is the total amount of such fines for each of these periods.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Will he lay on the table of the Library the file dealing with the acceptance of the tender submitted by Universal Swimming Pools Pty. Ltd. to construct a swimming pool at Government House at a cost of £5,987.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Marine Stores and Old Metals (Welfare and Community Organizations) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. MINES (EXPLORATION LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *3. Motor Car (Hours of Driving) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *4. Melbourne Sailors' Home Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 5. Stamps Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 6. Superannuation (Time for Election) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 7. Valuation of Land (Valuations) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes.)
- 8. Police Offences (Betting Information) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 9. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

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- 10. Cancer (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 11. Marine (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 12. Monash University (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 13. Friendly Societies (Assignment of Contracts) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 14. Water Supply Loan Application Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 15. Acquisition of Materials Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *16. Forests (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 17. Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- *18. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 19. Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 20. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- *21. THEATRES (SUNDAY FILMS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *22. Housing (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 23. WATER (RECREATIONAL AREAS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 24. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 25. Education (School Committees) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- *26. LICENSING (DINING PERMITS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- *27. Consumers Protection Bill-Message from the Assembly-To be taken into consideration.
- 28. RAILWAYS (FUNDS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 29. HEALTH (HOUSEHOLD INSECTICIDES) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 30. Maintenance Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. W. Mack).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

THURSDAY, 10TH DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. The Decentralization Advisory Committee Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 22.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1964.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. R. Mansell: To ask the Honorable the Acting Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has a research officer of the Department of Agriculture recently been transferred from the Mildura-Robinvale area, or is one about to be transferred, if so—(i) what is the classification of this officer; and (ii) what is the Department's intention in regard to a replacement.
 - (b) What is the desirable number of officers to be stationed at Mildura-Robinvale.
 - (c) What positions are filled at present.
- *2. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Have negotiations been completed for the acquisition of a site for a high school in South Melbourne; if so, can an indication be given as to the date when tenders for construction of the school will be called.
- *3. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Is it the Government's intention to impose a mooring fee on boats engaged in the fishing industry if so—(i) when; and (ii) what will be the amount of such fee.
 - (b) How many boats are registered as professional fishing boats in Victoria.
 - (c) How many boats other than fishing boats are registered in Victoria.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Is there any defect in the law relating to "stratum" titles which prevents such titles being accepted for housing loans by the War Service Homes Commission and the State Savings Bank; if so, what amendment does the Government propose, and when.
- *5. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How long has the Lake Goldsmith school building been unoccupied.
 - (b) What is the Department's attitude in respect of the repeated representations made by the Shire of Ripon for the purchase or lease of the present school building as a public hall.
- *6. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—In view of the dilapidated, ant-ridden, dry-rotted, and crowded condition of the Rodney irrigation office at Tatura, will the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply give urgent consideration to the construction of modern offices on the site of the present office, in preference to moving the Rodney District office to the Construction Branch Buildings.
- *7. The Hon. H. A. Hewson: To ask the Honorable the Acting Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What future plans has the Department of Agriculture for the testing of registered pure breed herds under the Government standard herd testing.
 - (b) Is the new laboratory in operation for such purpose.
 - (c) Does the Department intend to admit herds now on the waiting list; if so—(i) when; and (ii) how many.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 - (a) Have any building extensions been requested or planned for the Royal Melbourne Hospital at Parkville; if so—(i) what extensions have been requested; and (ii) what (if any) have been approved, and (iii) where will they be sited.
 - (b) Has any consideration been given to or any decision made regarding acquiring portion of the site now occupied by the University High School adjacent to the hospital.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

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- *9. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many applications for Housing Commission homes have been received in respect of the towns of Boort and Pyramid Hill, respectively.
 - (b) Will he give urgent attention to the construction of Housing Commission homes in these two towns.
- *10. The Hon. Murray Byrne: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How long has the former girls' secondary school building in Hope-street, Ballarat, been unoccupied by the Education Department.
 - (b) Is the Department aware of the serious deterioration of the building and the vandalism taking place there.
 - (c) What are the intentions of the Department with respect to the use of the building and land.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many applications for Housing Commission homes from applicants with five or more dependent children were—(i) received; and (ii) granted, for tenancy and/or purchase, in each of the years 1960 to 1963, inclusive, and to date in 1964.
 - (b) What was the average income per week of the applicants as at the date of application.
 - (c) Is it the policy of the Commission to give priority to such families in need of housing.
 - (d) Is any special formula used for the calculation of rents for families with six or more dependent children; if so—(i) when was it introduced; (ii) how is it calculated: (iii) what would be the average weekly saving for a family of six children; and (iv) are the costs of such rebate offset in the same manner as other rental rebates granted by the Commission.
 - (e) How many of the tenancies granted to—(i) families with five dependent children; and (ii) families with six or more, have been subject to rental rebate concessions during each of the years mentioned in past (a) of this question.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. W. Mack).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Shell Pipelines Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- 2. Forests (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 3. Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 4. State Electricity Commission (Contributions) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 5. THEATRES (SUNDAY FILMS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 6. Housing (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 7. RAILWAYS (FUNDS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 8. Consumers Protection Bill-Message from the Assembly-To be taken into consideration.
- 9. Cancer (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 10. Monash University (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 11. Friendly Societies (Assignment of Contracts) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 12. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 13. Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

- 14. Racing (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 15. Marine Stores and Old Metals (Welfare and Community Organizations) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- *16. Cadet Surveyors Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 17. WATER (RECREATIONAL AREAS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 18. Education (School Committees) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- *19. Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *20. Tomato Processing Industry (Uniform Agreement) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 21. LICENSING (DINING PERMITS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 22. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 23. MINES (EXPLORATION LICENCES) BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 24. Motor Car (Hours of Driving) Bill.—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 25. Melbourne Sailors' Home Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 26. HEALTH (HOUSEHOLD INSECTICIDES) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 27. MAINTENANCE BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.

THURSDAY, 10TH DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. The Decentralization Advisory Committee Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

Standing Orders.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).-The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 23.

THURSDAY, 10th DECEMBER, 1964.

Question.

- 1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) Have any building extensions been requested or planned for the Royal Melbourne Hospital at Parkville; if so—(i) what extensions have been requested; and (ii) what (if any) have been approved, and (iii) where will they be sited.
 - (b) Has any consideration been given to or any decision made regarding acquiring portion of the site now occupied by the University High School adjacent to the hospital.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Melbourne Sailors' Home Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 2. Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 3. Public Lands and Works Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 4. Marine Stores and Old Metals (Welfare and Community Organizations) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 5. Tomato Processing Industry (Uniform Agreement) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- *6. Parliamentary Salaries Pensions and Superannuation Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 7. Friendly Societies (Assignment of Contracts) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 8. Consumers Protection Bill-Message from the Assembly-To be further considered.
- 9. Shell Pipelines Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 10. MINES (EXPLORATION LICENCES) BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 11. Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 12. Motor Car (Hours of Driving) Bill.—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 13. The Decentralization Advisory Committee Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- *14. Appropriation Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 15. HEALTH (HOUSEHOLD INSECTICIDES) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 16. MAINTENANCE BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. W. Mack).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

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- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 22.

TUESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. CADET SURVEYORS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to make Provision for Cadetships for Persons seeking to complete University Courses in Surveying, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 3. Water Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 4. Subordinate Legislation Committee.—The Honorable B. D. Snider brought up a Report from the Subordinate Legislation Committee upon the Cranes Regulations 1964 (Statutory Rule No. 121/1964). Ordered to lie on the Table.
- 5. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Monash University Act 1958—Monash University—

Report of the Council for the year 1963 (Part One).

Statutes approved by the Governor in Council during the year 1963 (ten papers.)

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—

Part II.—Appointments to the Public Service.

Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (three papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

Planning Schemes-

City of Broadmeadows Planning Scheme-Amendment No. 10, 1963.

Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 2, 1964 (Shire of South Barwon).

Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 9, 1963.

Report of the Town and Country Planning Board for the year 1962-63.

- 6. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
- 7. Mines (Exploration Licences) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

8. Motor Car (Hours of Driving) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 9. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
- 10. Stamps Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution:—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz.:—

Clause 3, paragraph (b), line 43, omit "sections" and insert "section".

Clause 3, paragraph (d), page 5, line 20, after "Act" insert "or to requiring a receipt to be given or tendered by a person who has given notice to the Comptroller of Stamps pursuant to sub-section (1) of section fifty-three A of this Act and who has not given a notice of revocation".

Clause 7, paragraph (b), page 19, line 39, after "One hundred pounds" insert the following words:—
"This sub-section does not apply to a policy or document which depends upon the life of a person who was at the time the policy or document was issued domiciled outside Victoria."

Clause 8, sub-clause (1), line 12, after "Instruments" insert '(Not otherwise chargeable with duty except under the heading "II. RECEIPTS" in the Third Schedule)'.

Clause 8, sub-clause (1), line 27, omit "Not Otherwise Charged with Duty" and insert (Not otherwise chargeable with duty except under the heading "II. RECEIPTS" in the Third Schedule)'—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

11. Superannuation (Time for Election) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

12. SHELL PIPELINES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize and facilitate the Construction and Operation of a Pipeline or Pipelines for the Transportation of Petroleum and Petroleum Products from or to the Refinery of Shell Refining (Australia) Proprietary Limited at Corio and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill except in relation to the payment of fees.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie, having produced a receipt showing that the sum of £20 had been paid into the Treasury for the public uses of the State to meet the expenses of the Bill, moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

- 13. Tomato Processing Industry (Uniform Agreement) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to improve Stability in the Tomato Processing Industry" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 14. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.

15. Police Offences (Betting Information) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 16. Valuation of Land (Valuations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 17. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 and 10, be postponed until later the day.
- 18. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 19. Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Legal Profession Practice Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 20. CADET SURVEYORS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

21. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 22. Stamps Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments and desire the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

23. Stamps Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.

24. Melbourne Sailors' Home Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

25. Marine Stores and Old Metals (Welfare and Community Organizations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer, moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 26. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 12 to 14 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 27. Acquisition of Materials Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

28. Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

29. Tomato Processing Industry (Uniform Agreement) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

30. Adjournment.—Alteration of Hour of Meeting.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at Ten o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

And the Council having continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock—

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1964.

Debate continued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at nine minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until this day.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 23.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

Pesticides Act.

La Trobe University Act.

National Parks (Amendment) Act.

Motor Car (Carriers' Indentification Marks) Act.

Swine Compensation Act.

Stamps (Motor Car) Act.

Land Tax (Rates and Exemptions) Act.

Estate Agents Act.

Tattersall Consultations (Jackpot Consultations) Act.

3. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Hospitals and Charities Act 1958—Report of the Hospitals and Charities Commission for the year 1963-64.

Land Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Broadmeadows and Brunswick (two papers).

- 4. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—
 - Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
 - Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
- 5. Shell Pipelines Bill.—The Order of the day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

6. Forests (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

7. Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

8. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read-

Debate resumed.

Question-put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke (Teller),

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham,

W. R. Garrett,

C. S. Gawith, F. J. Granter,

T. H. Grigg,

K. S. Gross (Teller),

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson,

A. J. Hunt,

R. W. Mack.

A. R. Mansell,

R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,

D. G. Elliot,

J. W. Galbally,

A. W. Knight (Teller),

S. Merrifield (Teller),

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie (Teller),

D. G. Elliot, J. W. Galbally, A. W. Knight,

S. Merrifield,

A. Todd,

G. J. O'Connell,

J. M. Tripovich, J. M. Walton (Teller).

J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

9. THEATRES (SUNDAY FILMS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question-put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham (Teller),

W. R. Garrett,

C. S. Gawith,

F. J. Granter,

T. H. Grigg,

K. S. Gross,

R. J. Hamer,

A. J. Hunt,

R. W. Mack,

R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom (Teller),

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

10. VACANCY IN THE SENATE.—The President announced that the time had arrived for this House to meet the Assembly in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose a person to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter

Accordingly, the Council then proceeded to the Assembly Chamber, and being returned-

- The President reported that this House had met the Assembly this day in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose a person to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter Wade, and that James Joseph Webster, Esquire, had been duly chosen to hold the vacant place.
- 11. Parliamentary Salaries Pensions and Superannuation Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Divisions Three and Four of Part II. of The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958", the Parliamentary Contributory Superannuation Act 1962 'and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 12. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 7, be postponed until later this day.
- 13. Consumers Protection Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Message from the Assembly disagreeing with the amendments made by the Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows:-

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the Legislative Assembly.

- 1. Clause 3, sub-clause (1), page 2, paragraph (c), omit this paragraph and insert the following paragraph:-
 - "() Four persons representing the interests of the consumers of whom one shall be selected after consultation with the Australian Consumers' Association one shall be selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister considers represent housewives one shall be selected after consultation with the Country Women's Association of Victoria and one shall be selected after consultation with the body known as the Melbourne Trades Hall Council.'
- 2. Clause 4, sub-clause (1), page 3, paragraph (d), line 2, omit "to the Minister for submission".

Disagreed with.

- 3. Clause 4, page 3, line 11, at the end of this clause insert the following sub-clause:—
 - "() For the purposes of this Act the Council shall have and may exercise in respect of the summoning and examining of witnesses and requiring any witness to produce any relevant books or documents in his custody possession or control the same powers as are by the Evidence Act 1958 conferred on a board appointed by the Governor in Council and the provisions of sections fourteen to sixteen of the Evidence Act 1958 with such adaptations as are necessary shall apply accordingly: Provided that every summons shall be signed by the chairman of the Council."

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the Council do not insist on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 14. The Hon. Murray Byrne, W. M. Campbell,

V. O. Dickie, W. R. Garrett,

C. S. Gawith,

F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg (Teller),

K. S. Gross,

R. J. Hamer,

A. J. Hunt (Teller),

R. W. Mack,

B. D. Snider, G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

I. R. Cathie,

M. A. Clarke,

D. G. Elliot (Teller),

P. V. Feltham,

J. W. Galbally,

H. A. Hewson (Teller),

A. W. Knight,

R. W. May,

S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell,

I. A. Swinburne,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton.

And so it passed in the negative.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, by leave, That a Free Conference be desired with the Assembly on the subject-matter of the provisions contained in the Consumers Protection Bill.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 16. Noes, 15. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, The Hon. Murray Byrne, W. M. Campbell, Sir Percy Byrnes, V. O. Dickie, I. R. Cathie, W. R. Garrett, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, P. V. Feltham, C. S. Gawith (Teller), F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg, J. W. Galbally, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight (Teller), R. W. May, K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, R. W. Mack. G. J. Nicol (Teller), G. J. O'Connell, B. D. Snider, G. W. Thom, I. A. Swinburne (Teller), A. Todd, J. M. Tripovich, L. H. S. Thompson. J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the following Members be appointed Managers of the Conference:—The Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes, I. A. Swinburne, M. A. Clarke, S. Merrifield, A. Todd, J. M. Tripovich, and the Mover.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council desire a Free Conference on the subject-matter of the provisions contained in the Bill, and acquainting them that the Council have appointed seven Members of the Council to be Managers.

Ordered—That the Message from the Assembly disagreeing with the amendments made by the Council in this Bill be further considered later this day.

- 14. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
- 15. APPROPRIATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue to the service of the year ending on the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

16. Housing (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and negatived.

Debate on main question continued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

17. Parliamentary Salaries Pensions and Superannuation Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

18. Appropriation Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

19. RAILWAYS (FUNDS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question-put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 21. The Hon. Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg, K. S. Gross (Teller), R. J. Hamer, H. A. Hewson, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack A. R. Mansell, R. W. May (Teller), G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider, I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson. Noes, 8.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield (Teller),
G. J. O'Connell,
J. M. Tripovich (Teller),
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was, after debate, read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

20. Paper.—The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, by leave, That there be laid before this House a copy of the plan of the proposed route of the pipeline to be constructed by Shell Refining (Australia) Proprietary Limited between its oil refinery in the Shire of Corio and its oil storage and manufacturing installations in the City of Williamstown.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The said copy of the plan was thereupon presented by the Honorable V. O. Dickie and ordered to lie on the Table.

- 21. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 to 13 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 22. Racing (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

23. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, No. 15 to 20 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

24. LICENSING (DINING PERMITS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 25. WATER (RECREATIONAL AREAS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 26. Monash University (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 27. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 28. Education (School Committees) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 29. Cancer (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time having been read—

Debate resumed.

And the Council having continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock— THURSDAY, 10th DECEMBER, 1964.

Debate continued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

30. CADET SURVEYORS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

And then the Council, at thirty minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until this day.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 24.

THURSDAY, 10th DECEMBER, 1964.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1958 (SECTION 655).—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Local Government Act 1958 (Section 655), together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

- 3. Papers.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—Parole Boards (Adult) and Parole Boards (Youth)—Reports for the year 1963-64 (four papers). Severally ordered to lie on the Table.
 - The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - Explosives Act 1960—Classification of Explosives Amendment No. 4/1964 (S.R. No. 169/1964).
 - Land Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Keilor (Tulla Park) and Preston East (two papers).
 - Motor Boating Act 1961—Hopkins River Authority (Motor Boating) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 168/1964).
 - Motor Car Act 1958 and Workers Compensation Act 1958—Report, Balance-sheets and Statements of Accounts for the year 1963-64 of the State Accident Insurance Office and the State Motor Car Insurance Office.
- 4. Housing (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
- 5. Social Welfare (Trainees) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 6. Health (Offensive Trades) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 7. Medical (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 8. Stock Foods (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 9. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 10. Marine Stores and Old Metals (Welfare and Community Organizations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

11. Tomato Processing Industry (Uniform Agreement) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 12. Melbourne Sailors' Home Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 13. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 6, be postponed until later this day.
- 14. Friendly Societies (Assignment of Contracts) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 15. Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 16. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 10 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 17. Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 18. Parliamentary Salaries Pensions and Superannuation Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and committed to a Committee of the whole.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

19. Public Lands and Works Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

20. SHELL PIPELINES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read-

Debate resumed.

Question-put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (Teller),

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham, W. R. Garrett,

F. J. Granter (Teller),

K. S. Gross,

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack,

A. R. Mansell,

R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,

D. G. Elliot, J. W. Galbally, A. W. Knight (Teller),

S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd (Teller),

J. M. Tripovich, J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- 21 POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 12, be postponed until later this day.
- 22. The Decentralization Advisory Committee Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

23. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:

Housing Act 1958—Report of the Housing Commission for the year 1963-64.

- 24. Consumers Protection Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that the Assembly do not comply with the desire of the Council for a Free Conference on the subject-matter of the provisions contained in the Bill intituled "An Act to constitute a Consumers Protection Council and for other purposes", and requesting the Council to acquaint the Assembly as to whether the Council insist on their amendments with which the Assembly have disagreed.
 - Ordered, after debate-That this Message be taken into consideration later this day in conjunction with the previous Message received from the Assembly disagreeing with the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.

25. Consumers Protection Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Messages from the Assembly relating to this Bill having been read—The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council insist on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 26. Friendly Societies (Assignment of Contracts) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
- 27. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 28. MINES (EXPLORATION LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

 House in Committee
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 29. Motor Car (Hours of Driving) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 30. Consumers Protection Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly insist on disagreeing with the amendments made and insisted on by the Council but have made amendments in the Bill with which they desire the concurrence of the Council.
 - Ordered-That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration later this day.
- 31. Valuation of Land (Valuations) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the amendments be taken into consideration later this day.

- 32. Valuation of Land (Valuations) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows:—
 - 1. Clause 4, page 3, line 7, omit "sub-sections (3) and (4)" and insert "sub-sections (3) or (4)".
 - 2. Clause 7, page 6, line 1, omit "sub-section (1)" and insert "sub-section (1A)".
 - 3. ,, page 6, lines 14-15, omit "paragraphs (g) or (h) of sub-section (1)" and insert "paragraph (g) of sub-section (1A)".
 - 4. , page 6, line 21, omit "substituted" and insert "inserted".
 - 5. , page 6, lines 23-24, omit "at the time of the making of the supplementary valuation".
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, and after debate, the Council agreed to the amendments made by the Assembly and ordered the Bill to be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
- 33. Shell Pipelines Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, and had amended the title thereof, which amended title is as follows:—
 "An Act to authorize and facilitate the Construction and Operation of a Pipeline for the Transportation of Petroleum and Petroleum Products from or to the Refinery of Shell Refining (Australia) Proprietory Limited at Corio and for other purposes."
- On the motion of the Honorable R. K. Bradbury, the Bill was re-committed to a Committee of the whole in respect of clauses 6 and 14.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with further amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

34. APPROPRIATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 35. Consumers Protection Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they insist on disagreeing with the amendments made and insisted on by the Council but have made amendments in this Bill with which they desire the concurrence of the Council having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows:—

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

- 1. Clause 3, sub-clause (1), page 2, paragraph (c), omit this paragraph and insert the following paragraph:-
 - "() Four persons representing the interests of the consumers of whom one shall be selected after consultation with the Australian Consumers' Association one shall be selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister considers represent housewives one shall be selected after consultation with the Country Women's Association of Victoria and one shall be selected after consultation with the body known as the Melbourne Trades Hall Council."
- 2. Clause 4, sub-clause (1), page 3, paragraph (d), line 2, omit "to the Minister for submission".
- 3. Clause 4, page 3, line 11, at the end of this clause insert the following sub-clause:-
 - "() For the purposes of this Act the Council shall have and may exercise in respect of the summoning and examining of witnesses and requiring any witness to produce any relevant books or documents in his custody possession or control the same powers as are by the Evidence Act 1958 conferred on a board appointed by the Governor in Council and the provisions of sections fourteen to sixteen of the Evidence Act 1958 with such adaptations as are necessary shall apply accordingly: Provided that every summons shall be signed by the chairman of the Council."

How dealt with.

Disagreed with by the Assembly.

Insisted on by the Council.

Disagreement insisted on by Assembly but the following amendments made in the Bill:—

Clause 3, sub-clause (1), page 2, line 5, omit "two" and insert and insert "three".

Clause 3, sub-clause (1), page 2, line 6, omit "one shall be a woman" and insert "two shall be women".

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the Council do not now insist on their amendments with which the Assembly insist on disagreeing and agree to the amendments now made by the Assembly in the Bill.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne (Teller),

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke (Teller),

V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham,

W. R. Garrett,

K. S. Gross,

R. J. Hamer, A. J. Hunt,

R. W. Mack,

R. W. May,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 6.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,

D. G. Elliot (Teller), J. W. Galbally,

S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell (Teller),

A. Todd.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council do not now insist on their amendments with which the Assembly insist on disagreeing and agree to the amendments now made by the Assembly in the Bill.

36. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

Debate ensued

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 37. Shell Pipelines Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 38. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at six minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 24.

TUESDAY, 16TH MARCH, 1965.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. HEALTH (HOUSEHOLD INSECTICIDES) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 2. Maintenance Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. W. Mack).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 25.

TUESDAY, 16TH MARCH, 1965.

- 1. The Council met in accordance with adjournment, the President, pursuant to resolution, having fixed this day at half-past Four o'clock as the time of meeting.
- 2. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 3. Messages from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council—

That he had, on the dates mentioned hereunder, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

On the 15th December, 1964-

Marine Stores and Old Metals (Welfare and Community Organizations) Act.

Tomato Processing Industry (Uniform Agreement) Act.

Melbourne Sailors' Home Act.

Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Act.

Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Act.

Parliamentary Salaries Pensions and Superannuation Act.

Public Lands and Works Act.

Railways (Funds) Act.

Licensing (Dining Permits) Act.

Water (Recreational Areas) Act.

Monash University (Amendment) Act.

Water Supply Loan Application Act.

Education (School Committees) Act.

Cancer (Amendment) Act.

Cadet Surveyors Act.

Forests (Amendment) Act.

Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Act.

State Electricity Commission (Contributions) Act.

Theatres (Sunday Films) Act.

Housing (Amendment) Act.

Social Welfare (Trainees) Act.

Health (Offensive Trades) Act.

Medical (Amendment) Act.

Stock Foods (Amendment) Act.

Labour and Industry (Fees) Act.

Water Act.

Superannuation (Time for Election) Act.

Police Offences (Betting Information) Act.

Marine (Amendment) Act.

Labour and Industry (Long Service Leave) Act.

Acquisition of Materials Act.

Stamps Act.

On the 22nd December, 1964—

Racing (Amendment) Act.

Friendly Societies (Assignment of Contracts) Act.

The Decentralization Advisory Committee Act.

Mines (Exploration Licences) Act.

Motor Car (Hours of Driving) Act.

Valuation of Land (Valuations) Act.

Shell (Corio to Williamstown) Pipelines Act.

Consumers Protection Act.

That he had, on the 15th December, 1964, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Honorable the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, viz.:—

Appropriation Act.

4. Presentation of Address to His Excellency the Governor.—The President reported that, accompanied by Honorable Members, he had, on the 15th December last, waited upon His Excellency the Governor and had presented to him the Address of the Legislative Council, adopted on the 10th November last, in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech, and that His Excellency the Governor had been pleased to make the following reply:—

Mr. President and Honorable Members of the Legislative Council:

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen I thank you for your expressions of loyalty to Our Most Gracious Sovereign contained in the Address you have just presented to me.

I fully rely on your wisdom in deliberating upon the important measures to be brought under your consideration, and I earnestly hope that the results of your labours will be conducive to the advancement and prosperity of this State.

- 5. Statute Law Revision Committee—Transfer of Land (Removal of Caveats) Bill.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Transfer of Land (Removal of Caveats) Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix. Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
- 6. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill (No. 2).—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section Forty-six of the *Motor Car Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 7. Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Veterinary Surgeons Act 1958 with respect to the Qualifications of Veterinary Surgeons and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 8. Companies (Amendment) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Companies Act* 1961, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 9. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—Agricultural Colleges Advisory Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 173/1964).

Appeal Costs Fund Act 1964—Appeal Costs Fund Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 35/1965).

Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Hairdressing Trades) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 181/1964).

Boilers Inspection Act 1958—Boilers Inspection (Further Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 202/1964).

Cadet Surveyors Act 1964—Cadet Surveyors (Water Supply Department) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 206/1964).

Cemeteries Act 1958—Cemeteries Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 13/1965).

Country Fire Authority Act 1958-

Country Fire Authority (Compensation Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 36/1965).

Country Fire Authority (Expenses of Officers and Employees Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 16/1965).

Country Fire Authority (Meetings and Expenses of Members) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 7/1965).

Report of the Country Fire Authority for the year 1963-64.

Dried Fruits Act 1958—Victorian Dried Fruits Board (Travelling Allowances) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 174/1964).

Education Act 1958-

Adult Education Regulations (Salaries) 1965 (S.R. No. 20/1965).

Report of the Council of Adult Education for the year 1963-64.

Report of the Minister of Education for the year 1962-63.

Estate Agents Act 1958—

Estate Agents (Estate Agents Committee) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 12/1965).

Estate Agents (Small Businesses) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 14/1965).

Fisheries Act 1958—

Commercial Fisheries Council (Travelling Allowances) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 195/1964). Proclamation—Inland Angling Licences (S.R. No. 205/1964).

Forests Act 1958—Forests (Revocation of Fees and Royalty Rates) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 2/1965).

Fruit and Vegetables Act 1958—Fruit and Vegetables Packing (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 204/1964).

Game Act 1958—Proclamation—Game Licences (S.R. No. 23/1965).

Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1958—Accounts of the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust for the year 1963–64.

Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (Relating to Weighbridge Charges) No. 45 (S.R. No. 33/1965).

Health Act 1958-

Camping (Fire Precautions) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 198/1964).

Food and Drug Standards Amendment (Date of Operation) Regulations 1964 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 184/1964).

Hospitals and Charities Act 1958—Hospitals and Charities (Personal Expenses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 190/1964).

Labour and Industry Act 1958—

Labour and Industry (Explosive-Powered Tools) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 29/1965). Labour and Industry (Wages Boards Travelling Allowances) (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 196/1964).

Regulations—Holidays in certain trades No. 1 (S.R. No. 201/1964) and No. 2 (S.R. No. 5/1965) (two papers).

Land Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Eduction relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Norlane.

Land Tax Act 1958, Probate Duty Act 1962 and Entertainments Tax Act 1958—Analysis of the operations of—Land Tax for the assessment year 1963; Probate Duty for the year 1963-64; and Entertainments Tax for the year 1963-64.

Libraries Act 1958—Report of the Free Library Service Board of Victoria for the year 1962-63.

Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958—Local Authorities Superannuation Regulations No. 7 (S.R. No. 34/1965).

Local Government Act 1958-

Compulsory Voting (Elections of Municipal Councillors) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 30/1965). Postal Voting (Elections of Municipal Councillors) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 32/1965). Uniform Building Regulations Amending Regulations No. 5 (S.R. No. 22/1965).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendment No. 3, 1964 (S.R. No. 170/1964).

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—Statement of Accounts of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works together with particulars of Rates made for the year 1963-64.

Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Act 1958—Report and Statement of Accounts of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board for the year 1963-64.

Mental Health Act 1959-

Mental Health (Medical Positions, Salaries, Charges, and Additional Payments) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 31/1965).

Mental Health (Personal Expenses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 189/1964).

Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958—First Mildura Irrigation Trust Regulations relating to the Compulsory Acquisition of Easements (S.R. No. 1/1965).

Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Dairy Produce Board (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 172/1964).

Milk Pasteurization Act 1958-

Milk Pasteurization Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 175/1964). Regulations prescribing the Borough of Wonthaggi and portion of the Shire of Bass as Districts (S.R. No. 191/1964).

Mines Act 1958-Mines (Exploration Licences) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 25/1965).

Monash University Act 1958—Report of the Council of Monash University for the year 1963, Parts 1 and 2 (two papers).

Motor Boating Act 1961—

Motor Boating (Lake Wendouree Authority) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 8/1965). Motor Boating (Shire of Donald) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 27/1965).

Motor Car Act 1958-

Motor Car (Front Reflectors) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 19/1965).

Motor Car (General Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 17/1965).

Motor Car (General Amendment No. 5) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 194/1964).

Motor Car (Registration of Motor Cycles) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 11/1965).

Motor Car (Transfer and Roadworthiness—Age of Acquirer of Vehicle) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 10/1965).

Motor Car (Transfer and Roadworthiness Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 186/1964).

Premiums Committee (Travelling Allowances) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 193/1964).

National Parks Act 1958—National Park (Personal Expenses Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 3/1965).

Nurses Act 1958—Nursing Council (Nurses' Agents) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 179/1964).

Pesticides Act 1958—Pesticides (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (No. 1) (S.R. No. 4/1965).

Poisons Act 1962—

Poisons (Amendments) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 9/1965).

Proclamation amending certain Schedules to the Act.

Police Regulation Act 1958-

Police (Prisoners' Property) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 176/1964).

Police (Promotions) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 24/1965).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—

Part II.—Appointments to the Public Service.

Part III.—Promotions and Transfers.

Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (fourteen papers).

Part V.—Allowances (three papers).

Part X.-Leave of Absence.

Racing Act 1958-

Dog Racing Control Board (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 192/1964).

Racing (Chief Inspector of Totalizators) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 15/1965).

Racing (Off-course Totalizator) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 21/1965).

Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 31st December, 1964.

Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages Act 1959—

Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Amendment) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 188/1964).

Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Revised Fees) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 187/1964).

River Murray Waters Act 1915—Report of the River Murray Commission for the year 1963-64.

Stamps Act 1958-

Stamps (Mortgage and Insurance) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 197/1964).

Stamps (Motor Car) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 178/1964).

Stamps (Receipts) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 6/1965).

State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Amendment No. 1) General Orders 1965 (S.R. No. 26/1965).

Stock Diseases Act 1958—Stock Diseases (Extension of Tuberculosis Eradication Area) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 183/1964).

Stock Medicines Act 1958—Stock Medicines Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 182/1964).

Swine Act 1958—Swine Compensation (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 28/1965).

Teaching Service Act 1958-

Report of the Teachers Tribunal for the year 1963-64.

Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (three papers).

Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulation No. 4 (S.R. No. 199/1964).

Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations (four papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

Planning Schemes-

Club Terrace Planning Scheme 1953-Amendment No. 1, 1964.

Eildon Sub-Regional Planning Scheme 1951—Amendment No. 4, 1963.

Geelong Planning Scheme 1959-Amendment No. 3, 1964 (Shire of South Barwon).

Latrobe Valley Sub-Regional Planning Scheme 1949—Amendment No. 7, 1964.

Portland Planning Scheme 1957—Amendments No. 3, 1963 and No. 4, 1964 (Town of Portland) (two papers).

Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 7, 1963.

Report of the Town and Country Planning Board for the year 1963-64.

Town and Country Planning Board (Staff) Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 2 (S.R. No. 200/1964).

Valuation of Land Act 1960—Valuers' Qualification Board Rules 1964 (S.R. No. 180/1964).

Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958—Vermin and Noxious Weeds Destruction Board (Appointed Members' Salaries and Allowances) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 203/1964).

Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 171/1964).

Weights and Measures Act 1958—

Weights and Measures (Fees) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 177/1964).

Weights and Measures (Weighing Procedure) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 18/1965).

Workers Compensation Act 1958—Workers Compensation (Hospital Fees) Regulations 1964 (S.R. No. 185/1964).

10. Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 11. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
- 12. MAINTENANCE BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the following amendment was made in the Bill:—Clause 1, sub-clause (1), omit "1964" and insert "1965".

Question—That the Bill do pass—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

13. Adjournment.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-one minutes past Six o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 25.

TUESDAY, 23RD MARCH, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) Has the Health Department made, or caused to be made, any analysis of the tablets now being advertised in the Melbourne daily press as being "an aid to safe driving" and sold under the name of "No-Doze Awakeners"; if so—(i) what are the principal component drugs used (if any); and (ii) will their continued usage incur any health hazards to the users.
 - (b) Do these tablets come within the category commonly known as "pep pills" used by some transport drivers.
- *2. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government-
 - (a) Which municipalities have now been valued under the new system of valuation in addition to those enumerated in answer to a Question in the House on 6th October, 1964.
 - (b) What was the previous valuation of each such municipality under the old system.
 - (c) What new valuations have been approved in each case by the Valuer-General.
 - (d) What are the relevant increases under the new valuations.
- *3. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) Are municipal rubbish tips under the control of the Department of Health.
 - (b) Does the Department issue licences for such rubbish tips.
 - (c) How often are such tips inspected, and by whom.
 - (d) What steps has the Department taken to prevent or control the breeding of flies in licensed rubbish tips.
 - (e) How many fires have been reported to the Department as burning in such rubbish tips during the summer fire period of 1964-65.
 - (f) How many fires have escaped from such rubbish tips during this period, and in which municipalities have they so escaped.
- *4. The Hon. H. A. Hewson: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Who, or what responsible authority, recommends the names of towns.
 - (b) At whose suggestion and recommendation, and under what authority, was the name of the satellite town of Hazelwood changed to Churchill.
- *5. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Gas and Fuel Corporation taken out periodical permits to allow open flame work and do such permits apply on total fire ban days proclaimed by the Country Fire Authority; if so, what reasons can the Government give for this policy; if not, when are the permits revoked.
- *6. The Hon. S. Merrifield: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What was the total number and amount of claims submitted to the Bush Fires Relief Committee in the last series of fires in Victoria prior to the recent outbreaks.
 - (b) How much assistance was granted in respect of all claims.
 - (c) How many claims were—(i) rejected; (ii) granted in part; and (iii) accepted in whole.
 - (d) How much of the claims was in respect of—(i) damage to property; (ii) loss of personal possessions; (iii) loss of stock and crops; and (iv) loss of income.
 - (e) How much of the assistance granted was in respect of the headings enumerated in part (d) of this question.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

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- *7. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many Totalizator Agency Board branches are now operating in—(i) the metropolitan area; and (ii) country areas.
 - (b) How many sub-agencies are operating in the country districts, and where is each located.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Are traffic police personnel when travelling to or from their place of duty in their own private vehicles expected to apprehend traffic offenders; if so, are they provided with any insurance cover (other than that provided by their own comprehensive insurance policy) in the event of an accident incurring damages or injury, during such apprehensions.
- *9. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the land within the municipality of Chelsea, and not draining into the Carrum outfall but into Port Phillip Bay, been included in the district under the Dandenong Valley Authority; if so, is such inclusion contrary to the provisions of the Dandenong Valley Authority Act.
 - (b) Does the Government intend to introduce amending legislation to include these areas fronting the Bay.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has consideration of the requests from a deputation of the Retired Police Association to the Assistant Chief Secretary on 15th August, 1962, been completed; if so, has the Association been advised of the result, and when.
- *11. The Hon. S. MERRIFIELD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many licences were issued to shooters to shoot black swans during the last open season.
 - (b) How many birds were killed.
 - (c) How many shooters reached the maximum bag on each day.
 - (d) What action was taken to supervise this destruction of our fauna.
 - (e) How many inspectors or other staff were engaged and at what cost.
 - (f) Is the Government satisfied with the result of its efforts in this regard.
- *12. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many students are enrolled at Wonthaggi Technical School.
 - (b) Are there still two full-time teachers short in the staffing requirements.
 - (c) How many pupils and how many periods, respectively, are taught—(i) at the primary school one-third of a mile away; and (ii) in temporary class-rooms.
 - (d) How many periods on the time-table per week are without a permanent teacher.
 - (e) When will additional staff and finance, respectively, be supplied.
 - (f) Has the Principal asked local firms for credit until the next financial year in order to buy essential items.
- *13. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What are the current enrolments at Broadmeadows, Glenroy, Strathmore, Hadfield, Oak Park, Essendon, Buckley Park, Maribyrnong, and Niddrie high schools, respectively.
 - (b) Have any school buildings additional to those available in 1964 been provided, or are any planned for this year; if so, what are the details of same, including the dates of occupation.
- *14. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When does the Government anticipate commencing extensions and alterations to the Fitzroy High School—(i) on the present site; and (ii) on the one-acre extension site recently acquired.
- **15. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has the Minister received the information to answer parts (a), (b), and (e) of Question No. 11 asked in the House on 9th December, 1964, which information was not available at that date; if so, what are the answers.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Companies (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
 - 2. Health (Household Insecticides) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *3. VETERINARY SURGEONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. W. Mack).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- *4. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

*CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 26.

TUESDAY, 23RD MARCH, 1965.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Death of the Librarian.—The President having announced the death, since the last sitting of the House, of the Librarian, Francis Jacob Perry—
 - The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That this House place on record its deep sense of the loss sustained by the Parliament of Victoria through the death of the Librarian, Francis Jacob Perry, and its high appreciation of the valuable services rendered by him as an Officer of Parliament.
 - And other Honorable Members and the President having addressed the House-
 - The question was put and, Honorable Members signifying their assent by standing in their places, unanimously resolved in the affirmative.
- 3. Social Welfare (Cadetships) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Social Welfare Act 1960" to make Provision for Cadetships in Social Studies" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. Wills (Minors') Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Sections Six and Ten of the Wills Act 1958' and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 5. CATTLE COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Six of the Cattle Compensation Act 1958" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 6. Swine (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Seven of the 'Swine Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 7. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
 - Liquor—Report of the Royal Commission into the sale, supply, disposal or consumption of liquor in the State of Victoria—Part I.—Social consequences of the use and consumption of alcoholic liquor, together with an Appendix (two papers).

Ordered to lie on the Table.

- The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Employment Records) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 37/1965).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board (Registration of Producers) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 39/1965).
 - Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Dairy Produce (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 42/1965).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Police (Board of Selectors) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 40/1965).
 - Railways Act 1958—Regulations relating to Long Service Leave—Computation of Pay (S.R. No. 41/1965).
 - Social Welfare Act 1960—Social Welfare (Bursaries) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 38/1965).

8. Companies (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 6th April next.

9. Health (Household Insecticides) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

10. Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Deputy-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

11. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Deputy-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Seventeen of the 'Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

12. Wills (Minors') Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

13. CATTLE COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

14. Swine (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

15. Adjournment.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Wednesday, 31st instant.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at two minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Wednesday, 31st instant.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 26.

WEDNESDAY, 31st MARCH, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-Further to the answer to Question No. 1 asked in the House on 23rd March, 1965, how is it known that tablets registered as "No-Doze Awakeners" do not come within the category of "pep pills" if they have not been properly tested and analysed.
- *2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government-
 - (a) Is the Government aware that the Town and Country Planning Board recommends that an inquiry by a Parliamentary committee should be held so that proper port planning could be achieved for Westernport Bay.
 - (b) Does the Government intend to set up this inquiry; if so, when.
- *3. The Hon. P. V. Feltham: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the Government or any Government instrumentality the power to divert the course of a Victorian river without the authority of Parliament.
 - (b) Has any municipal council any power to alter the course of the Goulburn River.
 - (c) Is the Government or any Government instrumentality considering the diversion of the Goulburn River at Shepparton; if so, will he lay on the table of the Library all files relating to the matter.
- *4. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture-
 - (a) What was the total amount paid from all sources by way of bonus on wombat scalps in each of the last five years, and for what number of scalps was such amount paid.
 - (b) What proportion of the bonus was paid by—(i) the Government; and (ii) municipalities.
 - (c) Which municipalities paid the bonus, and what was the amount paid by each.
- *5. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What charges are made by the Department of Agriculture for certifying seed on the farm.
 - (b) Have these charges been increased during the past two years; if so—(i) when; and (ii) by how much.
 - (c) Into what account is the revenue from such charges paid.
- *6. The Hon. I. A. Swinburne: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many co-operative housing societies have been formed in this State during each year since 1952—(i) within 25 miles of the G.P.O., Melbourne; and (ii) outside this area.
 - (b) What funds have been made available in each such year to those societies—(i) within 25 miles of the G.P.O., Melbourne; and (ii) outside this area.
 - (c) From what source did such funds come in each category for each year since 1952.
- *7. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) When will any action be taken by the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission to approve the provision of additional water supply to the township of Kyneton.
 - (b) Why does the Commission insist on boring in search of underground water instead of approving an additional storage reservoir on the present watershed where there is an adequate run-off
 - (c) Have the bores put down at the Commission's direction located a supply of water suitable for human consumption; if so, what is the output per hour, and does such water have to be pumped.
 - (d) Is it proposed to conserve water thus obtained in the present storage basin which has proved inadequate for the requirements of the town for some time past.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time. (125 copies.)

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- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Are any heights fixed and operative at given points of the flight path of aeroplanes landing or departing from the Essendon Aerodrome; if so—(i) do such heights vary for each type of plane; and (ii) what is the minimum height fixed for the 727 jet passenger planes when passing over Keilor-road and Pascoe Vale-road, respectively.
 - (b) If he has any knowledge of complaints having been received by the Department of Civil Aviation concerning the excessive noise level of the 727 jets; if so, has such noise level been measured and what was the result.
- *9. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) How many child minding centres are operating in the City of Richmond, and where is each located.
 - (b) How many of these centres are registered.
- *10. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Education Department ordered headmasters to select which pupils could sit for the Commonwealth Scholarship examination; if so—(i) on what basis are pupils selected; and (ii) on what grounds are such directives based
- *11. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the cost per head per week to the State for each person imprisoned.
 - (b) What is the cost per annum to the State for the staffing and upkeep of Victorian prisons.
 - (c) How many men and women, respectively, are at present serving prison sentences in Victoria.
 - (d) How many prisoners are serving terms—(i) of under six months; (ii) from six months to twelve months; and (iii) from twelve months to two years.
- *12. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many grants have been made available by the Home Finance Trust in each year since its formation—(i) within 25 miles of the G.P.O., Melbourne; and (ii) outside this area.
 - (b) What funds have been allocated in each year to home builders—(i) within 25 miles of the G.P.O., Melbourne; and (ii) outside this area.
- *13. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many qualified secondary teachers applied to enrol for a part-time course for a degree in Education.
 - (b) How many of such applicants were rejected.
 - (c) How many of those rejected are teaching in country schools.
- *14. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the number of male and female prisoners, respectively, in all prisons in Victoria, and how many are in each prison.
 - (b) How many prisoners escaped from custody in each of the last three years—(i) during the last four weeks of their sentences; (ii) whilst being taken into custody; and (iii) at other times during their sentences.
- *15. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What are the current enrolments at primary schools in the cities of Melbourne, Richmond, Fitzroy, Collingwood, South Melbourne, and Port Melbourne, respectively.
- *16. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture-
 - (a) How many applications were received for secondary studentships in 1965.
 - (b) How many students received studentships for 1965, and how many were rejected.
 - (c) On what basis are these awards made.
- *17. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Have the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board's plans for the introduction of new-type trams been changed from those indicated in the answer to part (b) (ii) of Question No. 3 asked in the House on 29th September, 1964, particularly as to the venue of construction of those trams.
- *18. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What are the current enrolments at high schools in the cities of Melbourne, Richmond, Fitzroy, Collingwood, South Melbourne, and Port Melbourne, respectively.
- *19. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What are the current enrolments at the Essendon, Glenroy, and Brunswick technical schools, respectively.
 - (b) Have any school buildings additional to those available in 1964 been provided, or are any planned for this year; if so, what are the details of same, including the dates of occupation.

- *20. The Hon. A. Topp: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the matter involving the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission and Mr. R. M. Ansett on the question of the liability for compensation payments to Mt. Eliza property owners affected by the resiting of the dam from Mr. Ansett's property to its present site been resolved; if so, what decision was arrived at; if not, what action does the Government propose taking to have it finalized.
- *21. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What percentage of students attending Melbourne High School, MacRobertson Girls High School, and University High School, respectively, could be termed local zone enrolments.
- *22. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many applications were received by the Housing Commission for lone person units and Darby and Joan flats, respectively, during the period 1st July, 1963, to 30th June, 1964, and how many remained unsatisfied as at 31st December, 1964.
 - (b) How many lone person units and/or Darby and Joan flats were constructed for or on behalf of the Commission and allocated during the above period, and at what locations were they built.
 - (c) What plans are now confirmed by the Government or are in the process of development by the Commission to provide such types of accommodation on—(i) land donated by municipal councils; and (ii) land purchased by the Commission.
 - (d) Will such plans exclude the development of any land already donated by a municipal council; if so, how much land is involved, where is it situated, and why is it not being developed in terms of the donation.
 - (e) What is the current waiting time for—(i) lone person units; (ii) Darby and Joan flats; and (iii) ordinary housing for applicants with families for both rent and purchase of two and three bedroom units, respectively, and how many applications are current for each category and not satisfied.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. W. Mack).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 4. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Social Welfare (Cadetships) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *3. WILLS (MINORS') BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- *4. Cattle Compensation (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 5. Health (Household Insecticides) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *6. Swine (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).

TUESDAY, 6TH APRIL.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Companies (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

L. G. McDONALD,

G. S. McARTHUR,

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

Temporary Chairmen.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

PROCEEDINGS. THE

No. 27.

WEDNESDAY, 31st MARCH, 1965.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. APPEAL COSTS FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Appeal Costs Fund Act 1964'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 3. Transfer of Land (Removal of Cavears) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Part V. of the Transfer of Land Act 1958' with respect to the Removal of Caveats" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to make Provision for the Payment by certain Authorities of Premiums on Policies of Accident Insurance in respect of their Members, to enable the Municipal Association to issue Policies of Accident Insurance in respect of Members of those Authorities, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 5. Adjournment—Motion under Standing Order No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of "The grave threat to constitutional authority by the constant setting up of ad-hoc bodies by the Government, the shift of responsibilities and decisions properly belonging to the Government and Parliament and the stifling of freedom of speech and the Press"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed-

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 8.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie (Teller),

D. G. Elliot, J. W. Galbally,

A. W. Knight,

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (Teller).

Noes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell (Teller),

G. L. Chandler, M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham (Teller),

W. R. Garrett,

C. S. Gawith,

F. J. Granter,

T. H. Grigg,

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson,

A. J. Hunt,

R. W. Mack

A. R. Mansell, R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it passed in the negative. 5806/64.

6. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Apprenticeship Act 1958-

Apprenticeship (Electroplating Trade) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 44/1965). Apprenticeship (Motor Mechanics Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 43/1965).

Evidence Act 1958—Court Reporting (Fees) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 45/1965).

Fisheries Act 1958—Notice of Intention to make a Proclamation to restrict the use of monofilament nets in Victorian Waters.

Land Act 1958—Certificate of the Commissioner of Public Works relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for police purposes at St. Kilda.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.

- 7. ALTONA RAILWAY EXTENSION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Construction of an Extension to the Altona Railway, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 8. Portland Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Portland Harbour Trust Act 1958' and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 9. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

 Debate resumed.

The Honorable P. V. Feltham moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

- 10. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive, be postponed until Wednesday next.
- 11. Social Welfare (Cadetships) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

12. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-eight minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 27.

TUESDAY, 6TH APRIL, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Have any properties been acquired in Clarendon-street, East Melbourne, in connexion with the construction of the proposed "ring road"; if so—(i) what properties have been acquired; (ii) when were they acquired, and at what prices; and (iii) was the approval of the Minister given in each instance.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Whether his attention has been drawn to the statement in the Press on Saturday, 20th March, 1965, that the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board intends to appeal to the High Court to test the validity of an order made by Commissioner J. P. Horan which stopped the introduction of one-man buses on two routes on the 8th March last.
 - (b) Has approval been given by the Honorable the Premier for this appeal; if so—(i) why was such approval given in view of the Premier's often repeated statement that the Unions should go to arbitration and accept the umpire's decision; and (ii) is this to be the practice in the future when decisions are given in the Unions' favour.
- *3. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many students from Catholic, non-Catholic, and State schools, respectively—(i) presented for their matriculation certificate; and (ii) gained their matriculation certificate.
- *4. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing---
 - (a) How many social workers are employed by the Housing Commission and on what basis.
 - (b) Who is doing such work on the Doveton Estate of the Commission.
 - (c) When was this social worker employed, and when did his or her duties commence.
 - (d) What qualifications does this social worker possess.
 - (e) Was the position advertised.
- *5. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What drainage areas have been formed in each of the last five years, giving the name and location of each.
 - (b) What allocation has been made to each such area, and what works have been carried out.
- *6. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Does the Government intend to gazette regulations under the *Motor Boating Act* 1961 or the *Marine Act* 1958 for access lanes for private clubs in the municipality of Chelsea; if so, is it aware of overwhelming support given in petitions against the proposed regulations.
 - (b) Is the Government prepared to table the proposed regulations in this House before they are gazetted.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—How many applicants sat for examination in the "Powers and Duties" paper as part of the building surveyors examination in each of the last three examinations, and how many passed.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) Who are the members who comprise the committees referred to by the Minister when he spoke on the adjournment of the House on the 23rd March last.
 - (b) What organization does each represent.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

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- *9. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—If he will ascertain and inform the House whether any heights are fixed and operative at given points of the flight path of aeroplanes landing or departing from the Essendon Aerodrome; if so—(i) do such heights vary for each type of plane; and (ii) what is the minimum height fixed for the 727 jet passenger planes when passing over Keilor-road and Pascoe Vale-road, respectively.
- *10. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the pass rate at Class A schools, and Class B schools, respectively, for—(i) intermediate certificate; and (ii) leaving certificate.
 - (b) How does the Government account for the difference (if any).
- *11. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Does the State Electricity Commission propose to connect to the electrical system of the South Australian Electricity Trust when the Chowilla Dam is completed and electricity is being generated at such dam.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What are the construction schedules involving—(i) the runways; and (ii) all associated essential buildings, necessary to bring the Tullamarine jetport into operation.
 - (b) Has any discussion taken place between the State Government and the Commonwealth Government concerning the construction of the jetport; if so—(i) when; (ii) at what level did such discussion take place; and (iii) has any target date been fixed for the opening.
- *13. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—When may Members of Parliament expect to have available details of the survey conducted by the Housing Commission of a representative selection of applicants for homes and flats, either for purchase or rental.
- *14. The Hon. F. J. Granter: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many Victorian towns have a reticulated water supply coming from underground water.
 - (b) What towns are supplied by underground water.
 - (c) Why did the Mines Department boring plant leave Kyneton when its operations were incomplete, and who instructed this plant to be withdrawn from Kyneton.
- *15. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) Where is the Home Ownership Advisory Bureau now established.
 - (b) What staff is employed, and in what capacities.
 - (c) What was the average number of applications dealt with monthly during the years 1963 and 1964, and during January and February, 1965.
- *16. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many applications for purchase of Housing Commission homes have been received from persons eligible under the *Housing* (Contracts with Minors) Act 1963, and how many homes have been sold to such applicants.
- *17. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What was the total expenditure on slum reclamation and other housing projects, respectively, for the year 1963-64, and from 1st July, 1964, to date.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *2. APPEAL COSTS FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *3. Water Authorities Accident Insurance Bill-(from Assembly-Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *4. ALTONA RAILWAY EXTENSION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *5. Transfer of Land (Removal of Caveats) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *6. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 7. WILLS (MINORS') BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 8. CATTLE COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 9. Health (Household Insecticides) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 10. Swine (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 11. Social Welfare (Cadetships) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 12. Companies (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

WEDNESDAY, 7TH APRIL.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 4. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President,

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 6TH APRIL, 1965.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Medical (Foreign Practitioners) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. W. Mack, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Medical Act* 1958 with respect to Foreign Practitioners, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 3. Marketing of Primary Products (Egg Marketing) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958 with respect to the Marketing of Eggs and Egg Products and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. Paper.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That there be laid before this House the Interim Report of the Inspectors appointed pursuant to Division 4 of Part VI. of the Companies Act 1961 of an investigation into the affairs of Reid Murray Holdings Limited and certain other companies and the Final Report of those Inspectors of an investigation into the affairs of Payne's Properties Pty. Ltd., and certain subsidiary and associated companies.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The said Reports were thereupon presented by the Honorable G. L. Chandler and ordered to lie on the Table.

5. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Fisheries Act 1958-Notices of intention to make Proclamations-

To prohibit fishing in certain waters.

To revoke the close season for trout.

Land Act 1958—Certificate of the Commissioner of Public Works relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for police purposes at Talbot.

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Solicitors (Audit and Practising Certificates) Rules 1965.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).

State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Amendment No. 2) General Orders 1965 (S.R. No. 47/1965).

Stock Diseases Act 1958—Stock Diseases (Introduction of Poultry, Day Old Chicks and Eggs for Hatching from New South Wales) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 46/1965).

6. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (EGG MARKETING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 8. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until later this day.
- 9. ALTONA RAILWAY EXTENSION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

10. Appeal Costs Fund (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

11. Water Authorities Accident Insurance Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

12. Transfer of Land (Removal of Caveats) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

13. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

14. WILLS (MINORS') BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

15. CATTLE COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

16. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9, be postponed until later this day.

17. Swine (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee

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Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

18. Social Welfare (Cadetships) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

19. Adjournment.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-six minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. .

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 13TH APRIL, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many scheduled operational tables were off the road on the 6th and 7th instant, respectively, in respect of Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board buses from—(i) North Fitzroy bus depot; and (ii) Port Melbourne bus depot.
 - (b) How many employees have resigned or tendered their resignations from each of these depots since the announcement by the Board of its intention to convert the Garden City-Port Melbourne-Bulleen bus service to one-man operation.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Supplementary to Questions asked by him in the House on 24th April, 1963, and 7th May, 1963, concerning the finalization of the route to the Tullamarine jetport and the Strathmore by-pass road, has the route now been finalized; if so—(i) what are the details of the route chosen; (ii) how many homes will have to be demolished; (iii) how many homes have been already acquired, and at what cost; (iv) how many have yet to be acquired; (v) has this freeway been fixed in priority with other road works and in that event when, and what priority was it given; and (vi) what is the current estimate of the cost of the completed works.
- *3. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What is the pass rate at Class A schools and Class B schools, respectively, for—(i) six subject certificates, including English Expression, at Intermediate level; and (ii) five subject certificates, including English, at Leaving level.
- *4. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the police strength in the Footscray, Sunshine, Kingsville, Newport, Williamstown, Altona, Yarraville, Maribyrnong, Maidstone, and St. Albans areas, respectively.
 - (b) How many police vehicles are allocated to each of these stations.
 - (c) What is the total area covered by the divisional patrol van at evening and at night.
 - (d) How many officers man this divisional van.
 - (e) What were the total offences detected for each year from 1961 to 1964 inclusive in each of the areas referred to in part (a) of this question.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development-
 - (a) How many new industries were established in the country, with Government support, from 1st January, 1962, to 31st December, 1964, stating at what location each was established, and what was the nature of the industry.
 - (b) How many males and females, respectively, were employed in these industries.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—What are the names, locations, and dates of approval of industries declared to be "decentralized industries" under the Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958 since 24th November, 1964; and how long have the industries been in operation at such locations.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *7. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What principles and/or regulations determine the size of the transformer when new electrical connexions are made to farms by the State Electricity Commission.
 - (b) Why have the farms now being connected to electricity at Nanneella South and Timmering been allotted 5 KVA although the farm owners have requested 10 KVA.
 - (c) Will the Minister of Electrical Undertakings reconsider his decision to provide only 5 KVA to these farms, as the farmers claim that this supply is inadequate.
- *8. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Have the men injured in the barge explosion at Crib Point been paid workers compensation; if not, why not.
 - (b) What was the ascertained cause of the explosion.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many police cars are fitted with safety belts, and what are the regulations issued regarding their use.
 - (b) Are safety belts installed in motor vehicles used by other departments; if so, how many and in what departments.
- *10. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many unsatisfied applications for accommodation were held by the Housing Commission as at 31st March, 1965.
- *11. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it contemplated to place any restrictions on scallop dredging in Port Phillip Bay during the coming years; if so, what will be the basis of the restrictions.
- *12. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Why are supervisors employed by the Ports and Harbors Branch of the Public Works Department to check gangs when these gangs already possess overseers.
 - (b) What are the duties and responsibilities of—(i) the gang overseer; and (ii) the supervisor.
- *13. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Are any minimum standards fixed for the manufacture and methods of affixing safety belts to motor vehicles in Victoria; if so, what are the standards, and is any inspection of vehicles made after belts have been fitted.
- *14. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Were the Richmond City Council and the residents in the vicinity of Brighton-street, Richmond, informed of the proposed demolition of the Brighton-street bridge which was demolished by blasting on Sunday the 4th April instant.
 - (b) Will the residents be compensated for any damage done to homes during such demolition by the Railways Department.
- *15. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the answer given to Question No. 3 in the House on 6th instant, will the Government direct that the required statistics be prepared for this year, so that the relative performances of these groups of schools may be ascertained.
- *16. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many of the second mortgage loans made by the Home Finance Trust have been instrumental in—(i) securing or paying off first mortgage loans; and (ii) providing finance for the ultimate construction of new homes.
- *17. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Is it a fact that the Kyneton Waterworks Trust favours the construction of a further storage basin on Jones Creek as the means of providing adequate water supply for the town; if so, is the viewpoint of the Trust acceptable to the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission.
 - (b) Is it a fact that in all bores put down by the Mines Department, only brackish water has been located; if so, would the Commission approve of pumping this type of water into the reticulation system in view of the damage that would be done to hot-water services and similar installations.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS) BILL—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 2. Companies (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *3. Marketing of Primary Products (Egg Marketing) Bill—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 4. Health (Household Insecticides) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 5. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 6. APPEAL COSTS FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 7. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 8. ALTONA RAILWAY EXTENSION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 9. Transfer of Land (Removal of Caveats) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 10. Portland Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 4. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill (No. 2)—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

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CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

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LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

Standing Orders.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 29.

TUESDAY, 13TH APRIL, 1965.

- 1. The House met in accordance with adjournment.
- 2. Absence of the President.—The Clerk having announced that the Honorable the President was unavoidably absent through illness, the Honorable W. R. Garrett, on the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, was chosen to fill temporarily the office and perform all the duties of the President during such absence.
- 3. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 4. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

Wills (Minors') Act.

Cattle Compensation (Amendment) Act.

Swine (Amendment) Act.

Social Welfare (Cadetships) Act.

- 5. Justices (Registration) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Part I. of the Justices Act 1958" with respect to the Appointment of Justices, to make Provision for the Registration of Justices and for Purposes connected therewith" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 6. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to increase the Borrowing Powers of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 7. Legal Aid (Costs) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Legal Aid Act 1961 with respect to Orders for the Payment of Legal Costs, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 8. Subordinate Legislation Committee.—The Honorable G. J. O'Connell brought up a Report from the Subordinate Legislation Committee upon the Labour and Industry (Explosive-Powered Tools) Regulations 1965 (Statutory Rule No. 29/1965).

Ordered to lie on the Table.

- 9. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament were laid upon the table by the Clerk:—
 - Explosives Act 1960—Order in Council exempting the State Electricity Commission from certain provisions of the Act.
 - Local Government Act 1958—Private Street Construction (Notices) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 48/1965).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (four papers).
 - Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages Act 1959—General Abstract of the number of Births, Still-Births, Deaths and Marriages registered during the year 1964.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—French Island Planning Scheme, with maps (four papers). Trade Unions Act 1958—Report of the Government Statist on Trade Unions for the year 1964.

10. Medical (Foreign Practitioners) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 11. Postponement of Orders of the Day,—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 10 inclusive, and Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 12. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, the 27th instant.

13. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

14. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958", and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

15. Marketing of Primary Products (Egg Marketing) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

16. Companies (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

17. Health (Household Insecticides) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

18. Legal Aid (Costs) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

19. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved-That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

20. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 27th instant.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

And the Council having continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock-

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Debate continued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twelve minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday, the 27th instant.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 29.

TUESDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) Concerning the delay in the proclamation of the Health (Child Minding) Act 1964—(i) on what dates were the committee and sub-committee named by the Minister on 6th instant and reported in Hansard at page 2945, appointed; (ii) how many times did each meet; and (iii) on what dates did they finalize their deliberations and submit recommendations to the Minister relating to the framing of regulations.
 - (b) Has the purpose of these committees now been concluded, or will they continue to function in an advisory capacity.
 - (c) When will the Act be proclaimed.
- *2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many secondary schools have applied for Commonwealth grants for science.
 - (b) How many schools have received these grants.
 - (c) What are the schools and what are the amounts and equipment received.
- *3. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) In the field of ski tows at Falls Creek Ski Village, is a monopoly or a competitive enterprise favoured.
 - (b) Is it the policy of the State Electricity Commission that competitive enterprise should be encouraged in order to produce the best service and price structure for the public.
 - (c) Would the Minister agree with the statement made by the Chairman of the Forests Commission that "monopoly of ski tows is not good in a ski resort. Competition is essential. This has been proven at Mt. Buller".
- *4. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Is the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works liable to be rated by a municipal council where the Board has an equity in property on which it has placed an acquisition order for purposes of road widening or other uses under the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958.
- *5. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—To how many organizations have the Director of Education and the Assistant Director of Education, respectively, been appointed in an official capacity, and how much of their time is devoted to attending the regular meetings of such organizations.
- *6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—What are the State Electoral Districts in which compulsory chest X-ray examinations have been carried out, and how many persons have been tested in each.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) How many unregistered child minding centres were found to be operating as a result of the survey taken by the Health Department last year, how many of these are still functioning, and at what locations.
 - (b) How many child minding centres were registered in each of the years from 1960 to date.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many warders are at present employed at Pentridge Gaol.
 - (b) Is this number below the desirable strength; if so, by how many.
 - (c) How many warders are allocated to each section.
 - (d) What attempts are being made to bring the numbers up to full strength.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.
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- *9. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many Commonwealth scholarships have been allocated to secondary schools, what schools have received them, and how many were received by each school.
 - (b) How many of these scholarships were allocated to Class A and Class B schools, respectively, in country areas.
- *10. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Minister supply the answer to part (e) of Question No. 4, asked in the House on the 13th instant, when the information becomes available.
- *11. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Why has Alpine Developments Pty. Ltd., the present owner of all ski tows at Falls Creek, been favoured when tenders have been called.
 - (b) Who are the directors of Alpine Developments Pty. Ltd., and how many shares are held by each director.
 - (c) How many vacant ski tow sites are left at Falls Creek which would give a competitor a chance of competing against the present monoply.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What is the anticipated loss of rail revenue during the present financial year as a result of old-established industries in country areas now being declared "decentralized industries" under the Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958.
- *13. The Hon. J. M. Walton: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many railway trucks still have W-guards fitted.
 - (b) When is it estimated that these will be eliminated.
 - (c) What train derailments have occurred in this State since 1st July, 1964.
- *14. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government-
 - (a) What highways has the Government selected as clearways to relieve peak hour traffic.
 - (b) What sections of these highways will carry one-side parking only.
 - (c) What will be the peak hours.
 - (d) Has the Government conferred with any municipalities in an effort to plan alternative parking off the clearways concerned, particularly in congested areas; if so, with what municipalities.
- *15. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will an opportunity be given for this House to discuss the Report of a Board of Inquiry into Library Services in Victoria; if so, when.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

*1. The Hon. G. L. Chandler: To move, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Wednesdays shall be Four o'clock and that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business be rescinded and that for the remainder of the Session the hour of meeting on Wednesdays shall be Two o'clock and Government business shall take precedence of all other business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Justices (Registration) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- 3. APPEAL COSTS FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 4. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- *5. Legal Aid (Costs) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 6. ALTONA RAILWAY EXTENSION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 7. Medical (Foreign Practitioners) Bill—(Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 8. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 9. Transfer of Land (Removal of Caveats) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 10. Water Authorities Accident Insurance Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- *11. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 4. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill (No. 2)—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. W. R. GARRETT,

Acting-President.

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SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 30.

WEDNESDAY, 28th APRIL, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
 - (a) Concerning the operations of the Victorian Inland Meat Authority—(i) what is the estimated annual capacity of the meat works operated at Ballarat and Bendigo, respectively; and (ii) how many cattle, sheep, and pigs, respectively, have been slaughtered at each of those works in each of the past five years.
 - (b) Has work commenced on any projected extensions of those meat works; if so—(i) what are the extensions; (ii) when did such work commence; (iii) when will it be completed; and (iv) to what extent will it increase the estimated annual capacity at each centre.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Country Roads Board given any consideration to the request of the Sunshine City Council in respect of safety road crossings; if so, when will the Board give its decision on such request.
- *3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it proposed to allow sewerage effluent from Korumburra and Leongatha to be discharged into the sea at Bass Strait; if so, when was approval given for such a scheme, and by whom.
- *4. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Who are the members of the Falls Creek Committee of Management, when was each appointed, and what interest does each member represent.
 - (b) By what means are members appointed, and for what term.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many tons of potatoes were produced in Victoria during the years 1962, 1963, and 1964, respectively.
 - (b) What is the present wholesale price per ton, and retail price per pound.
 - (c) What are the principal factors that have brought about the present shortage and consequent high prices of potatoes.
- *6. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How much was paid by the Housing Commission for the Pines Forest, Doveton, Broadmeadows, and Laverton estates, respectively.
 - (b) What percentage of the price of each house is the charge per block.
 - (c) What is the cost of the roads and footpaths charged to each house.
 - (d) How much do the agents receive per house sale.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Honorable the Premier caused any investigation to be made of a proposal submitted by him (Mr. Tripovich) in a letter dated 28th July, 1964, to allow the State Savings Bank to continue to carry insurance on houses financed by that bank after repayments have been completed by the purchaser.
- *8. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests-Has the Forests Commission obtained all the information which it indicated in 1960 it was obtaining before calling for applications for licences for timber extractions from the Errinundra Plateau; if not—(i) when does the Commission consider that it will be in possession of such information as will enable it to proceed with the calling for applications; and (ii) will the Minister advise whether the Commission is prepared to advertise for allocations of the Errinundra Forest within the next few weeks.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *9. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What are the increased power charges recently imposed by the State Electricity Commission as compared with the previous charges under the headings Residential "G", Industrial "D", and Industrial "M", respectively.
- *10. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What was the nature of the repairs which were carried out on the south centre end of the Dudley-street railway bridge.
 - (b) Why were such repairs necessary.
 - (c) Is the bridge safe.
- *11. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What is the present strength of the Victoria Police Force, and how many personnel are attached to the Mobile Traffic Section.
- *12. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many brick veneer and concrete villas, respectively, will be built by the Housing Commission in 1965-66.
 - (b) What is the cost of the concrete villa each year from 1958 to date.
 - (c) Why has the cost of concrete villas increased over the last three years.
 - (d) Is the whole of the money allocated to the concrete house project costed against the number of houses built; if not, what percentage goes to experimental works or is not costed against the concrete house.
- *13. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What amount in bookmakers' turnover tax was received by the Treasury during the years 1961-62, 1962-63, and 1963-64, respectively.
- *14. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the Government made any subsidy payment or promise of such payment towards the development of any arts centre or cultural centre since May, 1955; if so—(i) what amount was involved; (ii) to whom was it paid; (iii) on what terms; and (iv) for what purpose.
 - (b) If the answer to question (a) is in the affirmative, were any such projects developed on Crown land or other Government owned property; if so, on what terms was the land made available.
 - (c) What will be the cost of the new arts centre to be established at Mildura, and how much Government subsidy (if any) was made available.
- *15. The Hon. H. A. Hewson: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development-
 - (a) Has the lease been drawn up for the proposed motel on Wilson's Promontory.
 - (b) Will such lease be ready for signing before the Director, Dr. L. H. Smith, leaves for overseas.
 - (c) Is the site at the junction of the Tidal River and Mt. Oberon roads; if so, from where will the motel draw its water supply, and will this interfere with the present supply to the Tidal River camping area.
- *16. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many brick veneer and concrete villas, respectively, were sold by the Housing Commission last year, and how many of each were rented during that year.
 - (b) When is the concrete housing project closing down, and why.
- *17. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has the Local Government Department advised the respective municipal councils and shires of the deadline date for amending their municipal by-laws and regulations in respect of decimal currency; if not, when will this be done.
- *18. The Hon. G. J. O'Connell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many Housing Commission estates have been equipped with playgrounds and playground equipment by the Commission, where are these estates situated, and how many people are accommodated in each estate.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

*1. The Hon. G. L. Chandler: To move, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that no new business shall be taken after the hour of half-past Ten o'clock be suspended for the remainder of the Session, and that during the remainder of the Session new business may be taken at any hour.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Bill—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. Home Finance (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *3. Dandenong Valley Authority (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *4. CHILDREN'S COURT (ADMISSION TO HEARINGS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *5. Bendigo Land (Special Grant) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *6. Werribee Waterworks District (Abolition) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *7. TEACHING SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *8. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *9. HEALTH (TUBERCULOSIS ARRANGEMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *10. PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *11. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- 12. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 13. Justices (Registration) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 14. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 4. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill (No. 2)—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

TUESDAY, 4TH MAY.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 30.

TUESDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1965.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Labour and Industry Act 1958" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 3. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—VAGRANCY BILL.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Vagrancy Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence.
 - Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
- 4. Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Soldier Settlement Act 1958 and the Land Settlement Act 1959, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 5. Home Finance (Amendment) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Home Finance Act* 1962, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 6. Teaching Service (Amendment) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Teaching Service Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 7. Papers.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—Liquor—Report of the Royal Commission into the sale, supply, disposal or consumption of liquor in the State of Victoria—Part II.—Hours and conditions of retail trading in alcoholic liquor. Ordered to lie on the Table.
 - The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Apprenticeship Act 1958-

Apprenticeship (Furniture Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 51/1965).

Apprenticeship (Refrigeration Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 50/1965). Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory

Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Nunawading, Rosanna and Werribee (three papers).

Licensing Act 1958—Licensing Poll Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 57/1965).

Local Government Act 1958—Scaffolding Regulations Amending Regulations No. 2 (S.R. No. 56/1965).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958-

Chicory Marketing (Accounting Period) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 54/1965). Maize Marketing (Accounting Period) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 53/1965).

Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendment No. 60) (S.R. No. 55/1965).

National Parks Act 1958-Report of the National Parks Authority for the year 1963-64.

Poisons Act 1962-Proclamations amending certain Schedules to the Act (two papers).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.

State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Interest Rates) General Orders 1965 (S.R. No. 49/1965).

Supreme Court Act 1958—Amendment of Rules of the Supreme Court (S.R. No. 58/1965).

Tourist Act 1958—Tourist Development Authority (Travelling Expenses Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 52/1965).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

City of Ararat Planning Scheme 1953-Amendment No. 4, 1964.

City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme 1952—Amendment No. 15, 1964.

Portland Planning Scheme 1957—Amendment No. 5, 1964 (Town of Portland).

8. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Wednesdays shall be Four o'clock and that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business be rescinded and that for the remainder of the Session the hour of meeting on Wednesdays shall be Two o'clock and Government business shall take precedence of all other business.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

9. Justices (Registration) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

10. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

11. APPEAL COSTS FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

12. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

13. Dandenong Valley Authority (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to exempt the Dandenong Valley Authority from the Payment of Land Tax and certain other Rates and Taxes and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

14. Werribee Waterworks District (Abolition) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to abolish the Werribee Waterworks District and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

- 15. Bendigo Land (Special Grant) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the Grant of certain Land at Bendigo to the Trustees of the Congregation of the Sisters of Charity of Jesus and Mary in Victoria" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 16. Legal Aid (Costs) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 17. CHILDREN'S COURT (ADMISSION TO HEARINGS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Children's Court Act 1958' with respect to the Admission of Persons to Hearings, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 18. Health (Tuberculosis Arrangement) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to ratify and approve the Execution for and on behalf of the State of Victoria of an Arrangement with the Commonwealth of Australia with respect to Tuberculosis, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 19. PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Part I. of the Property Law Act 1958' with respect to certain Contracts with Infants for the Repayment of Loans and for Purposes connected therewith" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 20. ALTONA RAILWAY EXTENSION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 21. Medical (Foreign Practitioners) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
- 22. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Soil Conservation Authority to advise and assist Landholders in the Development and Use of their Water Resources, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 23. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.

24. Transfer of Land (Removal of Caveats) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 25. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

And then the Council, at forty-five minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 31.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH APRIL, 1965.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Country Fire Authority Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Part I. of the Country Fire Authority Act 1958' and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 3. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
- 4. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - Education Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Thomastown West.
- 5. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that no new business shall be taken after the hour of half-past Ten o'clock be suspended for the remainder of the Session, and that during the remainder of the Session new business may be taken at any hour.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 6. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
- 7. Home Finance (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 8. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 14 inclusive, and Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
- 9. Motor Car (Amendment) Bill (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

10. Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

11. Dandenong Valley Authority (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 12. CHILDREN'S COURT (ADMISSION TO HEARINGS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable A. Todd, moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
- 13. Bendigo Land (Special Grant) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 14. Labour and Industry (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
- 15. Teaching Service (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
- 16. Health (Tuberculosis Arrangement) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

 The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
- 17. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

18. Werribee Waterworks District (Abolition) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 19. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

20. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 21. Justices (Registration) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 22. Adjournment.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-one minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 31.

TUESDAY, 4TH MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many brick veneer and concrete villas, respectively, will be built by the Housing Commission in 1965-66.
 - (b) What is the cost of the concrete villa each year from 1958 to date.
 - (c) Why has the cost of concrete villas increased over the last three years.
 - (d) Is the whole of the money allocated to the concrete house project costed against the number of houses built; if not, what percentage goes to experimental works or is not costed against the concrete house.
- 2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) How many brick veneer and concrete villas, respectively, were sold by the Housing Commission last year, and how many of each were rented during that year.
 - (b) When is the concrete housing project closing down, and why.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Country Fire Authority Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- 2. Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Bill—(Hon G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 3. Home Finance (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 4. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 5. Teaching Service (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 6. Health (Tuberculosis Arrangement) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 7. CHILDREN'S COURT (ADMISSION TO HEARINGS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 8. Bendigo Land (Special Grant) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 9. Werribee Waterworks District (Abolition) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 10. Dandenong Valley Authority (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 11. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 12. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 13. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 14. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

*1. The Hon. A. J. Hunt: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Twenty-one of the *Marketing of Primary Products Act* 1958 and to make certain Provision with respect to Onions and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 32.

WEDNESDAY, 5TH MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing-
 - (a) What was the total output of prefabricated villas and flats from the Holmesglen concrete housing project for each of the past two calendar years.
 - (b) Is any major alteration to this type of employment envisaged in the foreseeable future.
- *2. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many cases were heard in the Richmond Court of Petty Sessions during the years 1963 and 1964, respectively, and from 1st January to date in the present year.
 - (b) Is any rebuilding or extension proposed for the Richmond court-house.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many prosecutions have been laid under the provisions of the *Litter Act* 1964, and how many have been sustained.
 - (b) What was the number of similar offences dealt with under council by-laws provided for in the Local Government Act 1958 in each of the three years prior to the introduction of the Litter Act 1964.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has any departmental or public inquiry been made at the direction of the Minister of Transport into the possibility of introducing staggered hours of employment to ease Melbourne's public transport problems, following his (the Minister's) announced support for such a proposal in 1963; if so—(i) who conducted the inquiry; (ii) when was it held; and (iii) what were the findings.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Workers Compensation (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION (CONTINUATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *3. GEELONG (KARDINIA PARK) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *4. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 6. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 7. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 8. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

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- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 11TH MAY.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- *2. ROAD TRAFFIC (INFRINGEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR,

President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

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LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 33.

THURSDAY, 6TH MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How often are the speedometers on the following police vehicles checked for accuracy—motor cycles, divisional vans, Anglia sedans, Volkswagen sedans, wireless patrol cars, pursuit vehicles, mobile traffic cars and courtesy cars, respectively.
 - (b) What tolerance is allowed.
 - (c) Is the tolerance taken into consideration when offenders are proceeded against for speed breaches of the Road Traffic Regulations.
- *2. The Hon. R. W. May: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—Is Galfer Pty. Ltd. going to open a factory at Traralgon; if so, when.
- *3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Is it obligatory for State primary schools in Victoria to adopt the Cuisenaire method of teaching arithmetic; if so, which grades are required to use this method.
 - (b) Is the Cuisenaire method being used as an aid to teaching by the orthodox methods, or must the orthodox methods be abandoned.
 - (c) If the orthodox methods are to be abandoned at any stage in the primary schools, are there sound reasons to justify this.
- *4. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What extra clerical staff has been employed by the Melbourne City Council to cope with parking infringements since the introduction of such regulations into the city.
- *5. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the standard price to schools of a set of Cuisenaire material or similar approved material.
 - (b) Does the Education Department provide the required sets of material free of cost to its schools.
 - (c) If the Department provides some sets—(i) what is the basis for supply; and (ii) how are schools expected to provide the additional sets required.
 - (d) How many sets of Cuisenaire material would be required for a school where the total enrolment of pupils in grades 1 to 3 is 450.
- *6. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Does the Education Department approve of parents purchasing or obtaining sets of Cuisenaire material for coaching pupils at home: if not, why not.
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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Crimes (Parole) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. The Constitution Act Amendment (Subordinate Legislation Committee) Bill— (from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *3. Aborigines (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *4. Sale of Land Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *5. Subordinate Legislation (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- *6. CRIMES (ILLEGAL USE OF MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 7. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 8. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

1. The Hon. A. J. Hunt: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Twenty-one of the *Marketing of Primary Products Act* 1958 and to make certain Provision with respect to Onions and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:

- 1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 11TH MAY.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 2. ROAD TRAFFIC (INFRINGEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

G. S. McARTHUR,

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CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.

Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 4TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Workers Compensation (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Workers Compensation Act 1958" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 3. AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION (CONTINUATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act relating to Agricultural Education" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 4. GEELONG (KARDINIA PARK) LAND BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Granting of Leases of certain Land in the City of Geelong permanently reserved as a Site for Public Recreation" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 5. Water (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Water Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 6. Road Traffic (Infringements) Bill.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make Provision with respect to the Imposition and Collection of Penalties for Traffic Offences and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 7. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958—Report of an actuarial investigation into the financial position and sufficiency of the Contracts Account for the period 1st March, 1961, to 29th February, 1964.
 - Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Accounts and statements of receipts and expenditure of the Melbourne Harbor Trust for the year 1964 (two papers).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (four papers).
- 8. Country Fire Authority Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 9. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until later this day.
- 10. ROAD TRAFFIC (INFRINGEMENTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

11. Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

12. Home Finance (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

13. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

14. Teaching Service (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

15. Health (Tuberculosis Arrangement) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

16. CHILDREN'S COURT (ADMISSION TO HEARINGS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

17. Bendigo Land (Special Grant) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 18. Werribee Waterworks District (Abolition) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 19. Dandenong Valley Authority (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 20. Adjournment.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at ten minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 33.

WEDNESDAY, 5TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor as Deputy for His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

Appeal Costs Fund (Amendment) Act.

Altona Railway Extension Act.

Transfer of Land (Removal of Caveats) Act.

Water Authorities Accident Insurance Act.

Portland Harbor Trust (Amendment) Act.

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Borrowing Powers) Act.

Justices (Registration) Act.

- 3. Aborigines (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Aborigines Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Country Roads Act 1958—Report of the Country Roads Board for the year 1963-64.

- Explosives Act 1960—Order in Council exempting the Gas and Fuel Corporation from certain provisions of the Act.
- 5. Workers Compensation (Amendment) Bill.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 6. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Three hundred and fifty-five of 'The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 7. CRIMES (PAROLE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Division 2 of Part IV. of the Crimes Act 1958" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 8. Subordinate Legislation (Amendment) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Subordinate Legislation Act 1962'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 9. AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION (CONTINUATION) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 10. Legal Aid (Costs) Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 11. Geelong (Kardinia Park) Land Bill.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 12. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

13. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 14. Sale of Land Bill.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Sale of Land Act 1962' the 'Local Government Act 1958' and the 'Transfer of Land Act 1958', and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 15. CRIMES (ILLEGAL USE OF MOTOR CARS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Crimes Act 1958', the 'Children's Court Act 1958' and the 'Children's Welfare Act 1958'" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 16. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 7, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
- 17. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair. House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

And then the Council, at forty minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 34.

THURSDAY, 6TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The House met in accordance with adjournment.
- 2. Absence of the President.—The Clerk having announced that the Honorable the President was unavoidably absent through illness, the Honorable W. R. Garrett, on the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, was chosen to fill temporarily the office and perform all the duties of the President during such absence.
- 3. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 4. Paper.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament was laid upon the table by the Clerk:—
 - Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Decimal Currency) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 59/1965).
- 5. CRIMES (PAROLE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

6. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable A. Todd having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

7. Aborigines (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

8. Sale of Land Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

9. Subordinate Legislation (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

10. Grain Elevators (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to increase the Borrowing Powers of the Grain Elevators Board" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

11. CRIMES (ILLEGAL USE OF MOTOR CARS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

12. Adjournment.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at forty-five minutes past Two o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 34.

TUESDAY, 11TH MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Is it obligatory for State primary schools in Victoria to adopt the Cuisenaire method of teaching arithmetic; if so, which grades are required to use this method.
 - (b) Is the Cuisenaire method being used as an aid to teaching by the orthodox methods, or must the orthodox methods be abandoned.
 - (c) If the orthodox methods are to be abandoned at any stage in the primary schools, are there sound reasons to justify this.
- 2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the standard price to schools of a set of Cuisenaire material or similar approved material.
 - (b) Does the Education Department provide the required sets of material free of cost to its schools.
 - (c) If the Department provides some sets—(i) what is the basis for supply; and (ii) how are schools expected to provide the additional sets required.
 - (d) How many sets of Cuisenaire material would be required for a school where the total enrolment of pupils in grades 1 to 3 is 450.
- 3. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Does the Education Department approve of parents purchasing or obtaining sets of Cuisenaire material for coaching pupils at home: if not, why not.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the Education Department carried out any extensive scientific testing which has demonstrated that the Cuisenaire method produces better and more lasting results than the orthodox methods of teaching arithmetic and number concepts.
 - (b) Are all teachers soundly trained in the Cuisenaire method.
 - (c) In schools where the Cuisenaire method is being used, are the teachers finding the method successful.
- *5. The Hon. I. R. Cathie: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has any officer of the Education Department any financial interests in the manufacture of Cuisenaire or other similar approved materials; if so, in what capacity is he employed.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Grain Elevators (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- 2. Road Traffic (Infringements) Bill—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 3. Country Fire Authority Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 4. Subordinate Legislation (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 5. CRIMES (ILLEGAL USE OF MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 6. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 7. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 8. Sale of Land Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 9. Aborigines (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 10. CRIMES (PAROLE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:--

1. The Hon. A. J. Hunt: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Twenty-one of the *Marketing of Primary Products Act* 1958 and to make certain Provision with respect to Onions and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. W. R. GARRETT,

Acting-President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable W. R. Garrett.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables P. V. Feltham, T. H. Grigg, and A. Todd.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 35.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the Government considered any proposal to co-ordinate the road and rail services from the Mansfield, Alexandra, Yea, Thornton, Eildon Weir, Marysville, and Narbethong areas to Melbourne, by terminating the road services at Healesville or Yarra Glen; if so, with what result.
 - (b) Are the road motor services in any of these areas arranged to co-ordinate with the rail services in any way; if so, which services.
 - (c) Have any recent alterations been approved to the road service to Marysville; if so, what were the alterations, and why were they made.
 - (d) Has any improvement been made during the past twelve months in the passenger revenue earned by the Healesville railway line as compared to the previous three years.
- *2. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many compensation claims involved in the re-siting of the Mt. Eliza dam remain undetermined, and what is the name of each claimant.
 - (b) What steps are being taken by the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission to finalize the claims.
- *3. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many prosecutions for illegal betting were recorded in Victorian courts from 1st July, 1963, to 31st March, 1965.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Is it current electoral practice to mark off a master roll in each or any of the closely contested State Legislative Assembly Districts or Legislative Council Provinces following State elections, to ascertain—(i) the names and addresses of electors failing to record their vote; and (ii) if any instances of illegal multiple voting are evident.
 - (b) What were the total electoral enrolments for Victoria as compared with the total adult population as at the 1947, 1954, and 1961 Census, respectively, and what is the estimated current comparison.
- *5. The Hon. P. V. Feltham: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When the Government's present legislation relating to increased motor registration fees is passed and comes into force, how much extra revenue is expected in one year from—(i) the increase in charges on power-weight units of the newly defined "private" cars from 4s. 6d. to 5s. 6d.; and (ii) the increase in the charges on "other" motor cars from 4s. 6d. to 8s. a power-weight unit.
- *6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it the intention of the Totalizator Agency Board to establish an agency in Burnley; if so—(i) when; and (ii) at what location.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. GLENROY TO TULLAMARINE RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- 2. Subordinate Legislation (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 3. CRIMES (ILLEGAL USE OF MOTOR CARS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 4. Grain Elevators (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 5. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 6. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 7. Sale of Land Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *8. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 9. Aborigines (Amendment) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 10. Crimes (Parole) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:--

1. The Hon. A. J. Hunt: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Twenty-one of the *Marketing of Primary Products Act* 1958 and to make certain Provision with respect to Onions and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. G. S. McARTHUR, *President*.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day,

No. 36.

THURSDAY, 13TH MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What was the comparative total population of each of the following municipalities as at the Census of 1954, and that of 1961, respectively, and the estimated totals in the most recent year available—Brunswick, Collingwood, Essendon, Fitzroy, Malvern, Melbourne, Northcote, Port Melbourne, Prahran, Richmond, South Melbourne, St. Kilda, and Williamstown.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development-
 - (a) Are negotiations still taking place for the leasing of a site for the development of a motel/hotel within the confines of the Wilson's Promontory National Park; if so, who are the person or persons financially interested.
 - (b) Does the National Parks Authority favour such a proposal within its trust properties.
 - (c) Has any assurance been given to a Committee known as the Wilson's Promontory Protection Committee, that the terms and conditions of any proposed lease would be made known to them prior to finalization; if so, is this assurance still current.
 - (d) Was the proposed lease originally advertised for allocation by public tender; if so, will fresh tenders be called if the final terms and conditions are more favourable than those proposed at the time of the original advertisement.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Stamps Bill (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading.
- 2. GLENROY TO TULLAMARINE RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 3. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 4. Sale of Land Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- 5. Crimes (Parole) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
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- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
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TUESDAY, 18TH MAY.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:

*1. Electoral Provinces and Districts Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council. W. R. GARRETT,

Acting-President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.

Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 35.

TUESDAY, 11TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Messages from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts (Amendment) Act.

Health (Tuberculosis Arrangement) Act.

Children's Court (Admission to Hearings) Act.

Bendigo Land (Special Grant) Act.

Werribee Waterworks District (Abolition) Act.

Dandenong Valley Authority (Amendment) Act.

Legal Aid (Costs) Act.

Agricultural Education (Continuation) Act.

Geelong (Kardinia Park) Land Act.

Water (Amendment) Act.

Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Amendment) Act.

The Constitution Act Amendment (Subordinate Legislation Committee) Act.

- 3. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Law relating to the Sale of Farm Produce" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. GLENROY TO TULLAMARINE RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Construction of a Line of Railway from Glenroy to Tullamarine, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 5. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament were laid upon the table by the Clerk:—

Explosives Act 1960—Report of the Chief Inspector of Explosives for the year 1964.

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Proclamation declaring that Maize shall become the property of the Maize Marketing Board.

Poisons Act 1962—Proclamation amending certain Schedules to the Act.

Stock Foods Act 1958—Proclamation altering the chemical standards of Bran and Pollard.

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 4, 1963 (City of Geelong West).

Tyers Planning Scheme 1952—Amendment No. 1, 1964.

Water Act 1958—Declaration of the Minister of Water Supply relating to the proposed Strathfieldsaye Waterworks District.

6. Grain Elevators (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Debate ensued.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

7. ROAD TRAFFIC (INFRINGEMENTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the Bill be now read a third time.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 19.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

G. L. Chandler,

M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham,

W. R. Garrett,

F. J. Granter (Teller), T. H. Grigg,

K. S. Gross.

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson (Teller), R. W. Mack,

G. J. Nicol,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie (Teller),

D. G. Elliot (Teller), J. W. Galbally,

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

8. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

9. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second

The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

And then the Council, at thirty-nine minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD,

No. 36.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The House met in accordance with adjournment.
- 2. Absence of the President.—The Clerk having announced that the Honorable the President was unavoidably absent through illness, the Honorable W. R. Garrett, on the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, was chosen to fill temporarily the office and perform all the duties of the President during such absence.
- 3. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 4. ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to provide for an Increase in the Number of Electoral Provinces and Electoral Districts and for the Redivision of the Southern Part of Victoria into Electoral Provinces and for the Redivision of the Whole of Victoria into Electoral Districts and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 5. GLENROY TO TULLAMARINE RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

6. Subordinate Legislation (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 7. CRIMES (ILLEGAL USE OF MOTOR CARS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 8. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.
- 9. Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

- 10. Stamps Bill (No. 2).—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Stamps Act 1958' and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 11. Grain Elevators (Borrowing Powers) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 12. Electoral Provinces and Districts Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

13. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
- 14. Postponement of Orders of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 and 8, be postponed until later this day.
- 15. Aborigines (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
 - The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

And then the Council, at thirty-two minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 37.

THURSDAY, 13TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Subordinate Legislation (Amendment) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.

- 3. CRIMES (ILLEGAL USE OF MOTOR CARS) BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 4. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
- 5. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:-

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Butchering Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 63/1965). Apprenticeship (Watch Making Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 62/1965).

Clean Air Act 1958—Clean Air Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 64/1965).

Labour and Industry Act 1958-Labour and Industry (Machinery) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No.

Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—Regulations prescribing the City of Heidelberg and a portion of the Shire of Diamond Valley as Districts (S.R. No. 65/1965).

Supreme Court Act 1958—

Supreme Court (Amendment) Rules 1965 No. 1 (S.R. No. 66/1965).

Supreme Court (Probate and Administration) Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 67/1965).

Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No.

6. STAMPS BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable P. V. Feltham moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

- 7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 5 inclusive, and the Notice of Motion, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
- 8. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read-

The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

9. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- 10. Mordialloc Public Hall and Court House Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the Surrender to the Crown of certain Land at Mordialloc and the Erection on the Land of a Public Hall and Court House, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. W. Mack, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 11. Sale of Land Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council

have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

12. Mordialloc Public Hall and Court House Bill.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. W. Mack moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

13. Adjournment—Alteration of Hour of Meeting.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Four o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-three minutes past Three o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 37.

TUESDAY, 18th MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- 1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development-
 - (a) Are negotiations still taking place for the leasing of a site for the development of a motel/hotel within the confines of the Wilson's Promontory National Park; if so, who are the person or persons financially interested.
 - (b) Does the National Parks Authority favour such a proposal within its trust properties.
 - (c) Has any assurance been given to a Committee known as the Wilson's Promontory Protection Committee, that the terms and conditions of any proposed lease would be made known to them prior to finalization; if so, is this assurance still current.
 - (d) Was the proposed lease originally advertised for allocation by public tender; if so, will fresh tenders be called if the final terms and conditions are more favourable than those proposed at the time of the original advertisement.
- *2. The Hon. A. Todd: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When is it anticipated that the proposed high school in South Melbourne will open, either in its own building or in temporary premises.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many separate plans for farm water conservation have been requested and prepared for individual farmers by—(i) the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission; (ii) the Soil Conservation Authority; and (iii) any other government authority.
 - (b) When was the practice first introduced and under what Act was it operated.
 - (c) What are the total costs involved, how are they financed and what are the amounts (if any), still outstanding, for each of the authorities concerned.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. Tripovich: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Concerning Legislative Council Provinces—(i) when did the last redistribution take place, and what were the directions (if any) to the electoral commissioners; (ii) what were the names of the Provinces and the total enrolment of each prior to the redistribution and after the redistribution, respectively; and (iii) what was the enrolment for each Province as at the date of the elections held in 1949 and 1952, respectively.
- *5. The Hon. D. G. Elliot: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When is it now anticipated that the Government will proceed with the erection of the Richmond High School.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 2. Stamps Bill (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
- 3. Crimes (Parole) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- 4. GLENROY TO TULLAMARINE RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 5. Electoral Provinces and Districts Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *6. Mordialloc Public Hall and Court House Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
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General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:--

1. The Hon. A. J. Hunt: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Twenty-one of the *Marketing of Primary Products Act* 1958 and to make certain Provision with respect to Onions and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day,

No. 38.

WEDNESDAY, 19TH MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) When is it proposed to build an over-pass over the Sunshine-Newport loop line at Melbourne-road, Spotswood.
 - (b) Have plans been drawn up for the over-pass.
 - (c) How many homes will be affected by the building of the over-pass.
 - (d) Will the Williamstown City Council be consulted in the building operations.
 - (e) When will the work commence.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:

- *1. Roads (Special Projects) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 2. Mordialloc Public Hall and Court House Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. W. Mack)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- 3. GLENROY TO TULLAMARINE RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- *4. VALUATION OF LAND (APPEALS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *5. National Parks (Amendment) Bill (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:--

1. The Hon. A. J. Hunt: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Twenty-one of the *Marketing of Primary Products Act* 1958 and to make certain Provision with respect to Onions and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

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- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 39.

THURSDAY, 20th MAY, 1965.

Questions.

W. Gaitaily,

- *1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Why has the Public Works Department planned for protective groynes at Rickett's Point and off the point north of Safety Beach, Dromana.
 - (b) What effects will these groynes have on tidal and sand movements in these areas.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health-
 - (a) What form of advice is given to parents whose children are examined by school medical officers and are referred because of a vision defect, how is such advice worded, and how long has the practice been in use.
 - (b) What standard of qualifications is needed to ensure registration to practise in Victoria as an optometrist, and does the Health Department accept this standard as satisfactory.
- (c) Is the Government aware that optometrists refer for medical treatment all abnormal eye conditions recognized as other than vision defects.
 - (d) If the answers to parts (b) and (c) of this question are in the affirmative, will the Minister take action to see that parents of children referred because of defective vision are given the choice of consulting an optometrist among other medical advisers recommended.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) Does the Education Department approve of children acting as monitors at school pedestrian crossings.
 - (b) Have any children been killed or injured whilst engaged as monitors; if so—(i) how many; (ii) what were their respective ages; (c) what injuries were suffered; and (iv) was compensation paid in respect of the deaths or injuries and, in that case, what amounts were involved.
 - (c) Does the Government approve of the use of children in such a capacity, and will the practice continue.
 - *4. The Hon. H. A. Hewson: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Clean Air Committee investigated air pollution by cement works at Traralgon; if so, what was its finding.
 - *5. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Minister lay on the table of the Library the tentative plans in respect of the Sunshine-Newport loop line over-pass.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- 2. Roads (Special Projects) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer).—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
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General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:-

1. The Hon. A. J. Hunt: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Twenty-one of the *Marketing of Primary Products Act* 1958 and to make certain Provision with respect to Onions and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- 3. Scientology Restriction Bill—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

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- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- Subordinate Legislation (Joint).—The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 38.

TUESDAY, 18TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Message from His Excellency the Governor.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz.:—

Country Fire Authority Act.

Subordinate Legislation (Amendment) Act.

Crimes (Illegal Use of Motor Cars) Act.

Property Law (Loans to Minors) Act.

Soil Conservation (Water Resources) Act.

Grain Elevators (Borrowing Powers) Act.

Aborigines (Amendment) Act.

- 3. National Parks (Amendment) Bill (No. 2).—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Surrender to the Crown of certain Lands held upon certain Trusts and the Reservation thereof as a Site for a National Park and to declare the said Lands upon the Reservation thereof to be a National Park under the 'National Parks Act 1958', to amend the said Act, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
- 4. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Friendly Societies Act 1958 and Benefit Associations Act 1958—Reports of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies and Benefit Associations for the year 1962-63.

Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 115 of the Police Service Board.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).

5. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the Acting-President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

- The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

6. STAMPS BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 7. CRIMES (PAROLE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

- The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 8. Postponement of Order of the Day.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
- 9. ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read-

Debate resumed.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, as an amendment, That the word "now" be omitted and the words 'this day six months" be added to the question.

Debate ensued.

Question—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

G. L. Chandler,

M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham,

C. S. Gawith,

F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg,

K. S. Gross (Teller),

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson (Teller), R. W. Mack, G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider.

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,
D. G. Elliot (Teller),
J. W. Galbally,

A. W. Knight,

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton (Teller).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Amendment negatived.

Question—That the Bill be now read a second time—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the Bill be now read a third time.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne (Teller),
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
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A. W. Knight (Teller),
G. J. O'Connell,
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

10. Valuation of Land (Appeals) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to make Better Provision for Appeals against Valuations of Land, and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

11. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

12. Roads (Special Projects) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Thirty-eight of the Country Roads Act 1958', to amend the "Motor Car Act 1958', to make Provision for the Establishment of a Fund to be applied to Special Road Projects, to amend the "Stamps Act 1958' and for other purposes" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

13. VALUATION OF LAND (APPEALS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question-That the debate be now adjourned-put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

14. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-five minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD,

No. 39.

WEDNESDAY, 19TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Statute Law Revision Committee—Coronial Inquiries and Committal Proceedings.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon Coronial Inquiries and Committal Proceedings, together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

3. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor— Victorian Licensing Court and Licences Reduction Board-Report and Statement of Accounts for the year 1963-64.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the

Police Regulation Act 1958—Police (Charges for Police Services) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 68/1965).

4. ROADS (SPECIAL PROJECTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting. Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 21.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

G. L. Chandler,

M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham, C. S. Gawith (Teller),

F. J. Granter,

T. H. Grigg,

K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson,

R. W. Mack,

R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne (Teller),

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 8. The Hon. I. R. Cathie,

D. G. Elliot,

J. W. Galbally, A. W. Knight,

G. J. O'Connell (Teller),

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich, J. M. Walton (Teller).

5. Mordialloc Public Hall and Court House Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

6. GLENROY TO TULLAMARINE RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, as an amendment, That all the words after "That" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words "in the opinion of this House the proposals contained in this Bill should be referred to the Public Works Committee for consideration and report".

Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 11. Noes, 14. The Hon. Murray Byrne, W. M. Campbell, The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Sir Percy Byrnes, V. O. Dickie, I. R. Cathie, C. S. Gawith, M. A. Clarke (Teller), F. J. Granter (Teller), D. G. Elliot, T. H. Grigg, P. V. Feltham, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, G. J. Nicol (Teller), G. W. Thom, R. W. May, G. J. O'Connell, L. H. S. Thompson. I. A. Swinburne, A. Todd, J. M. Tripovich (Teller), J. M. Walton.

And so it passed in the negative.

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That, in the opinion of this House, the proposals contained in this Bill should be referred to the Public Works Committee for consideration and report—put and resolved in the affirmative.

7. Valuation of Land (Appeals) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

8. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, and had amended the title thereof, which amended title is as follows:—"An Act to authorize the Surrender to the Crown of certain Lands held upon certain Trusts and the Reservation thereof as a Site for a National Park, to amend the 'National Parks Act 1958', and for other purposes" the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

9. VALUATION OF LAND (APPEALS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the Acting-President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

- 10. Postponement of Notice of Motion.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notice of Motion, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
- 11. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved-That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

12. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to constitute a Body Corporate under the Style and Title of the Victoria Institute of Colleges, and to confer on such Body Corporate such Powers as are necessary or expedient to co-ordinate and advance the Provision of Tertiary Education in certain Institutions" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

And then the Council, at thirty-five minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 40.

THURSDAY, 20th MAY, 1965.

- 1. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 4).—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Forty-three million eight hundred and seventy-seven thousand eight hundred and forty pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-six" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 3. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 5).—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of One million seven hundred and seventy-seven thousand five hundred and four pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- 4. Paper.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That there be laid before this House the Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to Section 177 of the Companies Act 1961 concerning certain share dealings in Albion Quarries Limited.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- The said Report was thereupon presented by the Honorable G. L. Chandler and ordered to lie on the Table.
- 5. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part III.—Promotions and Transfers.

6. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. Roads (Special Projects) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved-That the Council will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- 8. Sale of Land Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 9. Postponement of Notice of Motion.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notice of Motion, General Business, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
- 10. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the Acting-President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

11. Adjournment—Alteration of Hour of Meeting.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-seven minutes past Three o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 40.

TUESDAY, 25TH MAY, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the maximum population for which the existing water and sewerage facilities can cater, without more than routine extensions for new streets, in each of the following communities:—Geelong, Ballarat, Werribee, Bacchus Marsh, the Latrobe Valley, the Mornington Peninsula, Wangaratta, Shepparton, Benalla, Wodonga, and Portland.
 - (b) Approximately what new catchments and storage works are necessary.
 - (c) In each case, what additional capital expenditure would be required to extend facilities to cater for populations of 50,000; 100,000; 250,000; and in the case of Geelong, 500,000.
 - (d) If the answers to the foregoing are not available, would the extension of facilities of this order be cheaper than for similar populations in the Melbourne area; if so, what is the essential difference.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) Has the taking and processing of the metropolitan traffic survey reached a stage when firm recommendations can be made on the statistics obtained.
 - (b) When will the survey be completed.
- (c) Have any meetings of the Metropolitan Transportation Committee been held; if so—(i) how many; and (ii) from what date.
 - (d) Have firm recommendations been made concerning the desirability or otherwise of the proposed Glenroy-Tullamarine railway, the proposed Tullamarine freeway, and the construction of an over-pass at the St. Kilda Junction, respectively; if so, will the Minister lay on the table of the Library papers associated with and containing the recommendations.
 - *3. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When is it expected that tenders will be called for the new Wodonga Technical School.
 - *4. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture-
 - (a) What stage have negotiations reached in relation to the purchase of private property at Jack Smith Lake for the extension of the area held by the Fisheries and Wildlife Department.
 - (b) When were negotiations commenced, and when will they be completed and purchase money paid to landholders whose properties will be affected.
 - (c) Has a concrete spillway control outlet been constructed at the lake; if so—(i) what was the cost of the construction; (ii) what area of private property has been or will be affected; and (iii) has the Department either the moral or legal right to interfere with the natural outlet of water, thereby affecting private property.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- *1. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 4)—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 5)—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- 3. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 4. Roads (Special Projects) Bill—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
 - * Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

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SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint).—The Honorables the President (ex officio), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton.
- Printing.—The Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd.
- Standing Orders.—The Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).--The Honorables H. A. Hewson, G. J. O'Connell, and B. D. Snider.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 41.

TUESDAY, 25TH MAY, 1965.

- 1. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Medical (Foreign Practitioners) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 3. Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 4. Home Finance (Amendment) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 5. ROAD TRAFFIC (INFRINGEMENTS) BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 6. Companies (Amendment) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 7. Health (Household Insecticides) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
- 8. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 9. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 10. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 11. VALUATION OF LAND (APPEALS) BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
- 12. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - Ordered—That the amendments be taken into consideration later this day.
- 13. Workers Compensation (Amendment) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made in such Bill by the Council and have made an amendment in the Bill with which they desire the concurrence of the Council.
 - Ordered-That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration later this day.
- 14. Teaching Service (Amendment) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - Ordered—That the amendments be taken into consideration later this day.

15. VETERINARY SURGEONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the amendment be taken into consideration later this day.

16. Marketing of Primary Products (Egg Marketing) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the amendments be taken into consideration later this day.

17. MAINTENANCE BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the amendments be taken into consideration later this day.

18. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:-

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).

University Act 1958—Financial statements of the University of Melbourne for the year 1963.

19. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 4).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

20. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 5).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

21. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

22. Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :-

Stamps Act.

Crimes (Parole) Act.

Electoral Provinces and Districts Act.

Mordialloc Public Hall and Court House Act.

23. ROADS (SPECIAL PROJECTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the Acting-President left the Chair.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was, after debate, read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

24. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 4).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council

have agreed to the same without amendment.

- 25. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 5).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
 - House in Committee.
 - The Acting-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 26. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows:—
 - 1. Clause 1, sub-clause (1), line 7, omit "1964" and insert "1965".
 - 2. Clause 3, sub-clause (2), line 43, after "sixty" insert "of the Principal Act".
 - 3. Clause 3, page 3, sub-clause (3), lines 6-13, omit all words and expressions in these lines and insert—
 - "a person shall not be appointed—
 - (a) by the council of any municipality as a building surveyor or building inspector unless he is the holder of an appropriate certificate of qualification issued by the Municipal Building Surveyors Board under the provisions of this Act or any corresponding previous enactment; or
 - (b) by the council of any municipality which has been declared by order of the Governor in Council to be a municipality to which this paragraph applies, as a building surveyor or building inspector otherwise than in a full-time capacity."
 - 4. Clause 3, page 3, sub-clause (4), paragraph (d), line 32, after "of" insert "sub-section (4) of section three of".
 - 5. Clause 8, sub-clause (1), line 8, omit "1958" and insert "1961".
 - 6. Clause 10, sub-clause (3), line 31, omit "Act" and insert "section".
 - 7. Clause 11, sub-clause (1), line 40, omit "inserted" and insert "substituted".
 - 8. Clause 11, page 8, sub-clause (3), line 28, omit "paragraph" and insert "sub-section".
 - 9. Clause 11, page 8, sub-clause (3), line 38, omit "paragraph" and insert "sub-section".
 - 10. Clause 12, sub-clause (1), line 1, after "(xxxi) of" insert "sub-section (1) of".
 - 11. Clause 12, sub-clause (2), line 8, after "street or road" insert "or in a parking area provided by the municipality otherwise than in a street or road or left standing on any other land vested in or under the control of the municipality".
 - 12. Clause 15, line 28, omit "section" and insert "sections".
 - 13. Clause 15, page 11, line 23, at the end of this clause insert-
 - "802A. (1) Where any lands are vested in a municipality and the council of the municipality is of the opinion that it would be in the public interest to erect any building or structure on such land or to make any other improvements to such land the council with the consent of the Governor in Council may, whether such lands have been demised by the council or not, cause such buildings or structures to be erected or such improvements to be made or contribute towards the cost of any such buildings structures or improvements and any such buildings structures or improvements shall be deemed to be permanent works and undertakings within the meaning of Part XV.
 - (2) The Governor in Council shall not consent to the exercise of any power conferred on a council by the last preceding sub-section unless he is satisfied that the council will be entitled to recover the amount proposed to be spent by the council in the exercise of the power together with interest at a rate of not less than five and a half per centum per annum on the amount so spent which is for the time being outstanding.
 - (3) This section and the last preceding section shall extend and apply to the cities of Melbourne and Geelong.
 - (4) The powers conferred by this section on the council of a municipality shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any other powers conferred on the council of a municipality by this or any other Act."
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Council agreed to the amendments made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

27. Workers Compensation (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Message from the Assembly agreeing to the amendments made by the Council and making an amendment in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows:—

Amendment made by the Legislative Council.

1. Clause 2, page 2, paragraphs (b) and (c), omit these

paragraphs.

How dealt with by the Legislative Assembly.

Agreed to but the following amendment made in the Bill: insert the following paragraph to follow Clause 2 paragraph (a):-

'() For the interpretation of "Injury" there shall be substituted the following interpretation: "Injury" means any physical or mental

injury, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing includes-

(a) a disease contracted by a worker the course \mathbf{of} employment whether at or away from his place of employment and to which the employment was a contributing factor; and

(b) the recurrence aggravation or acceleration of any pre-existing injury or disease where the employment was a contributing factor to such recurrence aggravation or acceleration-

and for the purposes of this interpretation the employment of a worker shall be taken to include any travelling referred to in sub-section (2) of section eight of this Act.'

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this House agree to the amendment made by the Assembly. Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 13. The Hon. Murray Byrne, W. M. Campbell, G. L. Chandler, V. O. Dickie, C. S. Gawith, F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg, K. S. Gross (Teller), R. J. Hamer, G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider, G. W. Thom (Teller),

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Sir Percy Byrnes, I. R. Cathie, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, P. V. Feltham, J. W. Galbally, H. A. Hewson,

A. W. Knight, R. W. May, G. J. O'Connell,

I. A. Swinburne, A. Todd (Teller),

J. M. Tripovich (Teller), J. M. Walton.

And so it passed in the negative.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have disagreed with the amendment made by the Assembly in the Bill.

> And the Council having continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock-WEDNESDAY, 26TH MAY, 1965.

- 28. Teaching Service (Amendment) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows:-
 - 1. Clause 2, omit this clause.
 - 2. Insert the following new clause to follow clause 1:—

AA. For sub-section (5) of section five of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sub-section:

- (5) For the purposes of this section—
 - (a) "teachers" means permanent officers in the Education Department who are engaged in teaching in any State school technical school or teachers' college and persons temporarily employed on a full time basis in the teaching service and includes professional officers appointed under this Act and students in training, but does not include student teachers or sewing mistresses; and
 - (b) "students in training" includes student instructors in technical schools.

On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, and after debate, the Council agreed to the amendments made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

- 29. VETERINARY SURGEONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows:—

 Clause 4, page 3, line 8, omit "twelve" and insert "three".
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, and after debate, the Council agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
- 30. Marketing of Primary Products (Egg Marketing) Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows:—
 - 1. Clause 12, line 37, omit "the Act" and insert "this Act".
 - 2. Clause 12, line 38, omit "the Act" and insert "this Act".
 - On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, and after debate, the Council agreed to the amendments made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
- 31. Maintenance Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows:—
 - 1. Clause 2, sub-clause (3), page 4, line 1, omit "enforceable" and insert "made or continued in force".
 - 2. Clause 16, sub-clause (3), page 15, line 7, omit "payment" and insert "order".
 - 3. Clause 20, sub-clause (2), page 17, line 27, after "section" insert "shall not be subject to suspension, variation or appeal and".
 - 4. Clause 25, sub-clause (2), page 19, line 17, omit "a person" and insert "the defendant".
 - 5. Clause 26, sub-clause (3), page 20, line 19, omit "cohabition" and insert "cohabitation".
 - 6. Clause 41, sub-clause (2), page 28, line 5, omit "me" and insert "be".
 - 7. Clause 47, sub-clause (2), page 33, line 11, omit "ex parte and".
 - 8. Clause 59, sub-clause (1), page 38, line 17, omit "sub-section (1) of".
 - 9. Clause 59, sub-clause (2), page 38, line 24, omit "sub-section (1) of".
 - 10. Clause 76, page 50, line 16, omit "(1)".
 - 11. Clause 84, page 55, line 7, omit "(1)".
 - 12. Clause 111, sub-clause (2), page 70, line 42, after "sub-section" insert "and to the hearing of any application for the discharge, suspension or variation of a maintenance order made upon any such complaint."
 - On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Council agreed to the amendments made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
- 32. Adjournment—Alteration of Hour of Meeting.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until tomorrow at Twelve o'clock noon.

 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council at thirteen minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until tomorrow.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 42.

THURSDAY, 27th MAY, 1965.

- 1. The Acting-President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. Papers.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Tobacco Leaf Marketing (Accounts) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 70/1965).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.

Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (two papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

Shire of Frankston Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 2, 1963. Town and Country Planning Regulations, Amending Regulations No. 2 (S.R. No. 69/1965).

- 3. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES BILL.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
- 4. Workers Compensation (Amendment) Bill.—The Acting-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Council in the Bill.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be now taken into consideration.

And the said amendment was read and is as follows:-

Amendment made by the Legislative Council.

1. Clause 2, page 2, paragraphs

paragraphs.

(b) and (c), omit these

How dealt with.

Agreed to by Assembly but the following amendment made in the Bill:-

Clause 2, insert the following paragraph to follow paragraph (a):-

'() For the interpretation of "Injury" there shall be substituted the following interpretation:-

"Injury" means any physical or mental without limiting the injury, and generality of the foregoing, includes-

- (a) a disease contracted by a worker in the course of his employment whether at or away from place of employment $_{
 m his}$ and to which the employment was a contributing factor; and
- (b) the recurrence aggravation or acceleration of any pre-existing injury or disease where the employment was a contributing factor to such recurrence aggravation or acceleration-

and for the purposes of this interpretation the employment of a worker shall be taken to include any travelling referred to in sub-section (2) of section eight of this Act.'

Assembly's amendment in the Bill disagreed with by Council.

Amendment insisted on by Assembly.

The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the Council do not insist on disagreeing with the amendment in the Bill made and insisted on by the Assembly.

Debate ensued.

Question-put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Sir Percy Byrnes, W. M. Campbell (Teller),

G. L. Chandler,

M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

C. S. Gawith (Teller),

T. H. Grigg,

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson, R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider, I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie (Teller),

D. G. Elliot,

J. W. Galbally,

A. W. Knight,

G. J. O'Connell, A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton (Teller).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council do not insist on disagreeing with the amendment in the Bill made and insisted on by the Assembly.

5. Adjournment.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

6. Adjournment.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-nine minutes past Two o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

L. G. McDONALD, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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Messages were received from His Excellency the Governor after the final adjournment of both Houses informing the Legislative Council that he had, on the dates mentioned hereunder, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts of the present Session, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

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PROROGUING PARLIAMENT AND FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-THIRD PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS the Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until such day and hour as may be fixed by the President of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly respectively: Now I, the Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue the said Parliament of Victoria until Tuesday, the fourteenth day of September, 1965, and I do hereby fix Tuesday the fourteenth day of September, 1965, aforesaid, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the said Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne: And the Honourable the Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand and seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five, and in the fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY E. BOLTE,

Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SELECT COMMITTEES

SESSION 1964-65.

No. 1.—STANDING ORDERS.

Appointed 14th July, 1964.

The Hon. the President
Murray Byrne
Sir Percy Byrnes
J. W. Galbally
W. R. Garrett

The Hon. F. J. Granter K. S. Gross I. A. Swinburne S. Merrifield

No. 2.—HOUSE (JOINT).

Appointed 14th July, 1964.

(See Act No. 6224 s. 334.)

The Hon. the President (ex officio)
D. G. Elliot
C. S. Gawith

The Hon. H. A. Hewson R. W. May A. Todd

No. 3.—LIBRARY (JOINT).

Appointed 14th July, 1964.

(See Act No. 6224 s. 342.)

The Hon. the President M. A. Clarke A. J. Hunt The Hon. S. Merrifield J. M. Walton

No. 4.—PRINTING.

Appointed 14th July, 1964.

The Hon. the President
A. K. Bradbury
W. M. Campbell
T. H. Grigg

The Hon. H. A. Hewson A. W. Knight A. R. Mansell A. Todd

No. 5.—STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).

Appointed 14th July, 1964.

(See Act No. 6224 s. 343.)

The Hon. M. A. Clarke R. W. May G. J. Nicol The Hon. G. W. Thom
J. M. Tripovich
J. M. Walton

No. 6.—SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE (JOINT).

Appointed 14th July, 1964.

(See Act No. 6224 s. 352.)

The Hon. H. A. Hewson G. J. O'Connell The Hon. B. D. Snider

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SESSION 1964-65.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 1st DECEMBER, 1964.

- No. 1.—Local Government (Amendment) Bill.—Clause 3—
 - 3. (1) For sub-sections (10) and (11) of section one hundred and sixty of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sub-sections:—
 - "(10) The person holding the inquiry—
 - (a) shall determine the amount, if any, that shall be paid by the council to the officer if the council discharges or terminates the employment of the officer but the amount so determined shall not exceed an amount equal to the amount of four weeks salary for each year of the officer's service with the council or eight weeks salary (whichever is the greater); and for the purposes of this paragraph salary shall be reckoned on the average weekly salary paid to the officer during the fifty-two weeks immediately preceding the date upon which the inquiry was ordered or the officer was suspended as the case may be;
 - (b) may order that the whole or any part of the costs and expenses (including the expenses of the person holding the inquiry) be paid by either the council or the officer; and
 - (c) shall determine whether the officer shall or shall not be paid his salary or any part thereof for the period of his suspension.
 - (11) Any sum or any costs and expenses awarded by the person holding the inquiry pursuant to the provisions of the last preceding sub-section may be recovered in the same manner as a civil debt recoverable summarily."
 - (2) In sub-section (4) of section one hundred and sixty for the words "one week" there shall be substituted the words "fourteen days".
 - (3) For sub-section (3) of section one hundred and sixty-three of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sub-section:—
 - "(3) Except with the consent of the Minister given after considering a report of the Municipal Building Surveyors Board a person shall not be appointed by the council of any municipality—
 - (a) as a building surveyor or building inspector unless he is the holder of an appropriate certificate of qualification issued by the Municipal Building Surveyors Board under the provisions of this Act or any corresponding previous enactment; or
 - (b) as a building surveyor or building inspector otherwise than in a full time capacity."

- (4) Section one hundred and seventy-five of the Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:-
 - (a) In sub-section (2) after the words "building surveyor" there shall be inserted the words " or building inspector";
 - (b) In sub-section (3) for the words a certificate to be called a "certificate of qualification" there shall be substituted the words "an appropriate certificate to be called a certificate of qualification as a building surveyor or a certificate of qualification as a building inspector' (as the case requires)";
 - (c) In the proviso to sub-section (3) for the words "such person a certificate of qualification" there shall be substituted the words "such person a certificate of qualification as a building surveyor";
 - (d) At the end of sub-section (3) there shall be inserted the following proviso:

"Provided further that if any person who on the coming into operation of the Local Government (Amendment) Act 1964 held the office or carried out the duties of a building inspector in any municipal district proves at any time to the satisfaction of the Municipal Building Surveyors Board that he has for a period of three years at least held the office of, or carried out the duties of building inspector in any municipality or municipalities in Victoria, including the City of Melbourne and the City of Geelong, the Board shall issue to such a person a certificate of qualification as a building inspector."

—(Hon. R. J. Hamer.)

Question—That clause 3 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 22.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham, C. S. Gawith, F. J. Granter,

T. H. Grigg,

K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, H. A. Hewson,

A. J. Hunt (Teller),

R. W. Mack,

A. R. Mansell, R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom (Teller),

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,

D. G. Elliot, J. W. Galbally, A. W. Knight,

S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd (Teller), J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton (Teller).

- No. 2.—Local Government (Amendment) Bill.—Clause 16—
 - 16. (1) In section one of the Principal Act after the expression-

"Part XL.—Power to Maintain and Aid Public Agricultural and other Schools and Colleges, s. 811."

there shall be inserted the expression-

- "Part XLA.—Assistance to Decentralized Industries, ss. 811A—811B."
- (2) At the end of Part XL. of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following Part:-'PART XLA.—Assistance to Decentralized Industries.

811A. The Council of a municipality may from time to time enter into arrangements with any person for the purpose of promoting or assisting the development of decentralized industry within the municipality.

- 811B. (1) For the purpose of giving effect to any arrangement entered into pursuant to the last preceding section the council of a municipality may subject to and in accordance with the provisions of this Act-
 - (a) purchase or take compulsorily any land in the municipal district;
 - (b) use or dispose of any lands vested in the municipality not being recreational lands within the meaning of the Cultural and Recreational Lands Act 1963 or lands granted to the municipality by the Crown.
- (2) The council of a municipality may pursuant to any arrangement made pursuant to the last preceding section erect buildings and carry out works on land vested in the municipality or pursuant to such arrangment erect buildings and carry out works on land vested in any other person on such terms (including terms as to repayment of expenditure incurred by the municipality) as may be specified in the arrangement.

(3) The purchase or acquisition of any land or the erection of any buildings and the carrying out of any works pursuant to an arrangement made under the preceding section shall be deemed and taken to be permanent works and undertakings within the meaning of Part XV.

811c. In this Part "decentralized industry" means a manufacturing or processing industry carried on by a person at a place-

- (a) within a radius of five miles from the particular post office at any one of the following places namely Bacchus Marsh Broadford Gisborne Kilmore Kyneton or Woodend; or
- (b) beyond a radius of fifty miles from the post office at the corner of Bourke and Elizabeth streets in the city of Melbourne-

and approved in writing for the purposes of this Part by the Minister of State Development.'

-(Hon. R. J. Hamer.)

Question—That clause 16 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 22.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham,

C. S. Gawith, F. J. Granter (Teller),

T. H. Grigg,

K. S. Gross (Teller),

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson,

A. J. Hunt,

R. W. Mack,

A. R. Mansell,

R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie (Teller),

D. G. Elliot,

J. W. Galbally,

A. W. Knight,

S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich (Teller),

J. M. Walton.

THURSDAY, 3RD DECEMBER, 1964.

No. 3.—Consumers Protection Bill.—Clause 3—

- 3. (1) The Council shall be appointed by the Minister and shall consist of-
 - (a) a person representing the interests of manufacturers selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister thinks represents such interests;
 - (b) one person representing the interests of retail traders in consumer goods selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister thinks represents such interests;
 - (c) two persons representing the interests of the consumers of whom at least one shall be a woman; and
 - (d) one person appointed as Chairman of the Council-

and the Minister may at any time remove any person so appointed and may subject to this Act appoint another person in his stead.

- (2) Members of the Council shall be appointed for such term not exceeding five years as the Minister determines but upon the expiration of the term for which any member is appointed he shall be eligible for re-appointment if then qualified.
- (3) A quorum of the Council shall consist of not less than three members and subject to there being a quorum the Council may act notwithstanding any vacancy in its membership.
- (4) At any meeting of the Council the Chairman or in his absence a member elected by the members present to be chairman of the meeting shall preside.

- (5) The decision upon any matter of the majority of the members at any meeting shall be the decision of the Council on that matter and in the event of an equality of votes on any matter the chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.
 - (6) Subject to this Act the Council may regulate its own proceedings in such manner as it thinks fit.
 - (7) The members of the Council shall not as such be subject to the Public Service Act 1958.
- (8) Members of the Council who are not officers of the public service shall be paid such fees and travelling allowances as are prescribed.

—(Hon. R. J. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That paragraph (c) of sub-clause (1) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following paragraph:—

"() Four persons representing the interests of the consumers of whom one shall be selected after consultation with the Australian Consumers' Association one shall be selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister considers represents housewives one shall be selected after consultation with the Country Women's Association of Victoria and one shall be selected after consultation with the body known as the Melbourne Trades Hall Council."

—(Hon. J. W. Galbally.)

Question—That the paragraph proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put. Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 12. Noes, 16. The Hon. W. M. Campbell, The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, V. O. Dickie, Sir Percy Byrnes, F. J. Granter, I. R. Cathie, T. H. Grigg, M. A. Clarke, K. S. Gross, D. G. Elliot, R. J. Hamer, P. V. Feltham, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack, G. J. Nicol, J. W. Galbally, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, R. W. May, B. D. Snider (Teller), S. Merrifield (Teller), G. W. Thom (Teller), L. H. S. Thompson. G. J. O'Connell, I. A. Swinburne, A. Todd, J. M. Tripovich, J. M. Walton (Teller).

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 4.—Consumers Protection Bill.—Clause 4—

- 4. (1) The functions of the Council shall be—
 - (a) to investigate any matter affecting the interest of consumers referred to it by the Minister;
 - (b) to make recommendations with respect to any matter calculated to protect the interest of consumers;
 - (c) to consult with manufacturers retailers and advertisers relating to any matter affecting the interest of consumers; and
 - (d) at any time but at least once in every year to furnish to the Minister for submission to the Parliament a report on its activities and on any matter affecting the interest of consumers which it thinks should be brought to the notice of the Parliament.
- (2) Any reference in this section to the expression "matter affecting the interest of consumers" shall, without affecting the generality of the expression, be construed as including a reference to any practices used in connexion with the advertising marketing packaging or labelling of goods or any matter relating to their fitness for the purpose for which they are offered for sale.

-(Hon. R. J. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the following sub-clause be inserted at the end of the clause:—

"() For the purposes of this Act the Council shall have and may exercise in respect of the summoning and examining of witnesses and requiring any witness to produce any relevant books or documents in his custody possession or control the same powers as are by the *Evidence Act* 1958 conferred on a board appointed by the Governor in Council and the provisions of sections fourteen to sixteen of the *Evidence Act* 1958 with such adaptations as are necessary shall apply accordingly: Provided that every summons shall be signed by the chairman of the Council."

Question—That the sub-clause proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put. Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
I. R. Cathie,
M. A. Clarke,
D. G. Elliot,
P. V. Feltham,
J. W. Galbally,
H. A. Hewson (Teller),
A. W. Knight,
R. W. May,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. O'Connell (Teller),
I. A. Swinburne,
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 12.

The Hon. W. M. Campbell (Teller),
V. O. Dickie,
F. J. Granter,
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross (Teller),
R. J. Hamer,
A. J. Hunt,
R. W. Mack,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1964.

No. 1.—Stamps Bill.—Clause 2—							
2. (1) In the Third Schedule to the Principal Act under the heading—							
"I. BILLS OF EXCHANGE AND PROMISSORY NOTES—"							
for the expression—							
"(1) BILL OF EXCHANGE payable on demand (cheque, &c.)							
(2) BILL OF EXCHANGE of any other kind whatsoever (except a Bank Note), and Promissory Note of any kind whatsoever (except a Bank Note)—drawn or expressed to be payable or actually paid or indorsed or in any manner negotiated in Victoria:							
Where the amount or value of the money for which the bill or note is							
drawn does not exceed £25 $\cdots \cdots \cdots \cdots \cdots \cdots \cdots$	0		6				
Exceeds £25 and does not exceed £50	0	1	0				
Exceeds £50 and does not exceed £75 $\dots \dots \dots \dots$	0	1	6				
Exceeds £75 and does not exceed £100 $\dots \dots \dots \dots$	0	2	0				
Exceeds £100, then for every £50 of the amount or value and also for any fractional part of £50 of such amount or value	0	1	0 "				
there shall be substituted the following expression:—	£		ı				
"(1) BILL OF EXCHANGE payable on demand (cheque, &c.)	0	s. 0	a. 6				
(2) BILL OF EXCHANGE of any other kind whatsoever (except a Bank Note), and PROMISSORY NOTE of any kind whatsoever (except a Bank Note)—drawn or expressed to be payable or actually paid or indorsed or in any manner negotiated in Victoria:—							
Where the amount or value of the money for which the bill or note is drawn does not exceed £25	0	1	0				
Exceeds £25 and does not exceed £50	0	2	0				
Exceeds £50 and does not exceed £75	0	3	0				
Exceeds £75 and does not exceed £100	0	4	0				
Exceeds £100, then for every £50 of the amount or value and also for any	0	2	0."				
fractional part of £50 of such amount or value	-						
(a) Charge forms having the words "Stamp duty paid" printed thereon which	befo	ore	the				

(2) Cheque forms having the words "Stamp duty paid" printed thereon which before the commencement of this section have been printed on the order of a banker under an authority under sub-section (2) of section forty-three of the Principal Act shall when executed or made as cheques be deemed to be duly stamped with duty under the Principal Act as amended by this section notwithstanding any reference thereon to the amount of duty paid.

- (3) Where at the commencement of this section any banker has any such cheque forms in his possession or any other person has in his possession any such cheque forms which have been printed for him as a particular customer of a banker pursuant to the Stamps Act 1958 and the regulations thereunder every such banker and every such person—
 - (a) shall within one month after the commencement of this section furnish to the Comptroller of Stamps a statement in a form approved by the Comptroller giving particulars and numbers of such cheque forms; and
 - (b) shall pay in accordance with the conditions of the licence under the said sub-section (2), or otherwise as the Comptroller of Stamps directs, to the Comptroller in respect of each such cheque form duty at the rate fixed in respect of cheques by the Principal Act as amended by this section or (where the banker or other person has before the commencement of this section paid duty in respect of such cheque form) the increase of duty provided by this section.
- (4) Where any such cheque form has before the commencement of this section been issued by a banker the two last preceding sub-sections shall not be read or construed as reducing the duty payable thereon, but where the stamp printed or impressed on such cheque form has been so printed or impressed on payment of an amount less than the rate fixed in respect of cheques by the Principal Act as amended by this Act the increase of duty provided by this section may be denoted by an adhesive stamp duly affixed and cancelled.

-(Hon. R. W. Mack.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided-The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 21. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury Murray Byrne (Teller), Sir Percy Byrnes, W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham, C. S. Gawith (Teller), F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, H. A. Hewson, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack. A. R. Mansell, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider, I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 9. The Hon. I. R. Cathie,

D. G. Elliot (Teller), J. W. Galbally,

A. W. Knight (Teller),

S. Merrifield, G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich, J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—Stamps Bill.—Clause 5—

5. (1) For the Table of Duty at the end of paragraph (3) under the heading "IX. Settlement or Gift, Deed of" in the Third Schedule to the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following table:—

Where the value of the property—				The duty shall be—
Does not exceed £1,000				2½ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £1,000 but does not exceed £5,000				$3\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £5,000 but does not exceed £10,000				$4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £10,000 but does not exceed £15,000				$5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £15,000 but does not exceed £20,000				$6\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £20,000 but does not exceed £25,000				$7\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £25,000 but does not exceed £30,000				$8\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £30,000 but does not exceed £35,000				9½ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £35,000 but does not exceed £40,000				$10\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £40,000 but does not exceed £50,000				11½ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £50,000 but does not exceed £75,000				$14\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £75,000 but does not exceed £100,000				$19\frac{1}{2}$ per centum of the value of the property
Exceeds £100,000	••	• •	••	22 per centum of the value of the property

⁽²⁾ The Principal Act as amended by the last preceding sub-section shall have effect with respect to instruments under the heading IX. which are presented for stamping to or lodged for opinion with or impounded by the Comptroller of Stamps after the commencement of this section notwithstanding that they may have been made or executed before that commencement.

- (3) At the end of sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (d) of sub-section (1) of section seven of the Probate Duty Act 1962 there shall be inserted the following sub-paragraph:—
 - "(ia) at any time, if the gift was effected by a written document which would have been subject to duty under the Stamps Act 1958 if the gift had been of property in Victoria and the instrument had been made or executed in Victoria and at the time the gift was made, the donor was domiciled or resident in Victoria and duty was not paid in respect of the gift under subdivision (9) of Division three of Part II. of the Stamps Act 1958 or under a corresponding enactment of another State of the Commonwealth of Australia or under a corresponding enactment of a prescribed country."
- (4) At the end of paragraph (d) of sub-section (1) of section seven of the *Probate Duty Act* 1962 there shall be inserted the following further proviso:—
- "Provided further that the provisions of sub-paragraph (ia) of this paragraph shall not apply if such gift was made on or before the nineteenth day of November One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four."

-(Hon. R. W. Mack.)

Question—That clause 5 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided-The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 21.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell (Teller),

M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham, C. S. Gawith,

F. J. Granter (Teller),

K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt,
R. W. Mack,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,

R. W. May,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie (Teller), D. G. Elliot, J. W. Galbally,

A. W. Knight, S. Merrifield (*Teller*), G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd, J. M. Tripovich, J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

- No. 3.—Stamps Bill.—Clause 3 (as amended by the Assembly on the suggestion of the Council)—
 - 3. The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—
 - (a) In section fifty for the words "Two pounds" (wherever occurring) there shall be substituted the words "Five pounds";
 - (b) At the end of section fifty-one there shall be inserted the following section:—
 - '51A. (1) Where money has been received by a solicitor or agent from his client or principal for payment to another person, the receipt to be given by the solicitor or agent to his client or principal shall be subject to a stamp duty of Three pence and no more but the receipt to be given to such solicitor or agent by such other person receiving the payment shall be stamped with duty as prescribed under the heading "II. Receipt" in the Third Schedule.
 - (2) Where money has been received by a solicitor or agent on behalf of his client or principal, and a duly stamped receipt has been given by such solicitor or agent to the person by whom the payment was made, the receipt to be given by the client or principal when such money is paid to him or accounted for by such solicitor or agent shall unless specifically exempted be subject to a stamp duty of Three pence and no more.';
 - (c) In section fifty-two-
 - (i) in paragraph (a) for the words "Two pounds" there shall be substituted the words "Five pounds";
 - (ii) in paragraph (b) for the words "Five pounds" there shall be substituted the words "Ten pounds";
 - (iii) in paragraph (c) for the words "Ten pounds" there shall be substituted the words "Twenty pounds" and for the words "Ten shillings" there shall be substituted "One pound";

- (d) For sub-section (1) of section fifty-three there shall be substituted the following sub-sections:—
 - "(1) Every person who-
 - (a) gives any receipt liable to duty and not duly stamped;
 - (b) in any case where a receipt would be liable to duty refuses to give a receipt duly stamped;
 - (c) without reasonable excuse omits to give or tender a receipt duly stamped when an amount of Twenty pounds or upwards is received by or paid to him; or
 - (d) upon the receipt or payment of the amount of Five pounds or upwards gives a receipt for a sum not amounting to Five pounds or separates or divides the amount paid with intent to evade the duty—

shall be liable to a penalty of not more than Twenty pounds.

- (1a) The obligation imposed by paragraph (c) of sub-section (1) of this section to give or tender a receipt duly stamped shall not be affected or diminished in any way by any commercial practice or by any acquiescence intimation or indication expressed or implied by the payer relating to the giving or tendering or non-giving or non-tendering of any such receipt but shall not extend to requiring a receipt to be given or tendered where the instrument receipt acknowledgment or release is specifically exempt from the payment of the duty chargeable on receipts under this Act or to requiring a receipt to be given or tendered by a person who has given notice to the Comptroller of Stamps pursuant to sub-section (1) of section fifty-three A of this Act and who has not given a notice of revocation.
- (1B) Where a receipt has not been requested a receipt shall be deemed to have been given for the purposes of this section if a receipt is made out and duly stamped notwithstanding that the receipt is not sent or delivered to any person.
- (1c) Where a receipt is made out and duly stamped but not sent or delivered to the person who has made the payment the person making out the receipt shall retain possession of that receipt for at least two years after the receipt has been made out.";
- (e) At the end of section fifty-three there shall be inserted the following sections:—
 - '53a. (1) Any person carrying on any trade business or profession may give notice in writing in the prescribed form to the Comptroller of Stamps that he elects to pay duty under this section in lieu of being obliged to comply with the requirements of this Act with respect to the payment of receipt duty and any person who has given such a notice may revoke the notice by giving notice of revocation in the prescribed form to the Comptroller.
 - (2) The Comptroller of Stamps shall assign a number to every notice given to him under the last preceding sub-section.
 - (3) Where any person has given notice to the Comptroller of Stamps pursuant to sub-section (1) of this section and has not given a notice of revocation such person shall not be liable to pay receipt duty by impressed or adhesive stamps as aforesaid in respect of any receipt given by him after such notice has been given but shall be liable for the payment of stamp duty in accordance with the provisions of the next succeeding section.
 - 53B. (1) Where any person has given notice to the Comptroller of Stamps pursuant to sub-section (1) of section fifty-three A of this Act and has not given a notice of revocation such person shall—
 - (a) forward to the Comptroller of Stamps at such intervals as are prescribed a statement in the prescribed form verified in the prescribed manner of the total of all amounts received by such person during the prescribed period other than any amounts in excess of One hundred pounds which would have been exempt from the payment of receipt duty under this Act or which would have been liable to a fixed receipt duty of Three pence under this Act;
 - (b) pay in cash to the Comptroller of Stamps as stamp duty on that statement an amount calculated at the rate of Three pence for every One hundred pounds and also for any fractional part of One hundred pounds of the total amount of all sums so received by such person;
 - (c) indorse on every receipt issued by him "S.D." and the serial number assigned by the Comptroller of Stamps to the notice given by that person to the Comptroller.
 - (2) The duty paid by any person in accordance with the last preceding sub-section shall be denoted on the statement in the prescribed manner.
 - 53c. (1) Every person who has given notice to the Comptroller of Stamps pursuant to sub-section (1) of section fifty-three A of this Act and who fails to comply with any of the requirements of the last preceding section at any time before he gives a notice of revocation to the Comptroller shall be guilty of an offence against this Act and shall be liable to a penalty of not more than One hundred pounds and shall be liable to pay double the amount of the duty that would have been payable if that section had been complied with.

(2) Any person who indorses any receipt with the expression "S.D." and a serial number or the words "Stamp Duty Paid" or with any similar words or expression unless he has given notice pursuant to sub-section (1) of section fifty-three A of this Act to the Comptroller and has not given a notice of revocation and unless the indorsement is made in accordance with this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Act and liable to a penalty of not more than Five hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term of not more than six months or to both.';

(f) Under the heading "II. RECEIPT" in the Third Schedule for the expression-

- (g) Under the heading "II. RECEIPT" in the Third Schedule—
 - (i) In paragraph (1) the words "or the Commonwealth Savings Bank of Australia" shall be repealed;
 - (ii) for paragraph (3) there shall be substituted the following paragraphs:-
 - '(3) Receipt for money deposited in or withdrawn from any bank other than money deposited in any bank on a fixed deposit for any period: Provided that this exemption shall not extend to any receipt or acknowledgment for or in respect of any sum deposited in any bank the receipt for which would be liable to duty if such sum were paid directly by the person making the deposit to the person into whose account such sum is deposited.
 - (3A) Receipt for money paid on account of the sale of any prescribed primary product. In this paragraph "Prescribed primary product" means any unprocessed—
 - (a) wool;
 - (b) wheat oats barley hay or any similar crop;
 - (c) cattle sheep pigs goats or domestic poultry;
 - (d) fruit or vegetables;
 - (e) eggs milk or cream;
 - (f) fish or other marine produce;
 - (g) tobacco leaf;
 - (h) any other unprocessed primary product declared by the regulations to be a primary product for the purposes of this paragraph.';
 - (iii) for paragaphs (7) and (8) there shall be substituted the following paragraphs:-
 - "(7) Receipt or acknowledgment for any money paid to or by a registered bookmaker for or as a result of any bet on any licensed racecourse during the holding of a race-meeting.
 - (7A) Receipt or acknowledgment for any money paid to or by the Totalizator Agency Board for or as a result of any bet.
 - (7B) Receipt or acknowledgment for any money paid to or by persons for or as a result of any bet on a totalizator operated by any racing club.
 - (7c) Receipt or acknowledgment for any income by way of dividend or interest received by any natural person on any investment.
 - (7D) Receipt or acknowledgment for or in relation to the purchase or sale of—
 - (a) any stock debentures or Treasury bonds Treasury notes or Treasury bills of the Government of the United Kingdom or of the Commonwealth of Australia or of Victoria or any other State of the said Commonwealth or any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions; or
 - (b) any State Savings Bank Fixed Deposit Stock debentures or Credit Foncier Debenture Stock issued by the Commissioners of the State Savings Bank of Victoria; or
 - (c) stock debentures or bonds of any public statutory body constituted under the law of Victoria.

- (7E) Receipt or acknowledgment for any money delivered to or by any carrier approved by the Comptroller of Stamps for delivery from or to any bank.
- (8) Receipt or discharge for the wages salary or pension of any person."; and
- (iv) paragraphs (10) and (11) shall be repealed.

-(Hon. R. W. Mack.)

Question-That clause 3, as amended by the Assembly on the suggestion of the Council, stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided-The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 22. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham,

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A. R. Mansell,

R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,

D. G. Elliot,

J. W. Galbally,

A. W. Knight, S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell (Teller),

A. Todd (Teller),

J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

- No. 4.—Stamps Bill.—Clause 7 (as amended by the Assembly on the suggestion of the Council)—
 - 7. The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:-
 - (a) In section one after the expression-
 - "(11) Annual Licences in relation to Assurance &c. ss. 95-111" there shall be inserted the expression—
 - "(11A) Policies of Life Insurance ss. 111A-111D.";
 - (b) At the end of section one hundred and eleven there shall be inserted the following subdivision :-
 - '(11A) Policies of Life Insurance.
 - 111a. In this subdivision unless inconsistent with the context or subject-matter-
 - "Policy of life insurance" means a policy of insurance or assurance upon any life or lives or upon any event or contingency relating to or depending upon any life or lives except a policy of insurance against
 - "Policy of insurance against accident" means a policy of insurance for any payment agreed to be made upon the death of any person only from accident or violence or otherwise than from a natural cause or as compensation for personal injury.
 - 111B. (1) Every person who-
 - (a) receives or takes credit for any premium or consideration for any contract of life insurance, and does not, within three months after receiving or taking credit for such premium or consideration, make out and execute a duly stamped policy of such insurance;
 - (b) makes, executes, or delivers out, or pays or allows in account, or agrees to pay or allow in account any money upon or in respect of, any policy of life insurance which is not duly stamped-

shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a penalty of not more than One hundred pounds,

- (2) Any person who in consideration of any premium, sum of money, or other valuable consideration, paid, furnished or provided by any person in Victoria, makes or enters into any contract of life insurance for or on behalf of any insurer outside Victoria shall forthwith issue to any person for whose benefit the insurance is to operate in Victoria a note or memorandum of the transaction in the prescribed form stamped with the duty which would be chargeable thereon if it were a policy of insurance and any policy subsequently issued for such consideration shall be deemed to be exempt from stamp duty if a duly stamped note or memorandum of the transaction has been issued as aforesaid.
- (3) When a policy of life insurance or any document stampable as such is issued outside Victoria, then it shall be stamped with the prescribed duty within ten days after it is received in Victoria, and any person who has or keeps in his possession, or avails himself of any such policy or document which is not so stamped shall be guilty of an offence against this subdivision and liable to a penalty of not more than One hundred pounds. This sub-section does not apply to a policy or document which depends upon the life of a person who was at the time the policy or document was issued domiciled outside Victoria.
- 111c. In determining the sum insured by any policy of life insurance any additional amount payable under the policy in the event of the insured dying as the result of an accident shall be disregarded.
- 111D. (1) The Governor in Council may by Order published in the Government Gazette declare any person who carries on the business of life insurance to be an "approved insurer" for the purposes of this subdivision and the Governor in Council may in like manner at any time revoke any such declaration.
- (2) An approved insurer shall not be liable for the payment of stamp duty as aforesaid in respect of policies of life insurance entered into after he has been declared an approved insurer but shall be liable for the payment of stamp duty in respect of such policies of life insurance in accordance with the following provisions of this section.
 - (3) Every approved insurer shall-
 - (a) furnish to the Comptroller of Stamps not later than the fourteenth day of each month a statement in duplicate in the prescribed form; and
 - (b) pay in cash to the Comptroller of Stamps as stamp duty on that statement a sum equal to the aggregate amount of stamp duty which would have been payable in respect of all policies of life insurance entered into by him during the last preceding month if each such policy had been charged with duty under the foregoing provisions of this subdivision.
- (4) It shall not be necessary for the Comptroller of Stamps to give a receipt for such a payment which shall be denoted on the original statement by an impressed stamp.
 - (5) The statement so stamped—
 - (a) shall be returned to the approved insurer;
 - (b) shall be retained by him for a period of at least three years; and
 - (c) shall at any reasonable time during the said period be produced by him for inspection on demand by the Comptroller of Stamps or by an officer authorized in writing by the Comptroller for the purpose whether generally or in a particular case.
- (6) Where duty has been paid under this section in respect of any policy of life insurance such policy shall be deemed to be a duly stamped policy for the purposes of this subdivision.';
- (c) At the end of the words and expressions under heading "XI. Annual Licence" in the Third Schedule there shall be inserted the following heading words and figures:—
 - "XIA. POLICIES OF LIFE INSURANCE.

Where the sum insured does not exceed £1,000—1s. for every £100 or fractional part of £100 of the sum insured.

Where the sum insured exceeds £1,000—10s. and for every £100 or fractional part of £100 of the sum insured in excess of £1,000—2s.

Provided that the duty payable on a temporary or term insurance policy shall be five per centum of the first year's premium on that policy.

Exemptions-

- (1) Any cover note in pursuance of which a duly stamped policy is issued within three months of the cover note.
- (2) Any policy, under which the sum insured does not exceed £100.
- (3) Any policy of re-insurance."

Question-That clause 7, as amended by the Assembly on the suggestion of the Council, stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 22.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (Teller),

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke (Teller),

V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham,

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R. W. May, G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,

D. G. Elliot,

J. W. Galbally, A. W. Knight,

S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich (Teller),

J. M. Walton (Teller).

- No. 5.—Stamps Bill.—Clause 8 (as amended by the Assembly on the suggestion of the Council)—
 - 8. (1) At the end of section one hundred and thirty-seven N of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following subdivisions:-
 - '(18) Various Agreements and Instruments (Not otherwise chargeable with duty except under the heading "II. RECEIPTS" in the Third Schedule).
 - 1370 (1) There shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty upon the agreements and instruments referred to under the heading "XXIII. Various Agreements and Instruments" in the Third Schedule the stamp duty therein specified and where there is more than one party to any such agreement or instrument all the parties thereto shall be jointly and severally liable for the payment of the duty.
 - (2) The provisions of sub-section (2) of section twenty-eight of this Act relating to the stamping of instruments chargeable with ad valorem duty shall extend and apply to the stamping of instruments chargeable with duty under this section.
 - (3) This section shall apply to agreements and instruments executed after the coming into operation of section eight of the Stamps Act 1964.
 - (19) Deed of Any Kind Whatever (Not otherwise chargeable with duty except under the heading "II. RECEIPTS" in the Third Schedule).
 - 137p. (1) There shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty upon the deeds referred to under the heading "XXIV. Deed of Any Kind Whatever, Not Otherwise Charged with Duty" the stamp duty therein specified and where there is more than one party to any such deed all the parties thereto shall be jointly and severally liable for the payment of the duty.
 - (2) The provisions of sub-section (2) of section twenty-eight of this Act relating to the stamping of instruments chargeable with ad valorem duty shall extend and apply to the stamping of instruments chargeable with duty under this section.
 - (3) This section shall apply to deeds executed after the coming into operation of section eight of the Stamps Act 1964.
 - (2) In section one of the Principal Act after the expression—"(17) Mortgage Bond Debenture or Covenant ss. 137D-137N" there shall be inserted the expression—
 - "(18) Various Agreements and Instruments s. 1370.
 - (19) Deed of Any Kind Whatever, Not Otherwise Charged with Duty s. 137P."

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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1964.

No. 6. Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Bill.—Clause 3—

3. For sub-section (2a) and sub-section (2B) of section eleven of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sub-sections:—

"(2A) The registration of any boiler (being an air receiver or a gas receiver) shall, upon payment of such fees as are prescribed for registration, remain in force until and including the thirty-first day of December in the year in which it is registered and may, in such manner and upon payment of such fees as are prescribed for renewal of registration, be renewed for succeeding periods of twelve months expiring on the thirty-first day of December in each ensuing year.

- (2B) Upon the registration or renewal of registration of a boiler (being an air receiver or gas receiver) the Chief Inspector shall issue or cause to be issued to the owner a certificate in the prescribed form of such registration or renewal of registration and may specify in any such certificate the date on or before which the fee for the renewal thereof or the next renewal thereof shall be paid.
- (2c) Every owner of a boiler (being an air receiver or gas receiver) the registration of which has expired and has not been renewed who uses such boiler or permits or suffers such boiler to be used shall be liable to a penalty of not more than Ten pounds.'

-(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question-That clause 3 stand part of the Bill-put.

Committee divided-The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie,

F. J. Granter,

T. H. Grigg,

K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson,

A. J. Hunt (Teller),

R. W. Mack,

A. R. Mansell, R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol (Teller),

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 9. The Hon. I. R. Cathie, D. G. Elliot, J. W. Galbally, A. W. Knight (Teller),

S. Merrifield (Teller),

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich, J. M. Walton.

No. 7.—Housing (Amendment) Bill.—Clause 3—

- 3. (1) Sub-section (1) of section twenty-two of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows:—
 - (a) For the words "For the purposes of this Part" there shall be substituted the words "For the purposes of this Act";
 - (b) For sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (f) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:
 - "(i) provide and develop land (other than by erecting buildings thereon itself) for housing and for all other purposes necessary or desirable for the establishment and growth of a community in any area and for the education employment and general welfare of the members of that community;";
 - (c) In paragraph (i)—
 - (i) for the words "this sub-section" there shall be substituted the words "this
 - (ii) in sub-paragraph (i) thereof after the words "who requires the land for" there shall be inserted the words "educational religious";
 - (d) After paragraph (j) there shall be inserted the following paragraph:—
 - "(ja) grant to or create in favour of any person any easement over land vested in the Commission for such payment and on such terms and conditions as the Commission thinks fit;"
- (2) Paragraph (c) of sub-section (3) of section sixty-six and paragraph (h) of sub-section (1) of section sixty-nine of the Principal Act shall be repealed.

—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson.)

Amendment proposed—That the words "and for all other purposes" be omitted from sub-clause (1), paragraph (b).

-(Hon. J. M. Tripovich.)

Question-That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause-put. Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 20. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham, F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg, K. S. Gross, H. A. Hewson, A. J. Hunt, R. W. Mack A. R. Mansell, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol (Teller), B. D. Snider (Teller), I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 7.
The Hon. I. R. Cathie, D. G. Elliot, A. W. Knight, S. Merrifield, G. J. O'Connell (Teller), J. M. Tripovich (Teller), J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 8.—Housing (Amendment) Bill.—Clause 9—

- 9. (1) Sub-section (2) of section forty-one of the Principal Act shall be repealed.
- (2) The said sub-section shall be deemed never to have affected the validity or effect of any sale contract of sale transfer or lease entered into or made in contravention of the provisions thereof.

-(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson.)

Question—That clause 9 stand part of the Bill—put. Committee divided-The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (Teller),

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell,

M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham,

F. J. Granter,

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A. R. Mansell,

R. W. May,

G. J. Nicol,

B. D. Snider,

I. A. Swinburne (Teller),

G. W. Thom,

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 7. The Hon. I. R Cathie (Teller), D. G. Elliot, A. W. Knight, S. Merrifield, G. J. O'Connell. J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton (Teller).

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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OF COMMITTEE THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 3.

TUESDAY, 13TH APRIL, 1965.

No. 1.—VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY BILL.—Clause 2-

Motion made and question put-That the Chairman do report progress and ask leave to sit again.

-(Hon. A. K. Bradbury.)

Committee divided-The Hon. T. H. Grigg in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

I. R. Cathie,

M. A. Clarke (Teller),

D. G. Elliot,

P. V. Feltham,

H. A. Hewson,

A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell,

R. W. May,

S. Merrifield,

G. J. O'Connell, I. A. Swinburne,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich (Teller).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 10.

The Hon. W. M. Campbell (Teller),

V. O. Dickie,

F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross (Teller), R. J. Hamer,

A. J. Hunt,

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 4.

WEDNESDAY, 5TH MAY, 1965.

No. 1.—Workers Compensation (Amendment) Bill,—Clause 2—

- 2. Sub-section (1) of section three of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows:—
 - (a) For the interpretation of "Dependants" there shall be substituted the following interpretation:—
 - "" Dependants" means such persons as were wholly mainly or in part dependent upon the earnings of the worker at the time of the death or who would but for the incapacity due to the injury have been so dependent.";
 - (b) In the interpretation of "Disease" the words "and also includes the aggravation acceleration or recurrence of any pre-existing disease as aforesaid" shall be repealed;
 - (c) For the interpretation of "Injury" there shall be substituted the following interpretation:—
 "Injury" means any physical or mental injury, including—
 - (a) a disease contracted by a worker in the course of his employment whether at or away from his place of employment and to which the employment was a contributing factor; and
 - (b) the recurrence aggravation or acceleration of any pre-existing injury or disease where the employment was a contributing factor to such recurrence aggravation or acceleration—

and for the purposes of this interpretation the employment of a worker shall be taken to include any travelling referred to in sub-section (2) of section eight of this Act.';

(d) In the interpretation of "Worker" for the words "Two thousand pounds a year" there shall be substituted the words "Three thousand pounds a year".

-(Hon. R. J. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That paragraphs (b) and (c) be omitted.

—(Hon. J. W. Galbally.)

Question—That the paragraphs proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put. Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 13.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (Teller),
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
F. J. Granter (Teller),
T. H. Grigg,
R. J. Hamer,
A. J. Hunt,
R. W. Mack,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
I. R. Cathie,
M. A. Clarke,
D. G. Elliot (Teller),
P. V. Feltham,
J. W. Galbally,
H. A. Hewson,
A. W. Knight (Teller),
A. R. Mansell,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
J. M. Tripovich,

J. M. Walton.

And so it passed in the negative.

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No. 2.—LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 4 (as amended)—

- 4. After section eighty of the Principal Act the following section shall be inserted:-
 - "80A. (1) The council of a municipality may apply to the Minister for an order exempting shopkeepers of shops in its municipal district from being required to close and keep closed their shops in accordance with this Part.
 - (2) The application shall specify—
 - (a) the hours;
 - (b) the days of the week;
 - (c) the period or periods of the year; and
 - (d) the area-

in respect of which exemption is sought.

- (3) An application shall be made only in respect of-
 - (a) an area the whole of which is more than twenty miles from the General Post Office Melbourne and which is a holiday resort or part of a holiday resort; and
 - (b) a period or periods of the year during which the holiday resort usually has a holiday population which is large by comparison with its resident population.
- (4) The Minister shall refer the application to the Tourist Development Authority for report on the questions of whether the area in respect of which application is made is a holiday resort or part of a holiday resort and whether during the period or periods in respect of which application is made the holiday resort usually has a holiday population which is large by comparison with its resident population.
- (5) The Minister, after considering the report of the Authority, may make an order granting exemption either in the terms sought or in terms less wide than those sought and subject to such conditions limitations and restrictions as he thinks fit, but no order shall—
 - (a) exempt for any period exceeding fifteen weeks any shopkeeper from being required to close and keep closed his shop in accordance with this Part;
 - (b) exempt any shopkeeper from being required to close and keep closed his shop on Good Friday or Anzac Day in accordance with this Part; or
 - (c) operate to permit the sale or disposal of liquor within the meaning of the *Licensing*Act 1958 by any shopkeeper at any time when he would, but for the order,
 be required to close and keep closed his shop in accordance with this Part.
- (6) The Minister may at any time by order amend vary or revoke an order of exemption, but an order of exemption shall, subject to any amendment or variation, operate from year to year until revoked.
- (7) The Minister shall cause every order made pursuant to this section to be published in the Government Gazette.
- (8) The provisions of this Part requiring shops to be closed and kept closed shall not apply to anything done or omitted to be done by a shopkeeper in relation to a shop to which an exemption applies at a time when an exemption applies, which act or omission is in accordance with the conditions limitations and restrictions of the order of exemption.
- (9) Where a holiday resort is within the municipal districts of two or more municipalities the councils of any of those municipalities may jointly make an application under this section in respect of an area within their municipal districts and the provisions of the preceding sub-sections of this section shall apply with any necessary modifications to that application."

--(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question-That clause 4, as amended, stand part of the Bill-put.

Committee divided-The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 17. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, P. V. Feltham, F. J. Granter, T. H. Grigg, K. S. Gross, R. J. Hamer, H. A. Hewson, A. J. Hunt (Teller), R. W. Mack. G. J. Nicol (Teller), B. D. Snider, I. A. Swinburne, G. W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson. Noes, 8.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,
D. G. Elliot,
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield (Teller),
G. J. O'Connell (Teller),
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH MAY, 1965.

No. 1.—Aborigines (Amendment) Bill.—Clause 2—

2. In section three of the Principal Act after the interpretation of "Board" there shall be inserted the following interpretation:-

"Minister" means the Minister of Housing.

-(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson.)

Amendment proposed—That the words "Minister of Housing" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof "Minister of the Crown for the time being responsible for aboriginal welfare"

—(Hon. I. R. Cathie.)

Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided-The Hon. T. H. Grigg in the Chair.

Ayes, 18.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,

Murray Byrne,

Sir Percy Byrnes,

W. M. Campbell (Teller),

G. L. Chandler,

M. A. Clarke,

V. O. Dickie,

P. V. Feltham, C. S. Gawith,

F. J. Granter,

K. S. Gross,

R. J. Hamer,

H. A. Hewson, R. W. Mack,

G. J. Nicol,

I. A. Swinburne,

G. W. Thom (Teller),

L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,
D. G. Elliot (Teller),
J. W. Galbally,

G. J. O'Connell,

A. Todd,

J. M. Tripovich (Teller),

J. M. Walton.

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 18TH MAY, 1965.

No. 1.—Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents Bill.—Clause 24—

- 24. (1) Every primary wholesaler shall keep at his principal office and at every other office in which he carries on business at least one sales book in a prescribed form with the pages numbered consecutively in which he or his representative or employé shall at the time of sale of any farm produce in his possession enter the particulars of the transaction.
 - (2) Such particulars shall include the date of sale and be sufficient to-
 - (a) identify the producer of each item of farm produce;
 - (b) describe the kind quantity and quality of each item; and
 - (c) indicate the price or rate at which each item was sold.
- (3) Where any abbreviation for any entry is prescribed no abbreviation other than that prescribed shall be used.
 - (4) Every entry in such sales book shall be made in ink or indelible pencil.
- (5) Sales books may be prescribed in one form only or in more than one form with respect to a particular class of wholesaler or a particular class of transaction.
- (6) The Governor in Council may for the purposes of a market report scheme or for the better enforcement of this Act prescribe—
 - (a) that wholesalers or any class of wholesalers shall make duplicate copies of entries in sales books; and
- (b) the manner in which every such duplicate copy and its original shall be used—but such prescription shall not compel any such document to contain the name of or to be delivered to the purchaser.

(7) A purchaser shall on demand be permitted to inspect the entry made in such sales book in respect of the farm produce purchased by him and if the price or rate entered in the book is below that agreed upon by him may demand either that the entry be corrected or that the farm produce concerned be sold to him at the price or rate entered.

-(Hon. G. L. Chandler.)

Amendment proposed—That the word "and" be omitted after paragraph (b) of sub-section (2) (with the view of inserting the following expression after paragraph (c)):—

"; and

(d) where the value of the farm produce which has been purchased exceeds Five pounds identify the purchaser.").

—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes.)

Question-That the word "and" proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause-put.

Committee divided-The Hon. T. H. Grigg in the Chair.

Noes, 15. Ayes, 12. The Hon. A. K. Bradbury, The Hon. Murray Byrne, W. M. Campbell (*Teller*), G. L. Chandler, Sir Percy Byrnes, I. R. Cathie, M. A. Clarke, V. O. Dickie, D. G. Elliot, P. V. Feltham, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, J. W. Galbally, R. J. Hamer, R. W. Mack, H. A. Hewson (Teller), A. W. Knight, R. W. May, G. J. O'Connell, G. J. Nicol, B. D. Snider (Teller), G. W. Thom, L. H. S. Thompson. I. A. Swinburne, A. Todd, J. M. Tripovich, J. M. Walton (Teller).

And so it passed in the negative.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

JOINT SITTING

OF THE

HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA

TO CHOOSE A PERSON

TO

HOLD THE PLACE IN THE SENATE

RENDERED VACANT BY THE DEATH OF

SENATOR THE HONORABLE HARRIE WALTER WADE

9th DECEMBER, 1964.

Held in accordance with the provisions of Section 15 of the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act.

By Authority

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

JOINT SITTING

HELD IN THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1964.

The Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly having, pursuant to resolutions of the two Houses, assembled in the Legislative Assembly Chamber—

- 1. Election of President.—The Honorable Sir William McDonald, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, rose and moved—That the Honorable Sir Gordon McArthur, President of the Legislative Council, be appointed President of this Joint Sitting, which motion, being seconded by the Premier, the Honorable H. E. Bolte, M.L.A., was resolved in the affirmative.
 - The Honorable Sir Gordon McArthur, having expressed his acknowledgments for the honour conferred upon him by the Joint Sitting, then took the Chair.
- 2. Rules of Procedure.—The Premier, the Honorable H. E. Bolte, M.L.A., submitted the following rules of procedure for the consideration of Honorable Members, and moved that they be adopted as the rules of procedure of this Joint Sitting:—
 - 1. On any debate arising the same shall be conducted according to parliamentary usage.
 - 2. A Member, addressing himself to the President, shall propose a person to hold the vacant place in the Senate and such proposal shall be duly seconded. When any person is so proposed his proposer shall state to the Members present that such person is willing to hold the vacant place if chosen.
 - 3. If only one person be proposed and seconded, the President shall declare—"That has been chosen to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter Wade".
 - 4. If more than one person be proposed and seconded, the person to hold the vacant place shall, subject to the following rules, be chosen by ballot.
 - 5. Before giving directions to proceed with the ballot, the President shall ask if any Member desires to propose any other person to hold the vacant place, and, no other person being proposed, the ballot shall be proceeded with, after which no person shall be proposed.
 - 6. Each Member present shall be provided with a ballot-paper initialled by the Clerks of the two Houses, and shall write thereon the name of one of the persons duly proposed, and shall place his ballot-paper in the ballot-box.
 - 7. If two or more persons be proposed and seconded, the proposer of each of such persons shall name some Member present to be a scrutineer. The scrutineers, with the Clerks of the two Houses, shall retire and ascertain the number of votes for each person; and the scrutineers shall make a written report of the result to the President showing the number of votes for each person.
 - 8. No informal vote shall be taken into account.
 - 9. If on the first ballot no person shall have received an absolute majority of the votes polled, a second ballot shall be taken, and the name of the person who shall have received the fewest votes at the first ballot shall be excluded; but if at the first ballot the names of only two persons be submitted and the number of votes for such persons be equal, the scrutineers shall by drawing lots determine which of such persons shall be chosen to hold the vacant place, and the person whose name shall be first drawn shall be deemed to have been duly chosen.
 - 10. Until one of the persons proposed obtains an absolute majority of the votes polled, or (as the case may be) is chosen by lot to hold the vacant place, successive ballots shall be taken, and at each such ballot the name of the person who shall have received the fewest votes at the preceding ballot shall be excluded.

- 11. If on any ballot it shall be necessary to decide between two or more persons as to which one is to be excluded from a subsequent ballot through the number of votes for such persons being equal, a special ballot shall be taken at which the names of only those persons shall be submitted, and the name of the person having the fewest votes at such special ballot shall be excluded; but if on any special ballot it shall be necessary to decide between two or more persons as to which one is to be excluded from a subsequent ballot through the number of votes for such persons being equal, the scrutineers by drawing lots shall determine which one of such persons shall be excluded, and the name of the person last drawn shall be excluded.
- 12. If at any ballot, other than the first ballot or a special ballot hereinbefore provided for, the names of only two persons be submitted and the number of votes for such persons be equal, the scrutineers shall, by drawing lots, determine which of those persons shall be chosen to hold the vacant place, and the person whose name shall be first drawn shall be deemed to have been duly chosen.
- 13. As soon as any person obtains an absolute majority of the votes polled, or (as the case may be) is chosen by lot to hold the vacant place, the President shall declare—"That has been chosen to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter Wade".
 - 14. The President shall in all cases be entitled to a vote.
- 15. The records of the proceedings and the ballot-papers shall be retained by the Clerk of the Parliaments of the State of Victoria, who shall be the custodian thereof, and shall keep the ballot-papers safely for one year and thereafter destroy them.

The Honorable C. P. Stoneham, M.L.A., seconded the motion.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 3. Person Proposed and Chosen to hold the Vacant Place in the Senate.—The President announced that, the rules having been adopted, he was now prepared to receive proposals from Honorable Members of persons to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter Wade.
 - The Honorable G. C. Moss, M.L.A., proposed James Joseph Webster, Esquire, as the person to hold the vacant place, and stated that such person was willing to hold the vacant place, if chosen, and named L. J. Cochrane, Esquire, M.L.A., to be a scrutineer, which proposal was seconded by the Honorable H. E. Bolte, M.L.A.
 - The President having asked if any Honorable Member desired to propose any other person to hold the vacant place, and no other person being proposed, the President thereupon declared that James Joseph Webster, Esquire, had been chosen to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie Walter Wade.
- 4. Notification to His Excellency the Governor.—The Premier, the Honorable H. E. Bolte, M.L.A., moved—
 That the President inform His Excellency the Governor that James Joseph Webster, Esquire, has been chosen to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator the Honorable Harrie-Walter Wade.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

5. Vote of Thanks to the President.—The Premier, the Honorable H. E. Bolte, M.L.A., moved a vote of thanks to the President, which motion was seconded by the Honorable C. P. Stoneham, M.L.A., and carried unanimously.

The President, having returned thanks, declared the Joint Sitting closed.

L. G. McDONALD,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

A. R. McDONNELL,

Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

THE HON. THE ARESIDENT