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- CONSOLIDATED REVENUE (No. 5): Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of £126,954 to the service of the year 1961-62--(*Mr. Bolte*).—Initiated on resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and passed without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 April, 1962, p. 121; the Council's agreement notified, 2 May, p. 135. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6882.)

- CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend sections 30 and 61 of the Co-operation Act 1958—(Mr. Bolte).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 24 Oct., 1961, p. 41; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 25 October, p. 43; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 21 Nov., p. 65; the Council's agreement notified, 6 Dec., p. 85. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6824.)
- CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT): Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Cooperative Housing Societies Act 1958"— (Mr. Meagher).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 28 Nov., 1961, p. 71; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time; debate adjourned, 29 Nov., p. 75; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 6 Dec., p. 83. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act. No. 6821.)
- COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Country Fire Authority Act 1958 — (Mr. Rylah).—Initiated and read a first time, 21 March, 1962, p. 104; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 March, p. 110; debate resumed and adjourned, 11 April, p. 128; debate continued— Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 11 April, p. 129; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified; amendments considered and agreed to, 3 May, p. 137. (Assented to 8 May, 1962. Act No. 6887.)
- COURTS (JURISDICTION): Bill relating to the jurisdiction of the County Court and courts of Petty Sessions, and for other purposes— (*Mr. Rylah*).—Initiated and read a first time, 28 March, 1962, p. 111, motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 3 April, p. 116; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time, on division; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 11 April, p. 129.—Bill not returned from the Legislative Council.
- CRIMES (BREATH TEST EVIDENCE): Bill to amend the Crimes Act 1958—(Mr. Rylah).—Initiated and read a first time, 27 Sept., 1961, p. 22; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 4 Oct., p. 29; debate resumed and adjourned, 24 Oct., p. 42; 1 Nov., p. 49; debate continued—Bill read a second time, on division, and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 1 Nov., p. 49; the Council's agreement notified, 5 Dec., p. 81. (Assented to 5 December, 1961. Act No. 6806.)
- CRIMES (DETENTION): Bill to amend the Crimes Act 1958 in relation to certain persons ordered to be detained during the Governor's pleasure —(Mr. Meagher).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 108; motion, That this Bill be now read a second

time—debate adjourned, 3 April, p. 115; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 10 April, p. 127; the Council's agreement notified, 2 May, p. 135. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6884.)

- CROWN LEASES: Bill to amend the Land Act 1958 and the Forests Act 1958 with respect to certain leases of Crown lands—(Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 14 Nov., 1961, p. 59; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 15 Nov., p. 61; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 22 Nov., p. 67; the Council's agreement notified, 13 Dec., p. 90. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6842.)
- DANDENONG LANDS: Bill relating to certain lands in the parish of Dandenong—(Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 10 Oct., 1961, p. 31; order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill; motion, by leave, That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill—agreed to; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 11 Oct., p. 33; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 31 Oct., p. 46; the Council's agreement notified, 22 Nov., p. 68. (Assented to 28 November, 1961. Act No. 6797.)
- DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS: Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Disposal of Goods accepted in the Course of a Business for Repair or other Treatment but not redelivered and for Purposes connected therewith"—(Mr. Meagher).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 11 Oct., 1961, p. 35; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned; 17 Oct., p. 38; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 5 Dec., p. 82. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6815.)
- DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT COMMITTEE): Bill to provide for the appointment of a joint Committee of members of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly to inquire into and report upon the question of the distribution of population in the State of Victoria and for the payment of attendance fees and travelling expenses to the members thereof, and for purposes connected therewith -(Mr. Fraser).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 15; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 20 Sept., p. 18; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 8) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to; Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the

Legislative Council desired, 26 Sept., p. 21; the Council's agreement notified, 11 Oct., p. 33. (Assented to 17 October, 1961. Act No. 6776.)

- Dog: Bill to amend the Dog Act 1958, and for other purposes—(Mr. Porter).—Initiated and read a first time, 9 Nov., 1961, p. 56; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 15 Nov., p. 61; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 30 Nov., p. 79; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified; amendments considered and agreed to, 13 Dec., p. 91. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6848.)
- Dog (REGISTRATION DISCS): Bill to amend section 11 of the Dog Act 1958—(Mr. Porter).— Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 13 March, 1962, p. 97; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 21 March, p. 105; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 April, p. 118; the Council's agreement notified, 10 April, p. 127. (Assented to 16 April, 1962. Act No. 6864.)
- DRIED FRUITS (EXPENSES AND FINANCES): Bill to amend the Dried Fruits Act 1958—(Mr. Meagher).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 40) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 108–9; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 March, p. 110; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 April, p. 119; the Council's agreement notified, 17 April, p. 132. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6872.)
- EDUCATION (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Education Act 1958—(Mr. Bloomfield).— Initiated and read a first time, 14 Nov., 1961, p. 59; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 15 Nov., p. 62; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed, considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 23 Nov., p. 68; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified; amendments considered and agreed to, 7 Dec., p. 87. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6835.)
- ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Entertainments Tax Act 1958—(Mr. Bolte).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 31 Oct., 1961, p. 45; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 1 Nov., p. 49; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 29) recommending an appropriation from Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to, 29 Nov., pp. 75-6.

ENTERTAINMENTS TAX.—House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means; resolution fixing tax on entertainments reported and agreed to, 29 Nov., p. 76.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time, after debate; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 29 Nov., p. 76; the Council's agreement notified 6 Dec., p. 82: (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6810.)

- EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS): Bill to amend section 14 of the Exhibition Act 1957—(Mr. Rylah).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 17 Oct., 1961, p. 37; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 17 Oct., p. 39; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 31 Oct., p. 47; the Council's agreement notified, 6 Dec., p. 82. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6811.)
- EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend sections 123 and 140 of the Evidence Act 1958—(Mr. Meagher).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 6 March, 1962, p. 95; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 6 March, p. 96; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 13 March, p. 98; the Council's agreement notified, 3 April, p. 117. (Assented to 11 April, 1962. Act No. 6855.)
- FISHERIES (NOXIOUS FISH): Bill to eliminate noxious fish from and to control non-indigenous fish in Victorian waters and for other purposes -(Mr. Rylah).—Initiated and read a first time, 3 April, 1962, p. 115; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 3 April, p. 116; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed, considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 11 April, p. 127; the Council's agreement notified, 2 May, p. 135. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6885.)
- FORESTS (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend section 65 of the Forests Act 1958—(Mr. Meagher).— Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 108; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 3 April, p. 115; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 10 April, p. 127; the Council's agreement notified, 17 April, p. 132; (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6870.)
- FORESTS (WOOD PULP AGREEMENT): Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give effect to an agreement between the Minister of Forests, the Forests Commission, and Australian Paper Manufacturers Limited with respect to supplies of pulpwood from State forests for the purposes of the industry of manufacturing wood pulp— (*Mr. Fraser*).—Initiated and read a first time, 4 Oct., 1961, p. 29; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 11 Oct., p. 33; debate resumed—Bill read a

second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 20) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to; Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 31 Oct., p. 47; the Council's agreement notified, 22 Nov., p. 68. (Assented to 28 November, 1961. Act No. 6796.)

- GAME (BLACK SWANS): Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Thirty-five of the Game Act 1958"—(Mr. Meagher).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 4 Oct., 1961, pp. 28-9; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council with the Assembly's amendments desired, 4 Oct., p. 29; the Council's agreement to the Assembly's amendments notified, 10 Oct., p. 32. (Assented to 11 October, 1961. Act No. 6775.)
- GAME (BLACK SWANS) AMENDMENT: Bill to amend the Game (Black Swans) Act 1961— (Mr. Meagher).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 13 March, 1962, p. 97; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 13 March, p. 98; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 April, p. 117; the Council's agreement notified, 10 April, p. 127. (Assented to 16 April, 1962. Act No. 6865.)
- HEALTH (DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES): Bill intituled "An Act to Safeguard the Public from the Effects caused by or arising out of any Dangerous Substance or Irradiating Apparatus" — (Mr. Rylah).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 30 Nov., 1961, p. 79; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 30 Nov., p. 80; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 5 Dec., p. 82. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6818.)
- HEALTH (SAMPLING OF FOODS): Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Two hundred and eighty-one of the Health Act 1958"—(Mr. Bloomfield).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 29 March, 1962, p. 114; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 3 April, p. 116; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 18 April, p. 133. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6883.)
- HOME FINANCE (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Home Finance Act 1958—(Mr. Bolte).— Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 4) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time,

19 Sept., 1961; p. 15; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 20 Sept., p. 17; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 Oct., p. 26; the Council's agreement notified, 17 Oct., p. 39. (Assented to 25 October, 1961. Act No. 6779.)

- HOUSING (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE AGREE-MENT): Bill to ratify and approve the execution for and on behalf of the State of Victoria of an agreement to supplement the Commonwealth and State Housing Agreements for 1945 and 1956—(*Mr. Rylah* for *Mr. Petty*).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 17 Oct., 1961, p. 37; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 18 Oct., p. 40; debate resumed and adjourned, 31 Oct., p. 47; debate continued—Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 25) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to; Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 9 Nov., pp. 56-7; the Council's agreement notified, 12 Dec., p. 89. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6834.)
- HOUSING (HOME BUILDERS' ACCOUNT): Bill to amend section 96 of the Housing Act 1958— (Mr. Bolte).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 41) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 109; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 March, p. 109; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 April, p. 119; the Council's agreement notified, 17 April, p. 132. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6873.)
- JURIES (FEES): Bill to amend the ninth schedule of the Juries Act 1958—(Mr. Meagher).— Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 8 Nov., 1961, p. 51; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 14 Nov., p. 59; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 21 Nov., p. 65; the Council's agreement notified 13 Dec., p. 90. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6844.)
- KERANG (ALEXANDRA PARK) LAND: Bill to authorize the leasing of portion of certain land in the Parish of Kerang permanently reserved as the site for a racecourse public recreation and show yards—(Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).— Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 108; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 March, p. 110; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 April, p. 117; the Council's agreement notified, 17 April, p. 132. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6869.)

- LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (WOMEN'S HAIRDRESSING): Bill to amend section 80 of the Labour and Industry Act 1958—(Mr. Reid, Box Hill).— Initiated and read a first time, 1 Nov., 1961, p. 48; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 1 Nov., p. 48; debate resumed—Bill read a second time, on division, and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 30 Nov., p. 79; the Council's agreement notified, 6 Dec., p. 85. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6823.)
- LAND (INDUSTRIAL GRANTS): Bill to amend section 12 of the Land Act 1958—(Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).—Initiated and read a first time, 13 March, 1962, p. 97; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 13 March, p. 98; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 April, p. 116; the Council's agreement notified, 10 April, p. 127. (Assented to 16 April, 1962. Act No. 6860.)
- LAND (UNUSED ROADS AND WATER FRONTAGES): Bill to repeal Part XLVIII. of the Local Government Act 1958 and to amend the Land Act 1958, and for other purposes—(Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).—Initiated and read a first time; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 26 Sept., 1961, p. 20; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 10 Oct., p. 32; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified, 1 Nov., p. 48; amendment considered and agreed to, 2 Nov., p. 50. (Assented to 8 November, 1961. Act No. 6794.)
- LAND TAX (EXEMPTIONS AND RATES): Bill relating to certain exemptions from land tax, to declare the rates of land tax for the year ending 31st December, 1962, and for other purposes—(Mr. Bolte).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 24 Oct., 1961, p. 41; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 25 Oct., p. 43; debate resumed—Bill read a second time; and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 28) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee, resolution reported and agreed to, 28 Nov., p. 72.
 - LAND TAX.—House resolved into the Committee of Ways and Means; resolution fixing taxes on land reported and agreed to, 28 Nov., p. 73.

Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 28 Nov., p. 73; the Council's agreement notified, 7 Dec., p. 86. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6827.)

- LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Landlord and Tenant Act 1958— (Mr. Rylah).—Initiated and read a first time, 4 Oct., 1961, p. 29; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 11 Oct., p. 33; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time and a further amendment made; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 21 Nov., p. 66; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified; amendments considered and agreed to, 6 Dec., p. 85. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6828.)
- LEGAL AID: Bill to make provision with respect to the establishment of a scheme for providing legal assistance for poor persons -(Mr. Meagher).—Initiated and read a first time, 27 Sept., 1961, p. 22; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 Sept., p. 23; debate resumed-Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 19) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to; Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 31 Oct., p. 46; the Council's agreement notified, 30 Nov., p. 80. (Assented to 5 December, 1961. Act No. 6805.)
- LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Legal Profession Practice Act 1958 — (Mr. Rylah).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 14; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 19 Sept., p. 16; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee, 27 Sept., p. 23; further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 Oct., p. 26; the Council's agreement notified, 17 Oct., p. 39. (Assented to 25 October, 1961. Act No. 6778.)
- LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (FURTHER AMEND-MENT): Bill to amend the Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—(Mr. Meagher).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 21 Nov., 1961, p. 65; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 21 Nov., p. 66; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 23 Nov., p. 68; the Council's agreement notified, 6 Dec., p. 85. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6822.)
- LIMITATION OF ACTIONS (RECOVERY OF IMPOSTS): Bill relating to the period within which actions may be brought to recover from the Crown or

certain officers or persons moneys paid as taxes, fees, charges or other imposts—(*Mr. Rylah*).— Initiated and read a first time, 20 Sept., 1961, p. 17; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 26 Sept., p. 20.

STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion, by leave, That the proposals contained in the Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report—agreed to, 26 Sept., p. 20; report presented, 23 Nov., p. 68.

Debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 29 Nov., p. 76; the Council's agreement notified, 13 Dec., p. 90. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6845.)

- LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (AMEND-MENT): Bill to amend the Local Authorities .Superannuation Act 1958—(Mr. Meagher for Mr. Porter).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 31 Oct., 1961, p. 45; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 1 Nov., 1961, p. 48; debate resumed —Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 8 Nov., p. 52; the Council's agreement notified, 22 Nov., p. 68. (Assented to 28 November, 1961. Act No. 6798.)
- LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Local Government Act 1958—(Mr. Porter).—Initiated and read a first time, 13 March, 1962, p. 97; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 March, p. 110; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 17 April, p. 131; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified; amendment considered and agreed to, 3 May, p. 136. (Assented to 8 May, 1962. Act No. 6888.)
- (MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE GOVERNMENT LOCAL FUND): Bill to amend section 250 of the Local Government Act 1958— (Mr. Porter).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 3) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 15; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time-debate adjourned, 20 Sept., p. 17; debate resumed-Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 26 Sept., p. 20; the Council's agreement notified, 24 Oct., p. 42. Act No. 6785.) (Assented to 31 October, 1961.
- LOCAL GOVERNMENT (STREETS AND ABATTOIRS): Bill to amend sections 575 and 795 of the Local Government Act 1958, and for purposes connected therewith—(Mr. Porter).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 15 Nov., 1961, p. 62; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 16 Nov., p. 64; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and

committed; considered in Committee, 22 Nov., p. 67; further considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 22 Nov., p. 68; the Council's agreement notified, 13 Dec., p. 90. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6841.)

- MARINE (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Marine Act 1958, and for other purposes—(Mr. Petty). —Initiated and read a first time, 9 Nov., 1961, p. 56; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 14 Nov., p. 60; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 32) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to; Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 30 Nov., p. 79; the Council's agreement notified, 13 Dec., p. 90. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6847.)
- MEDICAL (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Medical Act 1958—(Mr. Bloomfield).—Initiated and read a first time, 27 Sept., 1961, p. 22; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 3 Oct., p. 25; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed, 1 Nov., p. 48.
 - MEDICAL REGISTRATION FEES.—House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means; resolution fixing medical registration fees reported and agreed to, 1 Nov., p. 49.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 1 Nov., p. 49; the Council's agreement notified, 12 Dec., p. 89. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6837.)

- MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE): Bill to amend the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—(Mr. Porter).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 39) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 108; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 27 March, p. 110; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 April, p. 120; the Council's agreement notified, 17 April, p. 132. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6876.)
- MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (YARRA RIVER): Bill to vest portion of the bed soil and banks of the Yarra river in the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works and for other purposes—(Mr. Petty).—Initiated,

by leave, and read a first time, 31 Oct., 1961, p. 45; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 1 Nov., p. 48; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 21 Nov., p. 65; the Council's agreement notified, 28 Nov., p. 73. (Assented to 5 December, 1961. Act No. 6804.)

- MELBOURNE CRICKET GROUND: Bill relating to a ground known as the Melbourne Cricket Ground—(Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 6 March, 1962, p. 95; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 6 March, p. 96; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 13 March, p. 98; the Council's agreement notified, 3 April, p. 117. (Assented to 11 April, 1962. Act No. 6854.)
- MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST LANDS: Bill to close certain streets or roads and to vest the lands comprised therein and certain Crown lands and land now vested in the State Electricity Commission of Victoria in the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners, to vest in the Crown certain lands now vested in the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners, to vest certain land now vested in the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners and certain Crown land in the State Electricity Commission of Victoria, to declare certain lands to be public highways and to authorize the sale of certain land by the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners and for other purposes—(*Mr. Petty*).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 6 March, 1962, p. 94; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time-debate adjourned, 6 March, p. 96; debate resumed-Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 April, p. 117; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified, 10 April, p. 127; amendment considered and agreed to, 11 April, p. 128; report by Clerk of the Parliaments of clerical error in the Bill, error corrected, and the Council's concurrence with corrections desired, 17 April, p. 131; the Council's agreement in correction of clerical error notified, 17 April, p. 132. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6871.)
- MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (PORT OF MEL-BOURNE): Bill to amend the Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—(Mr. Petty).—Initiated and read a first time, 9 Nov., 1961, p. 56; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 15 Nov., p. 62.—Bill lapsed.
- MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT): Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958'"—(Mr. Fraser).— Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 17 Oct., 1961, p. 39; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 18 Oct., p. 40; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an

amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council with the Assembly's amendment desired, 5 Dec., p. 82; the Council's agreement to the amendment notified, 6 Dec., p. 82. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6816.)

- MINES (ALUMINIUM AGREEMENT): Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give effect to an agreement between the Minister of Mines and Alcoa of Australia Proprietary Limited with respect to the establishment within the State of Victoria of industries for the production of aluminium and for the manufacture of goods therefrom and to the granting of certain mineral and other rights incidental to establishing and carrying on such industries and for other purposes connected therewith-(*Mr. Mibus*).—Initiated and read a first time, 14 Nov., 1961, p. 59; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 22 Nov., p. 67; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 29 Nov., p. 76; the Council's agreement notified, 7 Dec., p. 86. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6829.)
- MINES (EXPLOSIVES): Bill to amend Division 2 of Part III. of the Mines Act 1958—(Mr. Rylah for Mr. Mibus).—Initiated and read a first time, 27 Sept., 1961, p. 22; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 Sept., p. 23; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 Oct., p. 30; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified; amendment considered and agreed to, 23 Nov., p. 69. (Assented to 28 November, 1961. Act No. 6801.)
- MONEY LENDERS (AMENDMENT): Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to Money Lending and for other purposes"—(Mr. Meagher).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 1 Nov., 1961, p. 48; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 2 Nov., p. 50; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council with the Assembly's amendment desired, 5 Dec., p. 82; the Council's agreement to the amendment notified, 6 Dec., p. 82. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6819.)
- MOTOR BOATING: Bill to make provision for the registration of motor boats and for the control of boating on Victorian waters and for other purposes—(Mr. Petty).—Initiated and read a first time, 14 Nov., 1961, p. 59; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 14 Nov., p. 60; debate resumed —Bill read a second time and committed, 29 Nov., p. 75.

MOTOR BOAT REGISTRATION FEES.—House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means; resolution fixing motor boat registration fees reported and agreed to, 29 Nov., p. 75.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council's desire, 29 Nov., p. 75; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified; amendments considered and agreed to, 7 Dec., pp. 86-7. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6832.)

- MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE): Bill to provide for the imposition of a surcharge upon insurance premiums paid in respect of contracts of insurance entered into pursuant to Part V. of the Motor Car Act 1958—(Mr. Bolte).— Initiated on resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and read a first time, 10 Oct., 1961, p. 32; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 11 Oct., p. 33; debate resumed—Bill read a second time, on division, and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 8 Nov., p. 55; the Council's agreement notified, 22 Nov., p. 67. (Assented to 28 November, 1961. Act No. 6795.)
- NATIONAL PARKS: Bill to reserve certain lands of the Crown as sites for national parks and to declare the lands so reserved to be national parks under the National Parks Act 1958 and for other purposes—(Mr. Fraser).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 6 March, 1962, p. 95; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 6 March, p. 96; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 13 March, p. 98; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified; amendment considered and agreed to, 4 April, p. 119. (Assented to 11 April, 1962. Act No. 6858.)
- NORTH GEELONG TO FYANSFORD RAILWAY DEVIA-TION: Bill to authorize the construction of a deviation on the North Geelong to Fyansford railway—(Mr. Fraser).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 14; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 19 Sept., p. 16; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 27 Sept., p. 23; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified; amendments considered and agreed to, 25 Oct., p. 44. (Assented to 31 October, 1961. Act No. 6792.)
- PAWNBROKERS (AMENDMENT): Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Pawnbrokers Act 1958'"— (Mr. Meagher).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 17 Oct., 1961, p. 39; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 18 Oct., p. 39; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 5 Dec., p. 81. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6813.)

POISONS: Bill to re-enact with amendments the law relating to the possession sale and use of poisons or deleterious substance—(Mr. Bloomfield).—Initiated and read a first time, 21 March, 1962, p. 104, motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 21 March, p. 105; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed, 10 April, p. 127.

LICENCE AND PERMIT FEES.—House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means; resolution fixing licence and permit fees reported and agreed to, 10 April, p. 127.

Bill considered in Committee, 10 April, p. 127; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 17 April, p. 131; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified, 3 May, p. 137; amendments considered and agreed to, 3 May, pp. 139-41. (Assented to 8 May, 1962. Act No. 6889.)

- POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Police Regulation Act 1958—(Mr. Meagher).
 —Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 8 Nov., 1961, p. 51; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 14 Nov., p. 60; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 28 Nov., p. 72; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified, amendment considered and agreed to, 7 Dec., p. 86. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6833.)
- PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (QUARRYING): Bill to amend Part II. of the Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958—(Mr. Petty).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 15; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 19 Sept., p. 16; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 27 Sept., p. 23; the Council's agreement notified, 25 Oct., p. 44. (Assented to 31 October, 1961. Act No. 6789.)
- PROBATE DUTY: Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to probate duty, and for other purposes—(*Mr. Bolte*).—Initiated and read a first time, 9 Nov., 1961, p. 56; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 13 March, 1962, p. 98; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed, 10 April, p. 123.

PROBATE DUTIES.—House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means; resolution fixing probate duties reported and agreed to, 10 April, pp. 123-6.

Bill considered in Committee; 10 April, p. 126; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time, and a further amendment made; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 11 April, p. 128; amendments suggested by the Council on the consideration of the Bill in Committee; suggested amendments considered—some agreed to, one disagreed with, and others agreed to with modifications and Bill returned to the Council, 3 May, pp. 137-9; the Council's agreement to the Bill, including the amendments suggested by the Council and made by the Assembly, and the amendments suggested by the Council as modified and made by the Assembly notified, 3 May, p. 141. (Assented to 15 May, 1962. Act No. 6890.)

- PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS): Bill intituled "An Act to make Provision with respect to the Borrowing of Moneys for Housing Purposes by Infants not under the Age of Eighteen Years upon the Security of First Mortgage of any Land"—(Mr. Rylah).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 11 Oct., 1961, pp. 35-6; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 17 Oct., p. 38; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 5 Dec., p. 82. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6814.)
- PUBLIC WORKS INTERIM LOAN APPLICATION: Bill to sanction the issue and application of loan money for public works and other purposes— (*Mr. Bolte*).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 12) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 17 Oct., 1961, p. 37; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 17 Oct., p. 38; the Council's agreement notified, 18 Oct., p. 39. (Assented to 25 October, 1961. Act No. 6777.)
- PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION: Bill to sanction the issue and application of loan money for public works, and for other purposes (Mr. Petty).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 14) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee, resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 24 Oct., 1961, p. 41; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time— debate adjourned, 24 Oct., p. 42; debate resumed and adjourned, 21 Nov., p. 66; debate continued—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 22 Nov., p. 67; the Council's agreement notified, 7 Dec., p. 86. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6826.)
- RACING (ANZAC DAY): Bill to amend section 19 of the Racing Act 1958 to permit the holding of picnic race-meetings on Anzac Day—(Mr. Rylah).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 6 March, 1962, p. 94; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 6 March, p. 95; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 13 March, p. 98; the Council's agreement notified, 27 March, p. 109. (Assented to 3 April, 1962. Act No. 6851.)
- RACING (BOOKMAKERS' COURSE AGENTS): Bill to amend the Racing Act 1958 to make provision for the registration of bookmakers' course

agents, and for other purposes—(Mr. Rylah for Mr. Bolte).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 14; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 20 Sept., p. 18; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 Oct., p. 28; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified, 24 Oct., p. 43; amendment considered and agreed to, 25 Oct., p. 44. (Assented to 31 October, 1961. Act No. 6790.)

- RACING (OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS): Bill to amend the Racing Act 1958 to provide for off-course doubles totalizators, and for other purposes—(Mr. Rylah).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 8 Nov., 1961, p. 51; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 14 Nov., p. 60; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 30) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to, 29 Nov., p. 77.
 - TOTALIZATOR COMMISSION.—The House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means; resolution authorizing the commission to be deducted by the Totalizator Agency Board reported and agreed to, 29 Nov., p. 77.

Motion, by leave—That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider a new clause to alter the classification of the Cranbourne and Werribee racecourses—agreed to; Bill considered in Committee, 29 Nov., p. 77; Bill further considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 5 Dec., p. 81; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified; amendment considered and agreed to, 7 Dec., p. 88. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6836.)

- RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION: Bill to sanction the issue and application of loan money for works and purposes relating to railways, and for other purposes—(*Mr. Fraser*).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 18) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 31 Oct., 1961, p. 46; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 31 Oct., p. 47; debate resumed and adjourned, 23 Nov., p. 69; debate continued —Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 28 Nov., p. 71; the Council's agreement notified, 7 Dec., p. 87. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6830.)
- RAILWAYS (FUNDS): Bill to amend Division 4 of Part III. of the Railways Act 1958 and for purposes connected therewith—(Mr. Bolte).— Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 23) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purpose of

the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 8 Nov., 1961, p. 51; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 56; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 28 Nov., p. 71; the Council's agreement notified, 7 Dec., p. 87. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6831.)

- RAILWAYS (INDUSTRIAL AWARDS): Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section One hundred and ninety-three of the 'Railways Act 1958'"---(Mr. Fraser).-Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 20 March, 1962, p. 103; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time-debate adjourned, 21 March, p. 105; debate resumed-Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 3 April, p. 116. (Assented to 11 April, 1962. Act No. 6856.)
- RAILWAYS (THOMSON RIVER BRIDGE): Bill to divest the railway bridge over the Thomson River near Walhalla from the Victorian Railways Commissioners and to vest the said bridge in the president councillors and ratepayers of the Shire of Narracan, and for other purposes—(Mr. Fraser).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 6 March, 1962, p. 94; order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill; motion by leave, That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill—agreed to; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned 6 March, p. 95; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 13 March, p. 98; the Council's agreement notified, 27 March, p. 110. (Assented to 3 April, 1962. Act No. 6852.)
- REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVA-TIONS: Bill to provide for the revocation of the permanent reservations and Crown grants of certain lands, and for other purposes— (Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 13 March, 1962, p. 97; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 13 March, p. 98; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 April, p. 116; the Council's agreement notified, 10 April, p. 127. (Assented to 16 April, 1962. Act No. 6861.)
- ROAD TRAFFIC (TRAFFIC CONTROL ITEMS): Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Four of the 'Road Traffic Act 1958'"—(Mr. Rylah).— Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 109; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 28 March, p. 112; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 18 April, p. 133 (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No 6881.)
- R.S.L. WELFARE TRUST FUND: Bill to authorize the variation of the trust upon which certain funds are held for the members for the time

being of the Victorian Branch of the Returned Sailors', Soldiers' and Airmen's Imperial League of Australia and for other purposes—(Mr. Meagher).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 10 Oct., 1961, p. 31; order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill; motion, by leave, That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill—agreed to; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 11 Oct., p. 33; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 31 Oct., p. 47; the Council's agreement notified, 23 Nov., p. 68. (Assented to 28 November, 1961. Act No. 6799.)

- RURAL FINANCE AND SETTLEMENT COMMISSION: Bill to constitute a Rural Finance and Settlement Commission and to transfer thereto the powers functions duties and obligations of the Soldier Settlement Commission and the Rural Finance Corporation, and for purposes connected therewith—(*Mr. Bolte*).—Initiated and read a first time, 9 Nov., 1961, p. 56; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 21 Nov., p. 65; debate resumed —Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 31) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to; Bill considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired; 30 Nov., p. 78; the Council's agreement notified, 13 Dec., p. 90. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6846.)
- SHEEP OWNERS PROTECTION: Bill intituled "An Act to re-enact with Amendments the 'Sheep Owners Protection Act 1958'"—(Mr. Meagher).
 —Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 22 Nov., 1961, p. 67; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 23 Nov., p. 69; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 5 Dec., p. 81. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6809.)
- STAMPS (FURTHER AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Stamps Act 1958—(Mr. Rylah for Mr. Bolte).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 14; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 20 Sept., p. 18; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 9) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to, 3 Oct., p. 26.
 - STAMP DUTIES.—House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means; resolution fixing stamp duties on bookmakers' certificates reported and agreed to, 3 Oct., pp. 27–8.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 Oct., p. 28; amendments suggested by the Council on the consideration of the Bill in Committee, 24 Oct., p. 42; suggested amendments made and Bill returned to the Council; the Council's agreement to the Bill (including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council) notified, 25 Oct., p. 44. (Assented to 31 October, 1961. Act No. 6791.)

- STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED: Bill relating to claims against and liabilities incurred by the Standard Insurance Company Limited in respect of contracts of insurance under Division 1 of Part V. of the Motor Car Act 1958 and in relation to policies of accident insurance or indemnity against awards of compensation under the Workers Compensation Act 1958, and for other purposes—(Mr. Rylah).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 108; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 114; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee, 3 April, p. 116; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 April, p. 116; the Council's agreement notified, 10 April, p. 127. (Assented to 16 April, 1962. Act No. 6862.)
- STATE ACCIDENT INSURANCE OFFICE: Bill to permit the purchase of lands or buildings for the purposes of or for the efficient working of the State Accident Insurance Office, and for other purposes—(Mr. Meagher).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time 14 Nov., 1961, p. 59; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 15 Nov., p. 61; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 22 Nov., p. 67; the Council's agreement notified, 28 Nov., p. 73. (Assented to 5 December, 1961. Act No. 6803.)
- STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION: Bill to sanction the issue and application of loan money for works and other purposes relating to State forests—(*Mr. Fraser*).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 15) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 24 Oct., 1961, p. 42; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 15 Nov., p. 62; the Council's agreement notified, 6 Dec., p. 82. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6817.)
- STATUTE LAW REVISION: Bill to revise the Statute Law—(Mr. Rylah).—Initiated and read a first time, 21 March, 1962, p. 104; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 March, p. 109.
 - STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion, by leave, That the proposals contained in the Statute Law Revision Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report—agreed to, 27 March, p. 109.

Debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 April, p. 119; the Council's agreement to the Bill with an amendment notified; amendment considered and agreed to, 11 April, p. 129. (Assented to 16 April, 1962. Act No. 6867.)

- STOCK (ARTIFICIAL BREEDING): Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the Control and Regulation of the Artificial Breeding of Stock"—(Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 29 March, 1962, p. 114; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 3 April, p. 116; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended; considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council with the Assembly's amendments desired, 17 April, p. 132; the Council's agreement to the amendments notified, 18 April, p. 133. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6877.)
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION: Bill intituled "An Act relating to Subordinate Legislation and for other purposes "—(Mr. Rylah).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 29 March, 1962, p. 114; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 3 April, p. 116; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council with the Assembly's amendment desired, 17 April, p. 132; the Council's agreement to the Assembly's amendment notified, 18 April, p. 133; message from the Council transmitting a communication from Clerk of the Parliaments reporting clerical errors, which errors the Council have agreed to correct; correction concurred with, 2 May, p. 136. (Assented to 8 May, 1962. Act No. 6886.)
- SUPREME COURT (INTEREST ON JUDGMENTS): Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to the Payment of Interest on Judgments"—(Mr. Rylah).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 3 April, 1962, p. 117; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 4 April, p. 118; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 17 April, p. 132. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6874.)
- TATTOOING: Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section One hundred and forty-two of the 'Health Act 1958' and Part VII. of the 'Police Offences Act 1958' in relation to Tattooing"— (Mr. Bloomfield).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 10 April, 1962, p. 127; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 11 April, p. 128; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 18 April, p. 133. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6878.)

- Bill to THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT: amend The Constitution Act and The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958, and for other purposes—(Mr. Meagher).—Initiated and read a first time, 4 Oct., 1961, p. 29; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time; motion, That the debate be now adjourned—agreed to; motion made, That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th October instant; amend-ment proposed, That the expression "until Tuesday, 24th October instant" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expres-sion "until Tuesday 21st November next"; amendment negatived; debate adjourned until Tuesday, 24th October instant, 10 Oct., p. 31; debate resumed-Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 8 Nov., p. 55; the Council's agreement notified, 12 Dec., p. 89; report by Clerk of the Parliaments of clerical error in the Bill; error corrected, and the Council's concurrence with correction desired, 12 Dec., p. 90; the Council's agreement in correction of clerical error notified, 13 Dec., p. 90. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6840.)
- THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (POSTAL VOTING): Bill intituled "An Act to amend Division Fifteen of Part Five of, and the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Schedules to, 'The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958'"— (Mr. Rylah).—Brought from the Legislative Council and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 110; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 28 March, p. 112; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 17 April, p. 131. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6875.)
- THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE): Bill to amend section 346 of The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—(Mr. Rylah).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 38) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 20 March, 1962, pp. 103–4; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time-debate adjourned, 21 March, p. 105; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 April, p. 117; the Council's agreement notified, 10 April, p. 127. (Assented to 16 April, 1962. Act No. 6863.)
- THE ZINC CORPORATION, LIMITED: Bill to authorize The Zinc Corporation, Limited to become a company deemed to be incorporated in Victoria, to preserve the identify of the company so incorporated with The Zinc Corporation, Limited an existing company within the meaning of the Companies Act 1948 of the United Kingdom, and for other purposes—(Mr. Bolte).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 31 Oct., 1961, p. 45; order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill; motion, by leave, That all the Private Bill Standing Orders, except those relating to the payment of fees, be dispensed with, and that the Bill be

treated as a Public Bill—agreed to; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 31 Oct., p. 47; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 8 Nov., p. 52; the Council's agreement notified, 23 Nov., p. 68. (Assented to 28 November, 1961. Act No. 6800.)

- TOTTENHAM TO BROOKLYN RAILWAY CONSTRUC-TION: Bill to authorize the construction of a line of railway from Tottenham to Brooklyn-(*Mr. Fraser*).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 27 March, 1962, p. 108; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 March, p. 110; debate resumed— Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 April, p. 119; the Council's agreement notified, 17 April, p. 132. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6868.)
- TOURIST (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Tourist Act 1958— (Mr. Fraser).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 14; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 19 Sept., p. 16; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 Oct., p. 26; the Council's agreement notified, 18 Oct., p. 39. (Assented to 25 October, 1961. Act No. 6781.)
- TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING: Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to town and country planning—(*Mr. Porter*).—Initiated and read a first time, 27 Sept., 1961, p. 22; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 11 Oct., p. 33; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 15 Nov., p. 62; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified; amendments considered and agreed to, 13 Dec., p. 91. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6849.)
- UNCLAIMED MONEYS: Bill to consolidate and amend the law providing for the payment of unclaimed moneys into the Consolidated Revenue and to the Receiver of Revenue in Melbourne—(*Mr. Bolte*).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 13 March, 1962, p. 97; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 21 March, p. 105; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 44) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to; Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 April, p. 119; the Council's agreement to the Bill with amendments notified, 17 April, p. 132; amendments considered and agreed to, 18 April, p. 133. (Assented to 2 May, 1962. Act No. 6879.)

- UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH INCORPORATION: Bill to incorporate the United Evangelical Lutheran Church in Australia, Victoria District—(Mr. Meagher).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 19 Sept., 1961, p. 15; order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill; motion, by leave, That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill—agreed to; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 19 Sept., p. 16; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 Oct., p. 26; the Council's agreement notified, 25 October, p. 44. (Assented to 31 October, 1961. Act No. 6787.)
- UNIVERSITY (OFFICERS): Bill to amend the University Act 1958 in relation to the appointment of Pro-Vice Chancellors and Deans of Faculties — (Mr. Bloomfield).—Initiated, by leave, and read a first time, 8 Nov., 1961 p. 51; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 56; debate resumed —Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 21 Nov., p. 65; the Council's agreement notified, 28 Nov., p. 73. (Assented to 5 December, 1961. Act No. 6802.)
- VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the Valuation of Land Act 1960, the Housing Act 1958, the Local Government Act 1958, the Water Act 1958, and for other purposes—(Mr. Porter).—Initiated and read a first time, 27 Sept., 1961, p. 22; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 4 Oct., p. 29; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; Bill read the third time; concurrence of Legislative Council desired, 15 Nov., p. 61; the Council's agreement notified, 7 Dec., p. 86; (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6825.)
- WATER (BALLARAT WATER COMMISSIONERS): Bill to amend section 185 of the Water Act 1958— (Mr. Mibus).—Initiated and read a first time, 20 Sept., 1961, p. 17; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 20 Sept., p. 18; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; motion, by leave, That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider amendments to confer on the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission and commissioners of waterworks trusts the same powers as proposed to be conferred by the Bill upon the Ballarat Water Commissioners—negatived, on division; Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 3 Oct.,

pp. 25-6; the Council's agreement notified, 18 Oct., p. 39. (Assented to 25 October, 1961. Act No. 6782.)

- WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITIES (PROCEEDINGS AND FINANCES): Bill to amend the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1958, the Latrobe Valley Act 1958, the Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958, the River Improvement Act 1958, the Sewerage Districts Act 1958 and the Water Act 1958, and for other purposes -(Mr. Mibus).—Initiated and read a first time, 9 Nov., 1961, p. 56; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 14 Nov., p. 60; debate resumed—Bill read a second time and committed; Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 27) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to, 28 Nov., p. 72; motion, That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider an amendment to restrict the borrowing powers of a sewerage authority, upon a petition of forty per centum of the ratepayers for a poll, when the authority has not commenced work on the scheme within ten years of the scheme being approved by the Governor in Council-agreed to; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 29 Nov., p. 75; the 86. Council's agreement notified, 7 Dec., p. (Assented to 19 December, 1961. Act No. 6838.)
- WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION: Bill 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—(Mr. Mibus).—Message from His Excellency the Governor (No. 13) recommending an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill; considered in Committee; resolution reported and agreed to and Bill ordered thereupon; Bill initiated and read a first time, 17 Oct., 1961, p. 38; motion, That this Bill be now read a second timedebate adjourned, 18 Oct., p. 40; debate resumed —Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 16 Nov., p. 64; the Council's agreement notified, 6 Dec., p. 82. (Assented to 12 December, 1961. Act No. 6820.)
- WEST MELBOURNE MARKET LAND (AMENDMENT): Bill to amend the West Melbourne Market Land Act 1956—(Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).— Initiated and read a first time; motion, That this Bill be now read a second time—debate adjourned, 27 Sept., 1961, p. 22; debate resumed —Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of the Legislative Council desired, 4 Oct., p. 29; the Council's agreement notified, 25 Oct., p. 44. (Assented to 31 October, 1961. Act No. 6788.)

SESSION 1961-62.

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FORTY-SECOND PARLIAMENT.

FIRST SESSION. (1st August, 1961 to 3rd May, 1962.)

					ecorded for ing Member.	Perc	centage of Who Vo	Electors
Member.	District.	Number of Electors on Rolls.	Number of Electors Who Voted.	First Preference Votes.	Final Result after Distribution of Votes under The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Balfour, James Charles Murray, Esquire	Morwell	22,946	21,816	6,767	10,995	94 · 86	95·32	95·08
Barclay, Nathaniel, Esquire, D.C.M. ¹	Mildura	20,648	19,687	11,215		95·76	94 · 90	95 · 35
Birrell, Hayden Wilson, Esquire	Geelong	21,758	20,401	9,241	11,839	93 · 12	94 · 37	93·76
Bloomfield, The Honorable John Stoughton ²	Malvern	19,098	17,404	10,775		91 · 50	90.87	91 · 13
Bolte, The Honorable Henry Edward ³	Hampden	20,975	20,211	10,442		96 · 87	95 · 83	96 · 36
Borthwick, William Archibald, Esquire	Scoresby	30,627	29,032	14,023	17,060	94 · 72	94·86	94 · 79
Brose, The Honorable Richard Keats ⁴	Rodney	22,401	21,419	9,569	11,765	94 · 69	96 · 59	95 - 62
Christie, Vernon, Esquire	Ivanhoe	23,626	22,273	10,492	13,475	94 · 02	94 · 51	94 · 27
Clarey, Reynold Arthur, Esquire ⁵	Melbourne	15,758	14,096	6,340	7,101	89 · 11	89 · 79	89 · 4 5
Cochrane, Leslie James, Esquire	Gippsland West	22,382	21,279	8,224	10,515	95 · 59	94 · 53	95·07
Crick, George Roy, Esquire	Grant	38,649	36,321	19,305	••	93 · 29	94 · 72	93.98
Darcy, Thomas Anthony, Esquire	Polwarth	24,794	23,732	9,983	13,166	96 · 73	94 · 72	95·72
Divers, William Thomas, Esquire	Footscray	20,222	19,341	12,196		96 · 28	95 · 01	95·64
Dunstan, Roberts Christian, Esquire, D.S.O.	Mornington	28,189	26,273	14,856		93 · 34	93.07	93·20
Evans, Alexander Thomas, Esquire	Ballaarat North	22,585	21,613	7,653	12,732	95 . 92	95 - 49	95·70
Evans, Bruce James, Esquire	Gippsland East	21,537	20,151	7,342	12,273	93.67	93 · 45	93·56
Fennessy, Leo Michael, Esquire	Brunswick East	16,987	15,683	9,385		$92 \cdot 35$	92 · 30	92 · 32
Floyd, William Laurence, Esquire	Williamstown	19,193	18,001	12,236		94 · 46	93·12	93 · 79
Fraser, The Honorable Alexander John, M.C. ⁶	Caulfield	21,439	19,697	10,676		91 · 54	92.14	91 · 87
Gainey, Richard John, Esquire, M.B.E	Elsternwick	20,589	19,486	10,618		94·86	94 · 47	94 · 64
Galvin, The Honorable Leslie William	Bendigo	21,894	21,151	10,875		95·51	97 · 60	96 · 61
Garrisson, Peter Wolseley, Esquire	Hawthorn	18,722	17,187	7,071	9,568	92.38	91 · 33	91 · 80
Gibbs, George Sampson, Esquire	Portland	22,756	21,925	7,160	13,477	97 · 21	95 · 49	96·35
Gillett, Robert Max, Esquire	Geelong West	25,869	24,457	9,244	12,032	95·01	94.08	94 · 54
Holden, Jack Bruce, Esquire	Moonee Ponds	20,225	19,141	7,222	10,406	95 · 36	93·98	94.64
Holland, Kevin Myles Stephen, Esquire	Flemington	18,471	17,274	10,444		93.99	93·08	93·52
Hyland, The Honorable Sir Herbert John	Gippsland South	23,424	22,100	11,879		95 · 33	93 · 30	94·35
Thornhill Jenkins, Dr. Henry Alfred	Reservoir	27,588	26,504	14,110		97.09	95 · 08	96.07
Kane, Harold Edward, Esquire	Broadmeadows	42,871	40,764	13,651	21,076	95 · 39	94 · 77	95·09
Lovegrove, Denis, Esquire	Fitzroy	17,203	15,633	8,427		91 · 11	90.64	90 - 87
Loxton, Samuel John Everett, Esquire	Prahran	18,295	16,892	6,839	8,648	93 . 39	91 43	92 · 33
MacDonald, James David, Esquire ⁷	Burwood	21,578	20,444	11,929		95·18	94.39	94.74
McDonald, The Honorable Sir William John Farquhar ⁸	Dundas	21,766	20,987	9,344	11,484	96.69	96 • 14	96 • 42

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MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY-continued.

				Votes R Each Sitt	ecorded for ing Member.	Pei	centage o Who V	
Member.	District.	Number of Electors on Rolls.	Number of Electors Who Voted.	First Preference Votes.	Final Result after Distribution of Votes under The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Manson, James Williamson, Esquire	Ringwood	35,337	33,910	15,882	20,530	96.62	95·34	95.96
Meagher, The Honorable Edward Raymond,	Mentone	26,167	24,694	10,010	13,870	94 · 76	94 .00	94 · 37
M.B.E., E.D. ⁹ Mibus, The Honorable Wilfred John ¹⁰	Lowan	20,793	19,968	11,699		95.88	96 • 19	96 · 03
Mitchell, The Honorable Thomas Walter	Benambra	23,039	21,806	10,835		94 · 87	94 · 42	94 · 65
Moss, The Honorable George Colin	Murray Valley	23,051	22,051	10,437	12,262	96 · 28	$95 \cdot 29$	95·79
Mutton, Charles, Esquire	Coburg	21,501	20,460	11,658		95·40	94 · 93	95 · 16
Petty, The Honorable Horace Rostill ¹¹	Toorak	18,757	16,838	11,356	••	90· 4 2	89 · 28	89 · 77
Porter, The Honorable Murray Victor ¹²	Sandringham	26,818	25,659	12,563	15,797	96 · 36	95.05	95 · 68
Rafferty, Joseph Anstice, Esquire ¹³	Ormond	24,799	23,638	11,214	14,659	$95 \cdot 22$	95 · 41	95 · 32
Reid, The Honorable George Oswald ¹⁴	Box Hill	30,533	28,661	15,546		94 · 36	93 · 42	93 · 87
Reid, Leonard Stanley, Esquire, D.F.C. ¹⁵	Dandenong	37,575	35,539	14,290	19,232	94 · 21	94 · 97	94·58
Ring, Eugene Cornelius, Esquire	Preston	26,512	25,126	13,435		94·64	94 · 89	94 · 77
Rossiter, John Frederick, Esquire	Brighton	20,878	19,552	11,218		94 · 56	$92 \cdot 90$	93 · 65
Rylah, The Honorable Arthur Gordon, E.D. ¹⁶	Kew	21,462	19,727	11,452		92·44	91.52	91 · 92
Scanlan, Alan Henry, Esquire	Oakleigh	23,142	22,011	8,648	11,360	95·56	94·71	$95 \cdot 11$
Schintler, George Roy, Esquire	Yarraville	21,859	20,765	13,459		94 · 99	95 · 00	$95 \cdot 00$
Scott, Gordon Lincoln, Esquire	Ballaarat South	21,531	20,595	8,194	11,491	95·74	95 · 57	95.65
Snider, Baron David, Esquire ¹⁷	St. Kilda	18,850	16,771	7,537	9,466	91.51	89 · 21	90·26
Stirling, Harold Victor, Esquire ¹ :	Swan Hill	19,703	18,992	4,514	11,087	96 · 65	96·10	96 · 39
Stokes, Russell Newton, Esquire ¹⁹	Evelyn	30,817	28,946	12,302	15,647	94 · 00	93 · 85	93·93
Stoneham, The Honorable Clive Phillip ²⁰	Midlands	23,306	22,441	11,424		96·48	96 · 10	96·29
Suggett, Robert Harris, Esquire	Moorabbin	30,799	29,512	6,267	17,051	95 · 68	95 · 96	$95 \cdot 82$
Sutton, Patrick Keith, Esquire	Albert Park	17,415	16,131	8,736		91 · 91	93·27	92·63
Fanner, Edgar Stephen, Esquire, C.B.E.,	Ripponlea	19,498	17,710	8,166	10,343	90.57	91 ·06	90·83
E.D. ²¹ Faylor, Alexander William, Esquire, E.D	Balwyn	27,107	25,483	15,653		94 · 67	93 · 45	94 · 01
fowers, William John, Esquire, M.M. ²²	Richmond	17,634	16,133	9,281		92·57	90.49	91 · 4 9
Frewin, Thomas Campion, Esquire	Benalla	20,915	19,944	7,007	13,102	95.96	94 · 72	95 · 36
furnbull, Campbell, Esquire ²³	Brunswick West	19,472	18,262	9,159		93 . 46	94·10	93·79
furnbull, The Honorable Keith Hector ²⁴	Kara Kara	19,521	18,809	6,224	11,864	96 . 92	95 · 79	96 · 3 5
Wheeler, Kenneth Henry, Esquire	Essendon	24,434	23,320	9,054	12,933	95.65	$95 \cdot 24$	95·44
Wilcox, Vernon Francis, Esquire	Camberwell	20,642	19,205	10,773		93 · 63	92.59	93·04
Wilkes, Frank Noel, Esquire	Northcote	20,171	19,134	10,551		95 · 21	94.55	94 · 86
Wiltshire, Raymond John, Esquire	Mulgrave	46,023	43,664	20,478	26,456	95 · 09	94 · 66	94 · 87

NOTES.

The particulars given in the above table relate to the General Election 1961; the date of each Members' election being 15th July, 1961, the "day of polling".

¹ Mr. N. Barclay, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 15th June, 1955.

- ² The Hon. J. S. Bloomfield, Minister of Education from 14th February, 1956.
- ³ The Hon. H. E. Bolte, Premier Treasurer, from 7th June, 1955; Minister for Conservation (without salary) from 7th June, 1955, to 26th July, 1961.
- ⁴ The Hon. R. K. Brose, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 15th June, 1955.

⁵ Mr. R. A. Clarey, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 14th October, 1958.

- The Hon. A. J. Fraser, Minister of Forests and Minister of State Development (without salary) from 20th January, 1959 to 26th July, 1961; Minister of State Development from 26th July, 1961.
- 7 Mr. J. D. MacDonald, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 1st August, 1961.
- The Hon. Sir William McDonald, Speaker, from 15th June, 1955.
- The Hon. E. R. Meagher, M.B.E., E.D., Minister without Portfolio from 26th July, 1961; Minister of Immigration from 9th January, 1962.
- ¹⁰ The Hon. W. J. Mibus, Minister of Water Supply, Minister of Mines (without salary) from 7th June, 1955.
- ¹¹ The Hon. H. R. Petty, Minister of Housing from 8th June, 1955 to 26th July, 1961; Minister of Immigration (without salary) from 10th April, 1956 to 9th January, 1962; Commissioner of Public Works and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works from 26th July, 1961.
- 12 The Hon. M. V. Porter, Minister for Local Government from 16th December, 1958.
- ¹³ Mr. J. A. Rafferty, Chairman of Committees from 1st August, 1961.
- ¹⁴ The Hon. G. O. Reid, Minister of Labour and Industry, and Minister of Electrical Undertakings (without salary) from 14th February, 1956.
- ¹⁵ Mr. L. S. Reid, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 1st August, 1961.
- 16 The Hon. A. G. Rylah, Chief Secretary from 7th June, 1955 ; Attorney General (without salary) from 8th June, 1955.
- ¹⁷ Mr. B. D. Snider, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 8th July, 1958.
- ¹⁸ Mr. H. V. Stirling, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 1st August, 1961.
- ¹⁹ Mr. R. N. Stokes, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 1st August, 1961.
- ²⁰ The Hon. C. P. Stoneham, Leader of the Opposition from 7th October, 1958.
- ²¹ Mr. E. S. Tanner, C.B.E., E.D., one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 1st August, 1961.
- ²² Mr. W. J. Towers, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 15th June, 1958. Deceased 19th March, 1962.
- ²³ Mr. C. Turnbull, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 8th July, 1958.
- ²⁴ The Hon. K. H. Turnbull, Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, Minister of Soldier Settlement (without salary), and President of the Board of Land and Works from 8th June, 1955; Minister for Conservation (without salary) from 26th July, 1961.

OFFICERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

The Speaker		•••	The Honorable Sir William John Farguhar McDonald.
The Chairman of Committees		•••	JOSEPH ANSTICE RAFFERTY, Esquire.
The Clerk of the Parliaments and Cl Legislative Assembly	erk of the		HUGH KENNEDY MCLACHLAN, Esquire, J.P. succeeded by
The Clerk of the Legislative Assemb	ly	•••	JOHN ARCHIBALD ROBERTSON, ESquire.
The Clerk-Assistant		••	JOHN ARCHIBALD ROBERTSON, Esquire.
			succeeded by
			Leslie Graham McDonald, Esquire.
The Second Clerk-Assistant		••	Leslie Graham McDonald, Esquire.
			succeeded by
			ALFRED REGINALD MCDONNELL, Esquire, Dip.Pub.Admin.
The Serjeant-at-Arms	•••		ALFRED REGINALD MCDONNELL, Esquire, Dip.Pub.Admin.
			succeeded by
			JOHN HAROLD CAMPBELL, Esquire, Dip.Pub.Admin.

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APPENDIX No. 1.

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STATISTICS RELATING TO THE GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. 15TH JULY, 1961.

Electoral Districts.	Electors	Candidates' Names.	First Preference	Number of	Number of	Number of Electors	Section 186	Absent	[ntage of El Who Voted	
	Enrolled.	candidates maines.	Votes Polled for each Candidate.	Electors Who Voted.	Informal Ballot- papers.	Who Voted by Post.	Voters* (Act No. 6224).	Votes.§		Female.	Total.
Albert Park	17,415	Jones, Albert Joseph Merrett, Thomas Sutton, Patrick Keith	$\left.\begin{array}{c}3,437\\3,404\\8,736\end{array}\right\}$	16,131	554	441	10	801	91 • 91	93 27	92·63
Ballaarat North	22,585	Brown, Walter James Evans, Alexander Thomas Gray, Philip Ronaldt Hoffert, Alexander Jaffray	4,038 7,653 7,842 1,765	21,613	315	1,054	25	1,153	95 • 92	95.49	95·70
Ballaarat South	21,531	{Brown, Francis Joseph Scott, Gordon Lincoln Wilson, Ronald Edwardt	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 3,691 \\ 8,194 \\ 8,394 \end{array} \right\}$	20,595	316	1,172	24	914	95·74	95.57	95·65
Balwyn	27,107	{Du Vergier, Edmund Felix {Erwin, Leo Patrick Taylor, Alexander William	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 6,104 \\ 3,346 \\ 15,653 \end{array} \right\}$	25,483	380	657	76	858	94.67	93 ·45	94·01
Benalla	20,915	Ginifer, John Joseph Hanson, John William O'Dea, Bartholomew Trewin, Thomas Campion‡	5,758 3,785 3,000 7,007	19,944	394	327	64	1,277	95.96	94 • 72	95 · 36
Benambra	23,039	Findlay, William John Kilpatrick, Robert William Mitchell, Thomas Walter Mortimer, Reginald Smith	$3,445 \\ 2,171 \\ 10,835 \\ 4,920 \end{bmatrix}$	21,806	435	347	77	1,099	94·87	94 • 42	94·65
Bendigo	21,894	Brennan, Paul Gerrard Flood, Thomas Richard Galvin, Leslie William	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 3,434 \\ 6,579 \\ 10,875 \end{array} \right\}$	21,151	263	1,374	40	884	9 5 · 51	97.60	96.61
Box Hill	30,533	Burgi, Edmund Leopold O'Grady, William Reid, George Oswald	$\begin{array}{c}4,717\\7,873\\15,546\end{array}$	28,661	525	555	65	1,241	9 4 ·36	93·42	93.87
Brighton	20,878	Blunden, Geoffrey Halstead McSweeney, Edwin Joseph Rossiter, John Frederick	$5,333 \\ 2,678 \\ 11,218 \end{bmatrix}$	19,552	323	608	17	672	94·56	92.90	93 .65
Broadmeadows	42,871	Donnellon, John Anthony Kane, Harold Edward Loo, van de, Anthony John Christian† Smith, Joseph Henry‡	$\begin{array}{c}7,529\\13,651\\908\\17,650\end{array}$	40,764	1,026	469	271	1,610	95·39	94.77	95.09
Brunswick East	16,987	Fennessy, Leo Michael Mills, Warren Francis Swain, Allan Nicholas	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 9,385 \\ 2,059 \\ 3,337 \end{array} \right\}$	15,683	902	421	24	497	92·3 5		92·32
runswick West	19,472	Flint, John Joseph Glass, Norman John Turnbull, Campbell	$\left.\begin{array}{c}4,251\\4,094\\9,159\end{array}\right\}$	18,262	758	468	36	610	93·46		93•79
surwood	21,578	Duffy, John Lynn, Peter John MacDonald, James David	$\begin{array}{c}2,944\\5,252\\11,929\end{array}$	20,444	319 .	555	37	618	95·18	94·39	94 • 74
amberwell		Giblet, Anthony Jackson Laird, Celia Mary Wilcox, Vernon Francis	5,218 2,808 10,773	19,205	406	663	35	678	93.63	92·59	93.04
aulfield	21,439	Culliford, Walter Alexander Edwards, Sydney Edgar Fraser, Alexander John	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 3,474 \\ 5,137 \\ 10,676 \end{array} \right\}$	19,697	410	616	35	585	91 • 54	92 · 14	91 • 87
oburg	i R	Livingstone, John Francis Mutton, Charles Pyatt, Bryce William George	4,149 11,658 4,036	20,460	617	324	35	601	95.40	94.93	95.16
andenong	37,575 {	Lind, Alan Alfred Campbell [‡] Reïd, Leonard Stanley Simmons, John Godfrey	14,949 14,290 5,538	35,539	762	414	80 1	,493	94-21	94 . 97	94.58
undas	21,766	Eveston, James Colin McClure, John Robert McDonald, William John Farquhar‡	$\begin{array}{c}2,943\\8,463\\9,344\end{array}\right\}$	20,987	237	525	21 1	,514 9	96 • 69	96.14	96 • 42

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			First Preference	Number of	Number	Number of	Section 186	Abaant	Percent W	age of Elevino Voted.	ctors
Electoral Districts.	Electors Enrolled.	Candidates' Names.	Votes Polled for each Candidate.	Electors Who Voted.	Informal Ballot- papers.	Electors Who Voted by Post.	Voters* (Act No. 6224).	Absent Votes.§	Male.	Female.	Total.
Elsternwick	20,589	Gainey, Richard John Preece, Edward John Smith, George Leonard	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 10,618\\ 3,174\\ 5,287 \end{array} \right\}$	19,486	407 .	531	37	699	94·86	9 4 • 47	94 · 64
Essendon	24,434	{ Digby, Kevin Edmunds, Leslie Francis McClure, Norman Wallacet Wheeler, Kenneth Henry	$\left. egin{array}{c} 4,564 \\ 8,794 \\ 294 \\ 9,054 \end{array} ight\}$	23,320	614	506	22	655	95.65	95·24	95· 44
Evelyn	30,817	Gould, Kevin Francis King, Donald Stokes, Russell Newton‡	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 4,704 \\ 11,424 \\ 12,302 \end{array} \right\}$	28,946	516	350	56	1,456	94 · 00	93 ·85	93 · 93
Fitzroy	17,203	Barry, William Peter Lee, Maxwell John Lovegrove, Denis	$\left. \begin{array}{c} {3,951} \\ {2,285} \\ {8,427} \end{array} \right\}$	15,633	970	261	17	502	91 • 11	90.64	90 · 87
Flemington	18,471	Holland, Kevin Myles Stephen	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 10,444 \\ 3,005 \\ 3,232 \end{array} \right\}$	17,274	593	422	41	662	93 - 99	93.08	9 3 ·52
Footscray	20,222	Byrne, Walter John Divers, William Thomas Oliver, Peter George	$\left.\begin{array}{c}3,870\\12,196\\2,485\end{array}\right\}$	19,341	790	381	30	552	96·28	95 · 01	95 · 64
Geelong	21,758	Birrell, Hayden Wilson‡ King, William John Kevin Mithen, William Joseph	$\left.\begin{array}{c}9,241\\7,590\\3,159\end{array}\right\}$	20,401	411	700	67	848	.93 - 12	94 · 37	93 · 76
Geelong West	25,869	$\begin{cases} \text{Gillett, Robert Max} & \dots \\ Mahoney, James John & \dots \\ Trezise, Neil Benjamint & \dots \end{cases}$	$\left.\begin{array}{c}9,244\\3,207\\11,510\end{array}\right\}$	24,457	496	866	98	805	95 . 01	94 ·08	94 · 54
Gippsland East	21,537	Archibald, Rae Harold Burns, Frank Vincent Evans, Bruce James‡ Rosser, Neil Stewurt	$\left.\begin{array}{c} 4,752\\ 2,901\\ 7,342\\ 4,715\end{array}\right\}$	20,151	441	336	61	1,497	93 · 67	93 • 45	93 · 56
Gippsland South	23,424	Farrell, Geoffrey Ashton Joseph Fitzgerald, Bryan† Fitzgerald, Bryan† Horsfield, Leslie Neil† Hyland, Herbert John Thornhill Thexton, Albert Ernest	$ \begin{array}{c} 2,918\\ 340\\ 2,156\\ 11,879\\ 4,181 \end{array} $	22,100	626	255	71	1,465	95 • 33	93.30	94 - 35
Gippsland West	22,382	Cochrane, Leslie James [†] Garside, Toni Fae Kent, Daniel Eric Scanlon, Kevin Reginald	$ \left \begin{array}{c} 8,224\\ 4,463\\ 5,237\\ 2,847 \end{array}\right\} $	21,279	508	288	38	1,443	95 · 59	94 · 53	95 · 0'
Grant	38,649	Bainbridge, Robert Arnold Crellin, Maxwell Leslie Crick, George Roy Nilson, William Crozier†	$\left \begin{array}{c} 7,677\\ 6,924\\ 19,305\\ 940 \end{array}\right $	36,321	1,475	274	60	1,120	93 · 29	94 · 72	93 • 98
Hampden	20,975	$\begin{cases} \text{Bolte, Henry Edward} & \dots \\ O'Brien, Francis Joseph & \dots \\ Price, George Victor & \dots \end{cases}$	$\left.\begin{array}{c}10,442\\3,480\\6,058\end{array}\right\}$	20,211	231	437	16	1,139	96.87	95.83	96 · 36
Hawthorn	18,722	Garrisson, Peter Wolseley‡ Murphy, Charles James Reeves, John Herbert	$\left.\begin{array}{c}7,071\\2,963\\6,657\end{array}\right\}$	17,187	496	493	32	805	92.38	91 · 33	91.80
Ivanhoe	23,626	{Christie, Vernon‡ Cummins, Cyril Richard Rothfield, Norman	$\left.\begin{array}{c}10,492\\3,298\\8,070\end{array}\right\}$	22,273	413	543	66	789	94.02	94.51	94 - 2'
Kara Kara	19,521	Gervasoni, Vincent Michael Phelan, William Sudholz, Cyril Henry Turnbull, Keith Hector‡	$2,144 \\ 4,902 \\ 5,314 \\ 6,224$	18,809	225	474	13	1,237	96 · 92	95 · 79	96 · 3
Kew	21,462	Cooper, William Dermott Duffy, Francis Xavier Rylah, Arthur Gordon Thornton, Eric Lloyd†	$\begin{array}{c} 4,384\\ 3,068\\ 11,452\\ 357 \end{array}$	19,727	466	723	61	837	92.44	91 · 52	·91 · 92
Lowan	20,793	Mibus, Wilfred John Redford, James Henry	11,699	19,968	245	445	15	1,052	95.88	96 • 19	96.0

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STATISTICS RELATING TO THE GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 15TH JULY, 1961-continued.

			First	Number	Number	Number of	Section		Percen	ntage of Ele Who Voted	ectors
Electoral Districts.	Electors Enrolled.	Candidates' Names.	Preference Votes Polled for each Candidate.	of Electors Who Voted.	of Informal Ballot- papers.	Electors Who Voted by Post.	186 Voters* (Act No. 6224).	Absent Votes.§	Male.	Female.	Total.
Malvern	19,098	Bloomfield, John Stoughton Canty, Thomas William McGarvin, James Edward	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 10,775 \\ 2,513 \\ 3,737 \end{array} \right\}$	17,404	379	654	63	679	91 · 50	90.87	91 · 13
Melbourne	15,758	Burns, William George Clarey, Reynold Arthurt Hayes, Thomas Roche, Henry Waltert	$\left.\begin{array}{c}3,742\\6,340\\2,909\\209\end{array}\right\}$	14,096	896	400	52	722	89.11	89.79	89 · 4 5
Mentone	26,167	Barber, Nola Isabel Constance Meagher, Edward Raymond White, George Edward	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 10,019\\ 10,010\\ 4,190 \end{array} \right\}$	24,694	475	464	150	1,090	94·76	94.00	94 · 37
Midlands	23,306	Lewis, Keith Elston Stoneham, Clive Phillip Timberlake, John Francis	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 7,296 \\ 11,424 \\ 3,344 \end{array} \right\}$	22,441	377	1,209	42	1,120	96 · 48	96 · 10	96 • 29
Mildura	20,648	Barclay, Nathaniel Burgess, Douglas Percival Dixon, Raymond Ambrose† McInerney, William†	$\left.\begin{array}{c}11,215\\4,462\\1,696\\1,809\end{array}\right\}$	19,687	505	356	13	803	95 · 76	94 · 90	95 · 3 5
Moonee Ponds	20,225	Edmunds, Cyril Thomas‡ Gunn, Paul Hugh Holden, Jack Bruce Kirchner, Peter Arleigh†	7,724 3,360 7,222 306	19,141	529	657	14	532	95 · 36	93 · 98	94 · 64
Moorabbin	30,799	Coates, Leslie Robert Healy, James Joseph Reese, William Frederick Llewellym Suggett, Robert Harris	$\begin{array}{c}11,164\\4,220\\7,389\\6,267\end{array}$	29,512	472	536	31	731	95.68	95·96	95 - 82
Mornington	28,189	Cass, John Leo Dunstan, Roberts Christian Pigott, Brian Francis	$\left.\begin{array}{c} 4,108\\ 14,856\\ 6,854 \end{array}\right\}$	26,273	455	724	95	1,582	93·34	93·07	93 · 20
Morwell	22,946	Balfour, James Charles Murray Charles Brown, George Mitchell Hilton, Leslie Randle Vinall, John Charles	$\left.\begin{array}{c} 6,767\\ 9,267\\ 2,747\\ 2,526 \end{array}\right\}$	21,816	509	195	124	1,362	9 4 · 86	95 · 32	95 · 08
Mulgrave	46,023	Scully, Vincent Joseph Sparrow, Leo Augustine Wiltshire, Raymond John‡	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 15,610 \\ 6,840 \\ 20,478 \end{array} \right\}$	43,664	736	436	37	1,551	95 · 09	94 · 66	94 · 87
Murray Valley	23,051	Kirby, Ronald James Marmo, Bruno Avellino Moss, George Colin‡ Patterson, John Patrick	5,750 2,116 10,437 3,194	22,081	584	363	70	1,240	96·28	95 · 29	95·79
Northcote	20,171	Little, John Albert Sullivan, Julian John Wilkes, Frank Noel	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 4,620 \\ 3,349 \\ 10,551 \end{array} \right\}$	19,134	614	684	49	594	95 · 2 1	94 · 55	94 · 86
Oakleigh	23,142	{Doube, Valentine Joseph‡ Kinnane, Morris Michael Scanlon, Alan Henry	$9,842 \\ 3,165 \\ 8,648 $	22,011	356	500	72	599	95.56	94.71	95 · 11
Ormond	24,799	Rafferty, Joseph Anstice‡ Semmel, Robert Anthony Stone, Kenneth Charles	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 11,214 \\ 3,896 \\ 8,075 \end{array} \right\}$	23,638	453	492	66	668	95·22	95 · 41	95 · 32
Polwarth	24,794	{ Bruce, Alan James Darcy, Thomas Anthonyt Kidman, Lloyd Llewellyn Morris, Edwin William	$3,630 \\ 9,983 \\ 3,673 \\ 6,066 \end{bmatrix}$	23,732	380	505	62	1,455	96 · 73	94.72	95·72
Portland	22,756	Gibbs, George Sampson Gouty, George William [‡] Price, Stewart Lawrence Russell, John Joseph	$7,160 \\ 7,163 \\ 3,255 \\ 4,056 \end{bmatrix}$	21,925	291	459	36	1,143	97 · 21	95 · 4 9	96 · 3 5
Prahran	18,295	{Gahan, George Thomas‡ Haberman, Gordon John Loxton, Samuel John Everett	$7,430 \\ 2,137 \\ 6,839 $	16,892	486	902	29	775	93 · 39	91 · 48	92 · 33
Preston	26,512	Lucy, Michael Francis Pritchard, Colin Gregory Ring, Eugene Cornelius	$5,904 \\ 5,168 \\ 13,435 \end{bmatrix}$	25,126	619	326	36	849	94 · 64	94 · 89	94.77

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STATISTICS RELATING TO THE GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 15TH JULY, 1961-continued.

	Electors		First Preference	Number of	Number of	Number of Electors	Section 186	Absent	Percent W	tage of Ele 7ho ▼oted.	ctors
Electoral Districts.	Enrolled.	Candidates' Names.	Votes Polled for each Candidate.	Electors Who Voted.	Informal Ballot- papers.	Who Voted by Post.	Voters* (Act No. 6224).	Votes.§	Male.	Female.	Total.
Reservoir	27,588	{ Arrowsmith, John Corbett { Jenkins, Henry Alfred Welsh, David Ian Beaumont Whitling, Frederick Arthur	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 1,066 \\ 14,110 \\ 4,909 \\ 5,656 \end{array} \right\}$	26,504	763	382	19	986	97 · 09	95·08	96 · 0'
Richmond	17,634	(Bocquet, Harry (Gardner, Leo Joseph Ridge, John Charles Towers, William John	$\left.\begin{array}{c} 789\\ {\bf 3},922\\ {\bf 1},236\\ {\bf 9},281 \end{array}\right\}$	16,133	905	552	37	541	92 · 57	90 · 4 9	91 · 4
Ringwood	35,337	{Johnson, William George Manson, James Williamson‡ Ould, David Arthur	$5,134 \\ 15,882 \\ 12,346 ight\}$	33,910	548	610	55	1,095	96 · 62	95·34	95.9
Ripponlea	19,498	Cunneen, Michael Goldberg, Steven Tanner, Edgar Stephent	$\left.\begin{array}{c}2,946\\6,009\\8,166\end{array}\right\}$	17,710	589	644	16	572	90.57	91.06	90.8
Rodney	22,401	Broom, Spencer John Brose, Richard Keats‡ Charlton, Francis Robert Frankland, Neil Galt	3,635 9,569 4,683 3,100	21,419	432	295	42	1,261	94 · 69	96 • 59	95.6
St. Kilda	18,580	Atherton, Leslie Vincent Hughes, John Joseph Snider, Baron David‡	$\left. \begin{array}{c} 6,329 \\ 2,348 \\ 7,537 \end{array} \right\}$	16,771	557	529	35	757	91 · 51	89 · 21	90 · 2
Sandringham	26,818	Farrall, Kenneth McDonald Porter, Murray Victor [‡] Ryan, John Thomas	$\left \begin{array}{c}9,181\\12,563\\3,532\end{array}\right\}$	25,659	383	572	25	685	96.36	95.05	95 · 6
Scoresby	30,627	Borthwick, William Archibald‡ Noone, George Michael Wanklyn, Ronald James	$\left \begin{array}{c} 14,023\\ 3,498\\ 11,007\end{array}\right\}$	29,032	504	646	48	1,204	94.72	94.86	94.7
Swan Hill	19,703	Harrison, Gordon Kenneth Hilton, Herbert Georget Hipworth, John Alexander McMahon, John Gerard Stirling, Harold Victor Wohlers, Clarence Percival	3,494 5,041 1,150 2,415 4,514 1,812	18,992	566	262	7	1,273	96.65	96.10	96 · 3
Foorak	18,757	Petty, Horace Rostill Speed, John Joseph	$\left.\begin{array}{c}11,356\\4,054\end{array}\right\}$	16,838	1,428	732	40	993	90.42	89.28	89 · 7
Williamstown	19,193	Floyd, William Laurence McNeill, Neil James Kane† Smith, William George† Twomey, John Nicholas	$ \left \begin{array}{c} 12,236\\ 1,929\\ 570\\ 2,703 \end{array}\right\} $	18,001	563	328	38	470	94.46	9 3 ·12	93 · 7
Yarraville	21,859	{Gerrard, Alfred Lawrence Greig, Neal Ronald† Schintler, George Roy	$\left \begin{array}{c} 4,488\\ 2,100\\ 13,459 \end{array}\right\}$	20,765	718	340	35	520	94 · 99	95 · 00	95 · 0

Names of defeated candidates are printed in *italics*.
Persons who were not enrolled but who claimed to have been entitled to enrolment (see also p. liv.)
Deposit forfeited, having polled less than one-fifth of the first preference votes received by the elected candidate.
The candidate who received the greatest number of first preference votes did not secure an absolute majority as required by section 208 of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act* 1958, No. 6224. For particulars of preferential count see pp. liv-lviil.
Electors who voted in a subdivision other than that for which they were enrolled. See section 187, Act No. 6224.

APPENDIX No. 2.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

(SUMMARY.)

Number Enrolled-

Total number of electors enrolled in 66 Districts (whole State) :---

Males, 758,029; females, 796,827 ... 1,554,856 There were contests in each of the 66 Electoral Districts.

Number of voters-

Total number of voters (66 contested Districts)---

Formal		••	••	••	1,431,925
Informal $(2 \cdot 45 \text{ per centres})$	ıt.)	••			35,937
Total—Males, 717,	755; females	750,107	••		1,467,862

PERCENTAGE OF VOTERS TO THE TOTALS ENROLLED FOR CONTESTED DISTRICTS.

Males.	Females.	Total.	
94.69	94 • 14	94.41	

POSTAL VOTES.

Formal.	Informal.	Total.
34,761	268 (0·77 per cent.)	35,029

ABSENT VOTES.

 Formal.	Informal	Total.
59,821	2,699 (4·32 per cent.)	62,520

UNENROLLED VOTES (SECTION 186).

(Votes of persons who were not enrolled, but who claimed to have been entitled to enrolment.)										
Allowed, after per cent.)							3.211			
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Not allowed, (70.93 per							7,833			
Total	••						11,044			

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS.

(GENERAL ELECTION, 15TH JULY, 1961.)

DETAILS OF THE PREFERENTIAL COUNT IN EACH DISTRICT WHERE AN Absolute Majority was not Obtained on the First Count by any Candidate.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BALLAARAT NORTH.

		m- 4 - 1-			
	Brown.	Evans.	Gray.	Hoffert.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	4,038	7,653	7,842	1,765	21,298
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hoffert, first defeated Candidate	106	1,268	391		1,765
Totals after First Dis- tribution Distribution of ballot-papers	4,144	8,921	8,233		21,298
of Brown, second defeated Candidate		3,811	333	••	4,144
FINAL COUNT		12,732	8,566		21,298

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BALLAARAT SOUTH.

	Candidates.				
	Brown.	Scott.	Wilson.	Totals.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,691	8,194	8,394	20,279	
Distribution of ballot-papers of Brown, defeated Candidate		3,297	394	3,691	
FINAL COUNT		11,491	8,788	20,279	

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BENALLA.

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	Ginifer.	Hanson.	O'Dea.	Trewin.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	5,758	3,785	3,000	7,007	19,550
Distribution of ballot-papers of O'Dea, first defeated Candidate	276	2,196		528	3,000
Totals after First Dis- tribution	6,034	5,981		7,535	19,550
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hanson, second defeated Candidate	414			5,567	5,981
FINAL COUNT	6,448			13,102	19,550

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BROADMEADOWS.

	Donnel- lon.	Kane.	Loo, van de.	Smith.	Totals.
First Count—First Pre- ference Votes	7,529	13,651	908	17,650	39,738
Distribution of ballot-papers of Loo, van de, first defeated Candidate	197	344		367	908
Totals after First Dis- tribution	7,726	13,995		18,017	39,738
Distribution of ballot-papers of Donnellon, second de- feated Candidate		7,081		645	7,726
FINAL COUNT		21,076		18,662	39,738

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF DANDENONG.

		Totals.		
	Lind.	Reid.	Simmons.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	14,949	14,290	5,538	34,777
Distribution of ballot-papers of Simmons, defeated Candidate	596	4,942		5,538
FINAL COUNT	15,545	19,232		34,777

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF DUNDAS.

		Totals.		
	Eveston.	McClure.	McDonald.	
First Count—First Preference Votes Distribution of ballot-papers of	2,943	8,463	9,344	20,750
Eveston, defeated Candidate	••	803	2,140	2,943
Final Count	••	9,266	11,484	20,750

	, <u> </u>	Candidates.				
	Digby.	Edmunds.	McClure.	Wheeler.	Totals.	
First Count—First Pre- ference Votes	4,564	8,794	294	9,054	22,706	
Distribution of ballot- papers of McClure, first defeated Candidate	133	97		. 64	294	
Totals after First Distribution	4,697	8,891		9,118	22,706	
Distribution of ballot- papers of Digby, second defeated Candidate		882		3,815	4,697	
FINAL COUNT		9,773		12,933	22,706	

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF ESSENDON.

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS-continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF EVELYN.

		Totals.		
	Gould.	King.	Stokes.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	4,704	11,424	12,302	28,430
Distribution of ballot-papers of Gould, defeated Candidate		1,359	3,345	4,704
Final Count		12,783	15,647	28,430

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GEELONG.

		Totals.		
	Birrell.	King.	Mithen.	10tais.
First Count—First Preference Votes	9,241	7,590	3,159	19,990
Distribution of ballot-papers of Mithen, defeated Candidate	2,598	561		3,159
Final Count	11,839	8,151		19,990

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GEELONG WEST.

		Totals.		
	Gillett.	Mahoney.	Trezise.	100415.
First Count—First Preference Votes	9,244	3,207	11,510	23,961
Distribution of ballot-papers of Mahoney, defeated Candidate	2,788		419	3,207
FINAL COUNT	12,032		11,929	23,961

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GIPPSLAND EAST.

		Totals.			
	Archibald.	Burns.	Evans.	Rosse	
First Count—First Preference Votes	4,752	2,901	7,342	4,715	19,710
Distribution of ballot-papers of Burns, first defeated Candidate	2,156		540	205	2,901
Totals after First Dis- tribution	6,908		7,882	4,920	19,710
Distribution of ballot-papers of Rosser, second defeated Candidate	529	••	4,391		4,920
FINAL COUNT	7,437		12,273		19,710

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GIPPSLAND WEST.

Candidates.					
	Cochrane.	Garside.	Kent.	Scanlon.	Totals.
First Count—First Pre- ference Votes	8,224	4,463	5,237	2,847	20,771
Distribution of ballot-papers of Scanlon, defeated Candidate	2,291	306	250		2,847
FINAL COUNT	10,515	4,769	5,487		20,771

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF HAWTHORN.

	Candidates.			
	Garrisson.	Murphy.	Reeves.	Totals.
First Count-First Preference Votes	7,071	2,963	6,657	16,691
Distribution of ballot-papers of Murphy, defeated Candidate	2,497		466	2,963
FINAL COUNT	9,568		7,123	16,691

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF IVANHOE.

	Christie.	Cummins.	Rothfield.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	10,492	3,298	8,070	21,860
Distribution of ballot-papers of Cummins, defeated Candidate	2,983		315	3,298
Final Count	13,475		8,385	21,860

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF KARA KARA.

	Gervasoni.	Phelan.	Sudholz.	Turnbull.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	2,144	4,902	5,314	6,224	18,584
Distribution of ballot-papers of Gervasoni, first defeated Candidate		493	122	1,529	2,144
Totals after First Dis- tribution		5,395	5,436	7,753	18,584
Distribution of ballot-papers of Phelan, second defeated Candidate			1,284	4,111	5,395
FINAL COUNT			6,720	11,864	18,584

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MELBOURNE.

		Candidates.			
	Burns.	Clarey.	Hayes.	Roche.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,742	6,340	2,909	209	13,200
Distribution of ballot-papers of Roche, first defeated Candidate	35	96	78		209
Totals after First Dis- tribution	3,777	6,436	2,987	·	13,200
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hayes, second defeated Candidate	2,322	665			2,987
FINAL COUNT	6,099	7,101			13,200

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS-continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MENTONE.

	Candidates.			
	Barber.	Meagher.	White.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	10,019	10,010	4,190	24,219
Distribution of ballot-papers of White, defeated Candidate	330	3,860		4,190
FINAL COUNT	10,349	13,870		24,219

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MOONEE PONDS.

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	Edmunds.	Gunn.	Holden.	Kirchner.	Totals.
First Count—First Pre- ference Votes	7,724	3,360	7,222	306	18,612
Distribution of ballot-papers of Kirchner, first defeated Candidate	48	168	90		306
Totals after First Dis- tribution	7,772	3,528	7,312	 	18,612
Distribution of ballot-papers of Gunn, second defeated Candidate	434		3,094		3 ,528
FINAL COUNT	8,206		10,406	•••	18,612

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MOORABBIN.

	Candidates.				
	Coates.	Healy.	Reese.	Suggett.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	11,164	4,220	7,389	6,267	29,040
Distribution of ballot-papers of Healy, first defeated Candidate	373		326	3,521	4,220
Totals after First Dis- tribution	11,537		7,715	9,788	29,040
Distribution of ballot-papers of Reese, second defeated Candidate	452		•••	7,263	7,715
FINAL COUNT	11,989			17,051	29,040

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MORWELL.

	Candidates.				
	Balfour.	Brown.	Hilton.	Vinall.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	6,767	9,267	2,747	2,526	21,307
Distribution of ballot-papers of Vinall, first defeated Candidate	1,582	361	583		2,526
Totals after First Dis- tribution	8,349	9,628	3,330		21,307
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hilton, second defeated Candidate	2,646	684		••	3,330
FINAL COUNT	10,995	10,312	•••		21,307

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS-continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MULGRAVE.

	Candidates.			
	Scully.	Sparrow.	Wiltshire.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	15,610	6,840	20,478	42,928
Distribution of ballot-papers of Sparrow, defeated Candidate	862		5,978	6,840
FINAL COUNT	16,472		26,456	42,928

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MURRAY VALLEY.

	Candidates.				
	Kirby.	Marmo.	Moss.	Patterson.	Totals.
First Count—First Pre- ference Votes Distribution of ballot-papers	5,750	2,116	10,437	3,194	21,497
of Marmo, defeated Can- didate	173		1,825	118	2,116
FINAL COUNT	5,923		12,262	3,312	21,497

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF OAKLEIGH.

		Candidates	Totals.	
[Doube.	Kinnane.	Scanlan.	Totais.
First Count—First Preference Votes	9,842	3,165	8,648	21,655
Distribution of ballot-papers of Kinnane, defeated Candidate	453		2,712	3,165
FINAL COUNT	10,295		11,360	21,655

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF ORMOND.

	Candidates.			met - In
	Rafferty.	Semmel.	Stone.	Totals.
First Count-First Preference Votes	11,214	3,896	8,075	23,185
Distribution of ballot-papers of Semmel, defeated Candidate	3,445		451	3,896
FINAL COUNT	14,659		8,526	23,185

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF POLWARTH.

		Candidates.			
	Bruce.	Darcy.	Kidman.	Morris.	Totals.
irst Count—First Preference Votes	3,630	9,983	3,673	6,066	23,352
Distribution of ballot-papers of Bruce, defeated Candidate		3,183	274	173	3,630
FINAL COUNT		13,166	3,947	6,239	23,352

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF PORTLAND.

	Gibbs.	Gowty.	Price.	Russell.	Totals.
First Count—First Preference Votes	7,160	7,163	3, 255	4,056	21,634
Distribution of ballot-papers of Price, first defeated Candidate	2,483	423		349	3,255
Totals after First Dis- tribution	9,643	7,586		4,405	21,634
Distribution of ballot-papers of Russell, second defeated Candidate	3,834	571	••		4,405
FINAL COUNT	13,477	8,157	••		21,634

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF PRAHRAN.

		Candidates.		
	Gahan.	Haberman.	Loxton.	Totals.
First Count-First Preference Votes	7,430	2,137	6,839	16,406
Distribution of ballot-papers of Haberman, defeated Candidate	328		1,809	2,137
FINAL COUNT	7,758		8,648	16,406

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF RINGWOOD.

		Candidates	J.	
	Johnson.	Manson.	Ould.	Totals.
First Count-First Preference Votes	5,134	15,882	12,346	33,362
Distribution of ballot-papers of Johnson, defeated Candidate		4,648	486	5,134
Final Count		20,530	12,832	33,362

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF RIPPONLEA.

		Candidates		(Deta)
	Cunneen.	Goldberg.	Tanner.	Totals.
First Count-First Preference Votes	2,946	6,009	8,166	17,121
Distribution of ballot-papers of Cunneen, defeated Candidate		769	2,177	2,946
FINAL COUNT		6,778	10,343	17,121

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS-continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF RODNEY.

		Candidates.				
	Broom.	Brose.	Charlton.	Frankland.	Totals.	
First Count—First Pre- ference Votes	3,635	9,569	4,683	3,100	20,987	
Distribution of ballot-papers of Frankland, first defeated Candidate	330	745	2,025		3,100	
Totals after First Dis- tribution	3,965	10,314	6,708		20,987	
Distribution of ballot-papers of Broom, second defeated Candidate		1,451	2,514		3,965	
FINAL COUNT		11,765	9,222		20,987	

		Candidates.			
	Farrall.	Porter.	Ryan.	Totals.	
First Count-First Preference Votes	9,181	12,563	3,532	25,27	
Distribution of ballot-papers of Ryan, defeated Candidate	000	3,234		3,532	
FINAL COUNT	9,479	15,797		25,276	

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SANDRINGHAM.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF ST. KILDA.

		Candidates.		
	Atherton.	Hughes.	Snider.	Totals.
First Count-First Preference Votes	6,329	2,348	7,537	16,214
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hughes, defeated Candidate	419	•••	1,929	2,348
FINAL COUNT	6,748		9,466	16,214

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SCORESBY.

		Candidates.			
	Borthwick.	Noone.	Wanklyn.	Totals.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	14,023	3,498	11,007	28,52	
Distribution of ballot-papers of Noone, defeated Candidate	3,037		461	3,498	
FINAL COUNT	17,060		11,468	28,528	

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SWAN HILL.

	Candidates.						Totals.
	Harrison.	Hilton.	Hipworth.	McMahon.	Stirling.	Wohlers.	- 100ais.
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,494	5,041	1,150	2,415	4,514	1,812	18,426
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hipworth, first defeated Candidate	449	218		87	348	48	1,150
Totals after First Distribution	3,943	5,259		2,502	4,862	1,860	18,426
Distrik ation of ballot-papers of Wohlers, second defeated Candidate	145	209		161	1,345		1,860
Totals after Second Distribution Distribution of ballot-papers of McMahon, third defeated Candidate	4,088 1,643	5,468 344		2,663	6,207 676		18,426 2,663
Totals after Third Distribution	5,731	5,812 1,527		 	6,883 4,204	···	18,426 5,731
Final Count		7,339			11,087		18,426

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 1.

The Parliament of Victoria begun and held at the City of Melbourne on Tuesday, the first day of August, in the tenth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second; and in the year of Our Lord One Thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

1. On which day, being the first day of the meeting of this Parliament, for the despatch of business, pursuant to Proclamation (hereinafter set forth), Hugh Kennedy McLachlan, Esquire, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, and Leslie Graham McDonald, Esquire, Second Clerk-Assistant, attending in the House, the said Proclamation was read at the Table by the Clerk :--

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

PROCLAMATION

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

I THE Administrator of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation fix Tuesday, the first day of August, 1961, as the time for the commencement and holding of the First Session of the Forty-second 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 twenty-sixth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, and in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

CHARLES J. LOWE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY E. BOLTE,

Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

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2. MESSAGE FROM COMMISSIONERS.—The following Message from the Commissioners appointed by His Excellency the Administrator of the Government to open the Parliament was delivered by the Usher of the Black Rod :—

GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

The Commissioners from His Excellency the Administrator of the Government request the presence of the Members of the Legislative Assembly in the Legislative Council Chamber to hear the Commission read for the commencement and holding of this present Session of Parliament.

Accordingly, the Members of the Legislative Assembly went to the Legislative Council Chamber, where the Honorable Mr. Justice Barry said—

HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, not thinking fit to be present in person, has been pleased to cause Letters Patent to issue, under the seal of the State, constituting us his Commissioners 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.

Then the said Letters Patent were read as follows :---

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 twenty-sixth day of July, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, by His Excellency the Honorable Sir Charles John Lowe, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Administrator of Our State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., Tuesday, the first day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, 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 CHARLES JOHN Lowe 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 JOHN VINCENT BARRY and the Honorable ROBERT VINCENT MONAHAN, Judges of Our Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, do give and grant by the tenor of these presents unto you the said JOHN VINCENT BARRY and ROBERT VINCENT MONAHAN or either of you, 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 CHARLES JOHN LOWE 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 Sir JOHN VINCENT BARRY and ROBERT VINCENT MONAHAN or either of them, that they diligently attend 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 SIR CHARLES JOHN LOWE, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Administrator of Our State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., at Melbourne in Our said State this first day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, and in the tenth year of Our reign.

> > CHARLES J. LOWE.

By His Excellency's Command,

(L.S.)

HENRY E. BOLTE,

Premier.

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book 33, page 136, this first day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

A. JAMES, Under-Secretary.

And then the Honorable Mr. Justice Barry said-

HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:

Members of the Legislative Assembly :

We 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, as it is necessary before you proceed to the despatch of business that a President of the Legislative Council and a Speaker of the Legislative Assembly be chosen, His Excellency requests that you, in your respective Chambers, will proceed to the choice of proper persons to be such President and Speaker.

And the Members of the Assembly being returned-

- 3. COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER OATH TO MEMBERS.—The Honorable Mr. Justice Monahan, having entered the House and been conducted by the Serjeant-at-Arms to the Chair, handed to the Clerk at the Table a Commission, which was read as follows :—
 - By His Excellency The Honorable Sir Charles John Lowe, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Administrator of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.
 - To the Honorable Robert Vincent Monahan, Judge of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.

GREETING :

WHEREAS by the fifty-third Section of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act* 1958, No. 6224, it is enacted that no Member either of the Legislative Council or the Legislative Assembly shall be permitted to sit or vote therein respectively until he has taken and subscribed before the Governor or some person authorized by the Governor in that behalf, the Oath set out in the Second Schedule to the aforesaid Act: Now therefore I, the Administrator of the State of Victoria, do by these presents command and authorize you to proceed to the Parliament Houses, in the City of Melbourne, on Tuesday, the first day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to administer the said Oath to the several Members of the said Legislative Assembly.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said State at Melbourne in the said State this first day of August, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, and in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

CHARLES J. LOWE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY E. BOLTE,

Premier.

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book 33, page 138, this first day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

A. JAMES, Under-Secretary.

4. WRITS.—The Clerk announced that he had received from the Official Secretary to His Excellency the Administrator of the Government sixty-six Writs issued under the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government for the election of Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, and that by the returns indorsed on the several Writs it appeared that the following Members were duly elected for the districts set opposite their respective names, viz. :--

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1.	Albert Park	• •	Patrick Keith Sutton, Esquire.
2.	Ballaarat North	••	Alexander Thomas Evans, Esquire.
3.	Ballaarat South		Gordon Lincoln Scott, Esquire.
4.	Balwyn	• •	Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D.
5.	Benalla		Thomas Campion Trewin, Esquire.
6.	Benambra	••	The Honorable Thomas Walter Mitchell.
7.	Bendigo		The Honorable Leslie William Galvin.
8.	Box Hill		The Honorable George Oswald Reid.
9.	Brighton		John Frederick Rossiter, Esquire.
10.	Broadmeadows	•••	Harold Edward Kane, Esquire.
11.	Brunswick East		Leo Michael Fennessy, Esquire.
12.	Brunswick West		Campbell Turnbull, Esquire.
13.	Burwood		James David MacDonald, Esquire.
14.	Camberwell		Vernon Francis Wilcox, Esquire.
15.	Caulfield		The Honorable Alexander John Fraser, M.C.
16.	Coburg		Charles Mutton, Esquire.
17.	Dandenong	••	Leonard Stanley Reid, Esquire, D.F.C.
18.	Dundas		Sir William John Farquhar McDonald.
19.	Elsternwick		Richard John Gainey, Esquire, M.B.E.
20.	Essendon		Kenneth Henry Wheeler, Esquire.
21.	Evelyn		Russell Newton Stokes, Esquire.
22.	Fitzroy		Denis Lovegrove, Esquire.
23.	Flemington		Kevin Myles Stephen Holland, Esquire.
	Footscray		William Thomas Divers, Esquire.
	Geelong	• •	Hayden Wilson Birrell, Esquire.
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26. Geelong West		Robert Max Gillett, Esquire.
27. Gippsland East	•••	Bruce James Evans, Esquire.
28. Gippsland South	••	The Honorable Sir Herbert John Thornhill Hyland.
29. Gippsland West	•••	Leslie James Cochrane, Esquire.
30. Grant	••	George Roy Crick, Esquire.
31. Hampden	•••	The Honorable Henry Edward Bolte.
32. Hawthorn	••	Peter Wolseley Garrisson, Esquire.
33. Ivanhoe	••	Vernon Christie, Esquire.
34. Kara Kara	•••	The Honorable Keith Hector Turnbull.
35. Kew		The Honorable Arthur Gordon Rylah, E.D.
36. Lowan		The Honorable Wilfred John Mibus.
37. Malvern		The Honorable John Stoughton Bloomfield.
38. Melbourne	•••	Reynold Arthur Clarey, Esquire.
39. Mentone		The Honorable Edward Raymond Meagher, M.B.E., E.D.
40. Midlands		The Honorable Clive Phillip Stoneham.
41. Mildura		Nathaniel Barclay, Esquire, D.C.M.
42. Moonee Ponds		Jack Bruce Holden, Esquire.
43. Moorabbin		Robert Harris Suggett, Esquire.
44. Mornington		Roberts Christian Dunstan, Esquire, D.S.O.
45. Morwell		James Charles Murray Balfour, Esquire.
46. Mulgrave	•••	Raymond John Wiltshire, Esquire.
47. Murray Valley		The Honorable George Colin Moss.
48. Northcote		Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire.
49. Oakleigh		Alan Henry Scanlan, Esquire.
50. Ormond		Joseph Anstice Rafferty, Esquire.
51. Polwarth	••	Thomas Anthony Darcy, Esquire.
52. Portland		George Sampson Gibbs, Esquire.
53. Prahran	• •	Samuel John Everett Loxton, Esquire.
54. Preston		Eugene Cornelius Ring, Esquire.
55. Reservoir	• •	Dr. Henry Alfred Jenkins.
56. Richmond	••	William John Towers, Esquire, M.M.
57. Ringwood	••	James Williamson Manson, Esquire.
58. Ripponlea	••	Edgar Stephen Tanner, Esquire, C.B.E., E.D.
59. Rodney	• •	The Honorable Richard Keats Brose.
60. Sandringham	••	The Honorable Murray Victor Porter.
61. Scoresby	••	William Archibald Borthwick, Esquire.
62. St. Kilda	•••	Baron David Snider, Esquire.
63. Swan Hill	••	Harold Victor Stirling, Esquire.
64. Toorak	•••	The Honorable Horace Rostill Petty.
65. Williamstown	••	William Laurence Floyd, Esquire.
66. Yarraville	•••	George Roy Schintler, Esquire.

5. MEMBERS SWORN.—The Members whose names are aforementioned took and subscribed the Oath required by law.

The Commissioner, preceded by the Serjeant-at-Arms, then retired from the House.

6. ELECTION OF SPEAKER.—Mr. Balfour, addressing himself to the Clerk, proposed to the House for their Speaker, Sir William John Farquhar McDonald, and moved, That Sir William John Farquhar McDonald do take the Chair of this House as Speaker, which motion was seconded by Mr. Holden. Sir William McDonald accepted nomination.

And no other Member being proposed, the Clerk thereupon declared that Sir William John Farquhar McDonald had been duly elected as Speaker.

Sir William McDonald was then taken out of his place by Mr. Balfour and Mr. Holden and conducted to the Chair, where, standing upon the upper step, he returned his humble acknowledgments to the House for the great honour they had been pleased to confer upon him by choosing him to be their Speaker, and thereupon he sat down in the Chair; and then the Mace (which before lay under the Table) was laid upon the Table.

Then Mr. Bolte, Mr. Stoneham, and Sir Herbert Hyland congratulated Mr. Speaker.

7. PRESENTATION OF THE SPEAKER.—Mr. Bolte stated that he had already ascertained that His Excellency the Administrator of the Government would be pleased to receive the Speaker in the Library, Parliament House, that day, at fifteen minutes past Two o'clock. 9. PRESENTATION OF THE SPEAKER.—Mr. Speaker reported that he had, that day, proceeded to the Library, Parliament House, and that he had presented himself to His Excellency the Administrator of the Government as the choice of the Legislative Assembly, and that His Excellency had been pleased to address him in the following terms :—

MR. SPEAKER,

I have much pleasure in congratulating you upon your election to the high and distinguished office of Speaker.

The able manner in which you have always discharged the various duties you have undertaken during your long Parliamentary career proves the wisdom of the Members of the Legislative Assembly in choosing you as their Speaker.

I have every confidence that you will fulfil the duties of that high and important office in a worthy and dignified manner.

CHARLES J. LOWE,

Administrator of Victoria.

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Melbourne, 1st August, 1961.

10. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT.—The following Message was delivered by the Usher of the Black Rod :--

MR. SPEAKER,

His Excellency the Administrator of the Government desires the immediate attendance of the Legislative Assembly in the Legislative Council Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr Speaker with the House went to attend His Excellency-And having returned-

- 11. COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER OATH TO MEMBERS.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received from His Excellency the Administrator of the Government the following Commission, which was read by the Clerk :—
 - By His Excellency The Honorable Sir Charles John Lowe, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Administrator of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c.
 - To the Honorable Sir William McDonald, M.L.A., Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Victoria.

GREETING :

Whereas by the fifty-third Section of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act* 1958, No. 6224, it is enacted that no Member either of the Legislative Council or the Legislative Assembly shall be permitted to sit or vote therein respectively until he has taken and subscribed before the Governor or some person authorized by the Governor in that behalf, the Oath set out in the Second Schedule to the aforesaid Act: Now therefore I, the Administrator of the State of Victoria, do by these presents command and authorize you from time to time, in the Parliament Houses, in the City of Melbourne, to administer the said Oath to such Members of the said Legislative Assembly as have not already taken and subscribed the same since their election to the said Legislative Assembly.

(L.S.) Given under my hand and the seal of the said State at Melbourne in the said State this first day of August, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, and in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

CHARLES J. LOWE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY E. BOLTE,

Premier.

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book 33, page 140, this first day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

A. JAMES, Under-Secretary.

12. PAPERS.—Mr. Bloomfield presented, by command of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government— Education—Report of the Minister for the year 1959–60.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

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

Adult Education-Report of the Council for the year 1959-60.

Births Still-births Deaths and Marriages-General abstract showing the number registered during the year 1960.

Clean Air Act 1958-Clean Air Regulations 1961.

Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958-Victorian Conjoint Election Regulations.

Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958-

Co-operative Housing Societies (General) Regulations 1961.

Co-operative Housing Societies (Model Rules) Regulations 1958-Regulation amended.

Dairy Products Board-Report for the six months ended 31st December, 1960.

Dried Fruits Act 1958-Dried Fruits Regulations-Regulations amended-Onions.

Education Act 1958-Adult Education Regulations (1961).

Explosives Act 1958-Classification and definition of explosives (two papers).

Fruit and Vegetables Act 1958-Regulations amended.

Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958-Regulations amended.

Grain Elevators Board-Report and statement of accounts for the twelve months ended 31st October, 1959.

Health Act 1958-

Amending Food Premises Regulations 1961.

Amending Infectious Diseases Regulations 1961.

Housing Act 1958-Housing (House Purchasers' Death Benefits) Amending Regulations 1961. Land Act 1958-

Resumption of land at Croydon East, Lyndhurst South, Moreland, and Pakenham for the purposes of the Education Act 1958-Certificates of the Minister of Education (four papers).

Schedule of country lands proposed to be sold by auction.

Latrobe Valley Act 1958-Regulations amended-Travelling expenses.

Licensing Act 1958-Rules amended.

Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958-Local Authorities Superannuation Regulations No. 6. Local Government Act 1958-Regulations amended-Voting by post at municipal elections.

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958-Regulations-Chicory Marketing Board-Period of time for the computation of or accounting for the net proceeds of the sale of chicory.

Medical Act 1958—Pharmacy Regulations 1961.

Mental Hygiene Act 1958-Mental Hygiene Authority Regulations 1961 (Nos. 1 to 3) (three papers). Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958-Regulations-Issue of debentures.

Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958-Regulations amended-Licences.

Nurses Act 1958-Nursing Council Regulations 1961 (No. 1).

Police Regulation Act 1958-

Determinations Nos. 90 to 92 of the Police Classification Board (three papers).

Police Regulations 1957-Regulations amended.

Public Service Act 1958-Regulations amended-

Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations (two papers).

Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations-Nos. 1114 to 1140 (twenty-seven papers). Racing Act 1958-Dog Racing Control Board (Fees and Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1961.

River Improvement Act 1958-Regulations-Glenelg River Improvement Trust.

Sheep Owners Protection Act 1958-Regulations amended.

State Electricity Commission Act 1958-

Electrical Approvals Regulations-Regulations amended.

Inspection of Electrical Installations Regulations 1961.

Wiring Regulations 1961.

State Library, National Gallery, National Museum, and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960-Regulations amended-

Institute of Applied Science Regulations.

National Gallery Regulations. National Museum Regulations.

State Savings Bank Act 1958-General Orders Nos. 62 and 63 (two papers).

Stock Diseases Act 1958-Regulations amended (two papers).

Supreme Court Act 1958-Rules of the Supreme Court-Rules amended (two papers).

Swine Act 1958-Regulations amended-Compensation.

Taxation-Analysis of Operations-Land Tax for the assessment year 1959; Probate Duty and Entertainments Tax for the year 1959-60.

Teaching Service Act 1958-Regulations amended-

Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulations (two papers). Teaching Service (Teachers' Tribunal) Regulations (five papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1958-

City of Brunswick Planning Scheme 1956, Amendment No. 4, 1960. City of Shepparton Planning Scheme 1953, Amendment No. 3, 1960. Shire of Altona Planning Scheme 1958, Amendment No. 11.

Shire of Ballarat Planning Scheme 1956, Amendment No. 5, 1961.

Shire of Morwell-Yinnar Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 1, 1960.

Shire of Swan Hill-Robinvale Planning Scheme 1958.

Shire of Warragul Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 3, 1960.

University of Melbourne-Report for the year 1960, together with statutes, regulations and amendments allowed by His Excellency the Governor during the years 1960 and 1961.

Valuation of Land Act 1960-Valuation of Land (Valuers) Regulations 1961.

Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1958-Vegetation Diseases (Phylloxera) Regulations 1961.

Victorian Railways Commissioners-Report for the quarter ended 31st December, 1960.

Weights and Measures Act 1958-Weights and Measures Regulations 1959-Regulations amended.

- 13. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid (Box Hill) obtained leave, with Mr. Bloomfield, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Apprenticeship Act 1958"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 14. SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT.—Mr. Speaker reported that the House had, that day, attended His Excellency the Administrator of the Government in the Legislative Council Chamber, when His Excellency was pleased to make a Speech to both Houses of Parliament, of which Mr. Speaker said he had, for greater accuracy, obtained a copy as follows :—

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

I have summoned this Forty-second Parliament of Victoria to meet at an early date for the despatch of public business.

The honour of opening this Session has devolved on me owing to the appointment of His Excellency the Governor as Administrator of the Commonwealth pending the arrival of the Governor-General designate. Lord De L'Isle is due to arrive in Melbourne to-morrow and I join you in offering him congratulations on his appointment and best wishes for a happy and successful term of office.

My advisers received with deep regret the announcement of the illness of His Excellency Sir Dallas Brooks. They earnestly hope that now he has returned to Victoria he will soon be restored to his normal health and strength.

The Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Edmund Herring, who has been overseas, will return to-morrow and assume the Vice-regal office until the Governor-General designate is sworn in, and His Excellency the Governor resumes his duties.

Following the recent widespread rains the seasonal outlook for the whole of the State is most promising, and good spring rains should ensure increased production of major primary products.

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

A review of the transactions in respect of Revenue and Expenditure for the year 1960-61 indicates a satisfactory budget result.

Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the last financial year, together with a Supply Bill to make further provision for the services of the current financial year, will be submitted to you without delay.

It has been proposed that when the additional Supply has been granted there should be an adjournment for a short period to enable the Government to prepare its legislative programme for the Session.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the full year will be placed before you as early as possible.

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

I now leave you to your deliberations and pray that under Divine guidance your labours may advance the welfare of the State.

CHARLES J. LOWE,

Administrator of the Government of Victoria.

Melbourne, 1st August, 1961.

15. Address in Reply to the Speech of the Administrator of the Government.—Motion made and question proposed—That the following Address in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House :—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY :

We, the Legislative Assembly 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 (Mr. Scanlan)—and, after debate—

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Dr. Jenkins)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow and do take precedence of all other business. 16. CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—Mr. Loxton proposed to the House for appointment as Chairman of Committees, Joseph Anstice Rafferty, Esquire, and moved, That Joseph Anstice Rafferty, Esquire, be appointed Chairman of Committees of this House, which motion was seconded by Mr. Wilcox. Mr. Rafferty accepted nomination.

And no other Member being proposed, the Speaker thereupon declared that Joseph Anstice Rafferty, Esquire, had been duly appointed as Chairman of Committees.

Then Mr. Speaker, Mr. Bolte, Mr. Stoneham, and Sir Herbert Hyland congratulated Mr. Rafferty.

- 17. COMMITTEES OF SUPPLY AND WAYS AND MEANS—SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Standing Order No. 273A be suspended so as to allow the Committees of Supply and Ways and Means to be appointed before the Address in Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been agreed to by this House (*Mr. Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
- 18. SUPPLY.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That this House will, this day, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty (*Mr. Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
- 19. WAYS AND MEANS.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That this House will, this day, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty (*Mr. Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
- 20. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT-SUPPLY.—The following Message from His Excellency the Administrator of the Government was presented by Mr. Bolte and the same was read :—

1961.

VICTORIA.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1961-62.

CHARLES J. LOWE,

Administrator of the Government of Victoria.

The Administrator transmits to the Legislative Assembly an Estimate of Expenditure for the months of August, September, and October in the year 1961-62, and recommends an Appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly.

Government Offices,

Melbourne, 28th July, 1961.

- Ordered to lie on the Table and, together with the accompanying Estimate, to be referred to the Committee of Supply.
- 21. SUPPLY—AUGUST TO OCTOBER, 1961.—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (Mr. Bolte)—put and agreed to.

House resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution:-

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding £34,761,330 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1961-62, viz. :--

£ Division No. 1. Legislative Council-Expenses of Select Committees 130 2. Legislative Assembly-Salaries, General Expenses and Other Services 19.060 . . 3. Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 9,735 Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c.
 Parliament Library—Salaries and General Expenses 13,000 • • . . ••• 3,240 .. • • . . 6. Parliamentary Debates-Salaries and General Expenses ... 8,720 7. Governor's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 8. Premier's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 7,100 . . 63,740 . . 15,015 9. State Film Centre-Salaries and General Expenses . . 10. Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 11. State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 47,580 9,590 12. Agent-General-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 8,895 . . 26,650 13. Public Service Board-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services •• 14. Audit Office-Salaries and General Expenses 41,765 15. Chief Secretary's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 30,035 . . 2,330 16. Totalizator Administration-Salaries and General Expenses •• .. 12,700 17. Weights and Measures-Salaries and General Expenses ••• 5,140 18. Traffic Commission-Salaries and General Expenses • • 18,550 19. Explosives-Salaries and General Expenses .. •• •• • • 4,100 20. Gas Regulation-Salaries •• 21. State Accident Insurance Office-Salaries 32,960 •• •• •• • • 30,400 22. State Motor Car Insurance Office-Salaries . . •• •• .. 4,545 23. Workers' Compensation Board-Salaries

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94	Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	67,200
2 1 . 25	Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses	3,570
26	Government Statist-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	33,550
27.	Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics-Salaries and	
	General Expenses	16,480
28.	Family Welfare-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	300,780
29.	Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	87,230
30.	Prisons-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	283,300
31.	Training-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services.	5,500
32.	Probation and Parole-Salaries, General Expenses and Other Services	20,700
33.	Police-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,944,100
34.	Police Classification Board-Salaries and General Expenses	575
35.	State Library, National Gallery, National Museum and Institute of Applied	21,930
0.0	Science Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	40,250
36.	State Library-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	10,160
31. 90	National Gattery-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	12,125
20. 20	Institute of Applied Science-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	8,190
39. 40	Free Library Service Board-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	5,600
40.	Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	9,200
42	Labour and Industry-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	88,800
43	Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	
44.	Teachers' Tribunal-Salaries and General Expenses	1,800
45.	Attorney-General-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	362,200
46 .	Courts Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	207,800
47.	Rent Control-Seleries and General Expenses	9,340
48.	Public Trustee—Salaries and General Expenses	45,100
49.	Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	670,580
50.	Pay-roll Tax—Payment to Commonwealth Government	300,000
51.	Tender Board-Salaries and General Expenses	28,000
52.	State Superannuation Board and Pensions Office-Salaries, General Expenses,	10.0=0
	and Other Services	12,070
5 3 .	Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and	
	Home Finance Administration-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other	11 000
	Services	11,000
54.	Taxation Office-Salaries and General Expenses	103,280
55.	Stamp Duties-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	38,980 299,000
20. 57	Government Printer-Salaries and General Expenses	338,540
50	Soldier Settlement Commission-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other	000,010
50.	Services	57,700
50	Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium-Salaries and General	,
00.		25,700
60	Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	812,250
61.	Ports and Harbors-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	164,250
62.	Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	23,800
63.	Town and Country Planning Board-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other	
	Services	8,900
64.	Mines-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	118,500
65.	Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	333,49
66.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission-Salaries, General Expenses, and	
	Other Services	1,045,00
67.	Agriculture Administration-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	134,00
68.	Agricultural Education-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	78,00
69.	Agriculture-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	132,00
	Horticulture-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	124,00
71.	Livestock-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	116,00
	Dairying-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	87,00 9 315 19
72.	Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,315,18
73.	General Health-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	
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73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80.	Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services Mental Hygiene—Salaries and General Expenses	1,826,000

Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Supply was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

22. WAYS AND MEANS.—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (Mr. Bolte) put and agreed to.

House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1961-62 the sum of £34,761,330 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
- 23. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 1).—Mr. Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Thirty-four million seven hundred and sixty-one thousand three hundred and thirty pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

24. TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.—The following Warrant, nominating the Temporary Chairmen of Committees, was laid upon the Table by Mr. Speaker :—

VICTORIA.

Legislative Assembly.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Standing Order of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Victoria numbered 4A, I do hereby nominate Nathaniel Barclay, Esquire, D.C.M., The Honorable Richard Keats Brose, Reynold Arthur Clarey, Esquire, James David MacDonald, Esquire, Leonard Stanley Reid, Esquire, D.F.C., Baron David Snider, Esquire, Harold Victor Stirling, Esquire, Russell Newton Stokes, Esquire, Edgar Stephen Tanner, Esquire, C.B.E., E.D., William John Towers, Esquire, M.M., Campbell Turnbull, Esquire, to act as Temporary Chairmen of Committees whenever requested so to do by the Chairman of Committees.

Given under my hand this first day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

W. J. F. McDONALD,

Speaker.

- 25. PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Divers, Mr. Gibbs, Mr. Holden, Mr. Moss, Mr. Ring, Mr. Taylor, and Mr. Trewin be members of the Committee of Public Accounts and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records, to move from place to place, and to sit on days on which the House does not meet; three to be the quorum (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 26. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Cochrane, Mr. Dunstan, Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*), Mr. Holland, Mr. Manson, and Mr. Wilkes be members of the Statute Law Revision Committee; and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 27. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Brose, Mr. Mutton, and Mr. Rossiter be members of the Subordinate Legislation Committee; and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 28. HOUSE COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Barclay, Mr. Floyd, Sir Herbert Hyland, Mr. MacDonald, and Mr. Turnbull (*Brunswick West*) be members of the House Committee; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 29. LIBRARY COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Gainey, Mr. Sutton, and Mr. Wheeler be members of the Joint Committee to manage the Library and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 30. PRINTING COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Birrell, Mr. Borthwick, Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd, Mr. Gillett, and Dr. Jenkins be members of the Printing Committee and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet; three to be the quorum (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.

- 31. STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Brose, Mr. Moss, Mr. Scanlan, Mr. Snider, Mr. Sutton, and Mr. Tanner be members of the Standing Orders Committee and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet; five to be the quorum (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 32. PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Crick, Mr. Fennessy, Mr. Scott, and Mr. Stirling be members of the Public Works Committee (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 33. STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Barclay, Mr. Kane, Mr. Schintler, and Mr. Wiltshire be members of the State Development Committee (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 34. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House the reports of, the minutes of evidence taken by, and the papers laid before, the Joint Statute Law Revision Committee of last Session in the course of its inquiries into—(a) anomalies in the penalties provided by the Crimes and Police Offences Acts; and (b) section 46 of the Motor Car Act 1958 and section 24 of the Wrongs Act 1958 (insurers' liability and contribution) (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 35. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the foregoing Order of the House, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Reports of, the minutes of evidence taken by, and the papers laid before, the Joint Statute Law Revision Committee of last Session in the course of its inquiries into—(a) anomalies in the penalties provided by the Crimes and Police Offences Acts; and (b) section 46 of the *Motor Car Act* 1958 and section 24 of the *Wrongs Act* 1958 (insurers' liability and contribution) (two papers).
- 36. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the reports of, the minutes of evidence taken by, and the papers laid before, the Joint Statute Law Revision Committee of last Session in the course of its inquiries into—(a) anomalies in the penalties provided by the Crimes and Police Offences Acts; and (b) section 46 of the Motor Car Act 1958 and section 24 of the Wrongs Act 1958 (insurers' liability and contribution); be referred to the Joint Statute Law Revision Committee of this Session (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 37. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 19th September next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to. Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fifteen minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, 19th September next.

H. K. McLACHLAN, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 19TH SEPTEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. APPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS.—Mr. Speaker announced that, consequent on the retirement on 11th September instant of Hugh Kennedy McLachlan from the offices of Clerk of the Parliaments and Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, he nominated John Archibald Robertson to be the Clerk of the House, Leslie Graham McDonald to be the Clerk-Assistant, Alfred Reginald McDonnell to be the Second Clerk-Assistant, and John Harold Campbell to be the Serjeant-at-Arms; and that the Governor in Council had been pleased to make appointments in accordance with the said nominations. Furthermore, on the joint recommendation of the Honorable the President of the Legislative Council and himself, the Governor in Council had been pleased to appoint Roy Stanley Sarah, Clerk of the Legislative Council, to be the Clerk of the Parliaments.
- 3. RETIREMENT OF HUGH KENNEDY MCLACHLAN, ESQUIRE, J.P.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That this House places on record its high appreciation of the valuable services rendered to it and to the State of Victoria by Hugh Kennedy McLachlan, Esquire, J.P., as Clerk of the Parliaments and Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, and in the many other important offices held by him during his forty-seven years of public service, of which forty-four years were spent as an officer of Parliament, and its acknowledgment of the zeal, ability, and courtesy displayed by him in the discharge of his duties (*Mr. Bolte*)—put, after other Honorable Members had addressed the House in support of the motion, and agreed to unanimously.
- 4. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee on the *Motor Car Act* 1958 (Section 46) and the *Wrongs Act* 1958 (Section 24); together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

- 5. COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Mr. Moss brought up a Report from the Committee of Public Accounts on the Contract between the Board of Land and Works and W. C. Burne and Sons for the erection of Additional Floors on the State Public Offices, 179 Queen-street, Melbourne; together with Appendices. Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
- PAPERS.—Mr. Rylah presented, by command of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government— Supreme Court Act 1958—Report of the Judges of the Supreme Court for the year 1960.
 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 :---

Albert Park—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Board of Inquiry into the management, development, and improvement of the area.

Children's Welfare Department-Report of the Director for the year 1960.-Ordered to be printed. Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958-Statement of Expenditure under Section 66, sub-section (1) of Act No. 6224, as amended by Act No. 6667, during the year 1960-61.

Constitution Statute—Statement of expenditure under Schedule "D" to Act 18 and 19 Vict., Cap. 55, and Act No. 6224, during the year 1960-61.

Country Fire Authority Act 1958-Regulations amended-Expenses (three papers).

Explosives Act 1958-Classification and definition of explosives (two papers).

Firearms Act 1958—Regulation—Prescribing a museum.

Fisheries Act 1958-

Commercial Fisheries Council Regulations 1961.

Notices of intention-

- To revoke the proclamation prescribing a close season for Macquarie Perch in the Latrobe river and tributaries.
- To vary the proclamation respecting permission to use bait nets in certain waters.
- To vary the proclamation respecting prohibition of fishing in certain waters.

To vary the proclamation respecting the bag limit for trout in certain waters.

Forests Act 1958-Forest Officers Training Regulations-Regulations amended.

Fruit and Vegetables Act 1958-Regulations amended-Grade standards for onions.

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Gas and Fuel Corporation Act 1958-Gas-fitting Regulations of Victoria.

Health Act 1958-Amending Food and Drug Standards Regulations 1961 (No. 1).

Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at Boronia West, Frankston, Mitcham, Sale, Thomastown, and Yarraville West for the purposes of the Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education (six papers).

Lands Compensation Act 1958—Return under Section 37 showing particulars connected with the purchase and sale of lands by the State Electricity Commission for the year 1960-61.

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958-

Proclamation declaring Oats a product for the purposes of the Act.

Regulations amended—

Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board.

Onion Marketing Board-Registration of producers.

- Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Metropolitan Milk Supply Regulations—Regulations amended.
- National Parks Act 1958-Mount Buffalo National Park (Fees, Tolls and Charges) Regulations 1961.

Police Regulation Act 1958-

Determinations Nos. 93 and 94 of the Police Classification Board (two papers).

Police Regulations 1957—Regulations amended.

Public Service Act 1958-Regulations amended-

Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations.

Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations-Nos. 1141 to 1152 (twelve papers).

Public Service Board-Report for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.

Public Works Committee-Twenty-third General Report.

State Development Committee—First progress report on the economic development of Gippsland.— Ordered to be printed.

State Savings Bank Act 1958-General Order No. 64.

Supreme Court Act 1958-Rules of the Supreme Court-Rules amended.

Teaching Service Act 1958-Regulations amended-

Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (two papers).

Teaching Service (Teachers' Tribunal) Regulations (three papers).

Workers Compensation Board Fund-Balance-sheet and statement of accounts for the year 1960-61.

- 7. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 1) without amendment.
- 8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR (No. 2)—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on 2nd August last, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :— Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 1).
- 9. LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That leave of absence for one month, on account of absence overseas, be granted to William Laurence Floyd, Esquire, the Honorable Member for Williamstown, delegate of the Victoria Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association at the General Meeting and Conference of the Association commencing in London on 25th September instant (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
- 10. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Legal Profession Practice Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 11. STAMPS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Bolte, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Mr. Rylah, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Stamps Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 12. RACING (BOOKMAKERS' COURSE AGENTS) BILL.—Mr. Bolte, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Mr. Rylah, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to amend the 'Racing Act 1958' to make Provision for the Registration of Bookmakers' Course Agents, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 13. TOURIST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Fraser, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Mibus, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Tourist Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 14. NORTH GEELONG TO FYANSFORD RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL.—Mr. Fraser, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to authorize the Construction of a Deviation on the North Geelong to Fyansford Railway"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.

- 15. DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT COMMITTEE) BILL.—Mr. Fraser, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to provide for the Appointment of a Joint Committee of Members of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly to Inquire into and Report upon the Question of the Distribution of Population in the State of Victoria and for the Payment of Attendance Fees and Travelling Expenses to the Members thereof, and for purposes connected therewith"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 16. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (QUARRYING) BILL.—Mr. Petty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Mibus, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to amend Part II. of the 'Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 17. UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH INCORPORATION BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to Incorporate the United Evangelical Lutheran Church in Australia Victoria District"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 18. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE FUND) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Porter, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Message No. 3.

Governor of Victoria.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section Two hundred and fifty of the *Local Government Act* 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 18th September, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

19. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE FUND) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 3.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section Two hundred and fifty of the Local Government Act 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- Ordered—That Mr. Porter and Mr. Reid (Box Hill) do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
- Mr. Porter then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Two hundred and fifty of the 'Local Government Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 20. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—HOME FINANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS.

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 4.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the *Home Finance Act* 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 18th September, 1961.

- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
- 21. HOME FINANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 4.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the Home Finance Act 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Bloomfield do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Home Finance Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow. 22. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-CANCER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Porter, and the same was read :--

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 5.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section Fifty-two of the Cancer Act 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 18th September, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

23. CANCER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 5.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

- Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---
- Resolved—That is is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section Fifty-two of the Cancer Act 1958.
- And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Ordered-That Mr. Porter and Mr. Bloomfield do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
- Mr. Porter then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Fifty-two of the 'Cancer Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 24. Address in Reply to the Speech of the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria-Motion for-Resumption of Debate.—Ordered that the consideration of this Order of the Day be postponed until later this day.
- 25. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 26. UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH INCORPORATION BILL.—Order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill. Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to. Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Sutton*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 27. TOURIST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Fraser).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- NORTH GEELONG TO FYANSFORD RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
- 29. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (QUARRYING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Petty*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
- 30. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 31. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE SPEECH OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA.— Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 7 ante); debate resumed. Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilcox*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

- 32. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 33. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive be postponed until to-morrow.

34. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD,

Speaker.

No. 3.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee on Anomalies in the Penalties provided by the Crimes and Police Offences Acts; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix to be printed.

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

Albert Park—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Board of Inquiry into the management, development and improvement of the area.

Fisheries Act 1958—Notice of intention to restrict the methods of fishing in inland and certain other waters.

- Motor Car Act 1958-Motor Car Regulations 1952-Regulations amended.
- 4. LIMITATION OF ACTIONS (RECOVERY OF IMPOSTS) BILL.—Mr. Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill relating to the Period within which Actions may be brought to recover from the Crown or Certain Officers or Persons Moneys paid as Taxes, Fees, Charges or other Imposts"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (Tow TRUCKS) BILL.—Mr. Fraser obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958', and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 6. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (LEASES) BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) obtained leave, with Mr. Mibus, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Agricultural Colleges Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. WATER (BALLARAT WATER COMMISSIONERS) BILL.—Mr. Mibus obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section One hundred and eighty-five of the 'Water Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
- HOME FINANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Bolte*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fennessy*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 3rd October next.
- 11. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE FUND) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Porter).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Wilkes)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT COMMITTEE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 13. CANCER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bloomfield).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 14. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (LEASES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- WATER (BALLARAT WATER COMMISSIONERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Mibus*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 16. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 5 to 8 inclusive be postponed until after No. 9.
- 17. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE SPEECH OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 7 ante); debate resumed. Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
- STAMPS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 3rd October next.
- 19. RACING (BOOKMAKERS' COURSE AGENTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).

Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)-put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 3rd October next.

- 20. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE SPEECH OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 7 ante); debate resumed. Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fennessy*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
- 22. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 7, 8, and 10 to 12 inclusive be postponed until Tuesday next.

And then the House, at six minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

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VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 26TH SEPTEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker 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 :—

Explosives-Report of the Chief Inspector for the year 1960.

Fisheries Act 1958-Notices of Intention-

To alter the close season for female crayfish.

To revoke the proclamation prescribing a close season for male crayfish.

To revoke the proclamation prescribing the terms and conditions for the sale, &c., of male crayfish during the close season.

Geelong Harbor Trust Commissioners-Accounts for the year 1960.

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Proclamation declaring oats a commodity under and for the purposes of the Act.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 1153.

State Savings Bank—Report, statements, returns, &c., for the year 1960-61.—Ordered to be printed. Town and Country Planning Act 1958—

Boolarra Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 1, 1960.

City of Broadmeadows Planning Scheme, Amendment No. 7, 1961.

City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 1, 1959.

City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme, Section 1-Amendments Nos. 6 and 7, 1960 (two papers).

City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme 1952, Amendments Nos. 10 and 11, 1960 (two papers).

Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955 (Shire of South Barwon), Amendment No. 2, 1961.

Shire of Ballarat Planning Scheme 1956, Amendment No. 2, 1959.

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1960-61.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :--

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Final Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the year 1960-61, and recommends an Appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly.

The Government Offices,

Melbourne, 26th September, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table and, together with the accompanying Estimates, to be printed and referred to the Committee of Supply.

4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-ESTIMATES FOR 1961-62.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :--

1961.

VICTORIA.

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, 1961-62.

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 7.

Message No. 6.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the year 1961-62, in lieu of the Estimates of Expenditure for the first four months of the year 1961-62, transmitted on the 6th April and 1st August, 1961, and recommends an Appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly.

Government Offices,

Melbourne, 26th September, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table and, together with the accompanying Estimates, to be printed and referred to the Committee of Supply.

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In the Court of Petty Sessions at Prahran. In the Central Bailiwick. Lincoln Brookfield STANLEY, Senior Detective. William Edward James MAYNE. Defendant.

Date of Information. 13th September, 1961.

Nature of Information. Defendant being the printer of matter commenting on a candidate did fail to print the name and place of residence of the author thereof contrary to Section 267 (2) of Act 6224.

To John Archibald Robertson, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, of Parliament House, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria.

THESE are to require you to appear on the fifth day of October, 1961, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at Prahran in the said State before the said Court of Petty Sessions, and to bring with you and produce for examination at the hearing of the above-mentioned information or complaint the following accounts, papers, books, or other documents, that is to say—the writ issued by His Excellency, The Governor of the State of Victoria in relation to the election for the Legislative Assembly held on 15th of July, 1961, in the Electoral District of Prahran or such of them as are in your possession or control.

Dated at Fitzroy the 22nd day of September, 1961.

J. J. GLEESON, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

- Motion made and question—That leave be given to the Clerk, or some other officer of the Legislative Assembly, to attend and produce the document as required by the said subpoena (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 6. LAND (UNUSED ROADS AND WATER FRONTAGES) BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) obtained leave, with Mr. Mibus, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to repeal Part XLVIII. of the 'Local Government Act 1958' and to amend the 'Land Act 1958', and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 12 inclusive be postponed until after No. 13.
- 9. SUPPLY-BUDGET.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress; to sit again this day.
- SUPPLY—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1960-61.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
 Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.
- COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (TOW TRUCKS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 4th October next.
- 12. LIMITATION OF ACTIONS (RECOVERY OF IMPOSTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

- 13. LIMITATION OF ACTIONS (RECOVERY OF IMPOSTS) BILL.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the proposals contained in the Limitation of Actions (Recovery of Imposts) Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report (*Mr. Rylah*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
- 14. LAND (UNUSED ROADS AND WATER FRONTAGES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th October next.
- 15. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE FUND) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

16. DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT COMMITTEE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

17. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT COMMITTEE) BILL.— The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Fraser, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 8.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to provide for the Appointment of a Joint Committee of Members of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly to Inquire into and Report upon the Question of the Distribution of Population in the State of Victoria and for the Payment of Attendance Fees and Travelling Expenses to the Members thereof, and for purposes connected therewith.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 22nd September, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

18. DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT COMMITTEE) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 8.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Reid (Dandenong) reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to provide for the Appointment of a Joint Committee of Members of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly to Inquire into and Report upon the Question of the Distribution of Population in the State of Victoria and for the Payment of Attendance Fees and Travelling Expenses to the Members thereof, and for purposes connected therewith.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 20. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 5 to 12 inclusive and No. 14 be postponed until to-morrow.
- 21. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at seventeen minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Holland rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, "The Government's contradictory attitude to the proposed removal of the Newmarket Saleyards and Melbourne City Abattoirs to Derrimut, as evidenced by the Government's recent decision to authorize substantial capital expenditure at Newmarket." Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion-Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (Mr. Holland)—after debate, put. The House divided. 4 11

	Ayes, 13.	Noe	s, 45.
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Towers	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Porter
Mr. Crick	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Barclay	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Fennessy	(Brunswick West)	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid
Mr. Galvin	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Bloomfield	(Box Hill)
Dr. Jenkins		Mr. Bolte	Mr. Reid
Mr. Ring	Tellers.	Mr. Borthwick	(Dandenong)
Mr. Stoneham	Mr. Holland	Mr. Brose	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Sutton	Mr. Schintler	Mr. Christie	Mr. Rylah
		Mr. Cochrane	Mr. Scanlan
		Mr. Darcy	Mr. Scott
		Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Snider
		Mr. Evans	Mr. Stirling
		(Gippsland East)	Mr. Stokes
		Mr. Fraser	Mr. Suggett
		Mr. Garrisson	Mr. Tanner
		Mr. Gibbs	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Gillett	Mr. Trewin
		Sir Herbert Hyland	Mr. Turnbull
		Mr. Kane	(Kara Kara)
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Manson	
		Mr. Meagher	
		Mr. Mibus	Tellers.
		Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Moss
		Mr. Petty	Mr. Wheeler

And so it passed in the negative.

- 3. CRIMES (BREATH TEST EVIDENCE) BILL.—Mr. Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Crimes Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 4. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING BILL.-Mr. Porter obtained leave, with Mr. Bloomfield, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Town and Country Planning"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. MINES (EXPLOSIVES) BILL.—Mr. Mibus, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Mr. Rylah, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to amend Division 2 of Part III. of the 'Mines Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 6. WEST MELBOURNE MARKET LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'West Melbourne Market Land Act 1956'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. MEDICAL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Bloomfield obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Medical Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 8. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL .-- Mr. Porter obtained leave, with Mr. Petty, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Valuation of Land Act 1960', the 'Housing Act 1958', the 'Local Government Act 1958', the 'Water Act 1958', and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 9. LEGAL AID BILL.-Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Establishment of a Scheme for Providing Legal Assistance for Poor Persons"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this dav.
- 10. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 11. WEST MELBOURNE MARKET LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara*).

Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Clarey)-put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

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LEGAL AID BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th October next.

13. MINES (EXPLOSIVES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

- 14. CANCER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 15. NORTH GEELONG TO FYANSFORD RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 16. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (QUARRYING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 17. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (LEASES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 18. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
- LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.

- 20. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 21. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 5 and 7 to 13 inclusive be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

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VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 3RD OCTOBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee on a Proposal to authorize State School Committees and High School and Technical School Advisory Councils to enter into Contracts; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

3. 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—Regulations amended—Nos. 1154 to 1156 (three papers).

Teaching Service Act 1958—Regulations amended— Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations. Teaching Service (Teachers' Tribunal) Regulations.

Transport Regulation Board-Report for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.

- 4. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 5. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*, *Box Hill*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Lovegrove)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2 and 3 be postponed until after No. 4.
- 7. MEDICAL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bloomfield).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 17th October instant.

- 8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2, 3, and 5 be postponed until after Nos. 6 to 11 inclusive.
- 9. WATER (BALLARAT WATER COMMISSIONERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

Motion made, by leave, and question—That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider amendments to confer on the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission and Commissioners of Waterworks Trusts the same powers as proposed to be conferred by the Bill upon the Ballarat Water Commissioners (*Mr. Stoneham*)—after debate, put.

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The House divided.

Ayea	s, 23.	Noes,	35.
Mr. Barclay	Mr. Schintler	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Brose	Mr. Stirling	Mr. Birrell	(Box Hill)
Mr. Crick	Mr. Stoneham	Mr. Bloomfield	Mr. Reid
Mr. Divers	Mr. Sutton	Mr. Borthwick	(Dandenong)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Towers	Mr. Christie	Mr. Rossiter
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Rylah
Mr. Fennessy	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Evans	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Holland	(Brunswick West)	(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Scott
Sir Herbert Hyland	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Fraser	Mr. Suggett
Dr. Jenkins		Mr. Gainey	Mr. Tanner
Mr. Lovegrove		Mr. Garrisson	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Mitchell	Tellers.	Mr. Gillett	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Moss	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Kane	(Kara Kara)
Mr. Ring	Mr. Cochrane	Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
-		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Meagher	
	_	Mr. Mibus	
		Mr. Petty	Tellers.
		Mr. Porter	Mr. Darcy
		Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Gibbs

And so it passed in the negative.

Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 10. HOME FINANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 11. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

12. UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH INCORPORATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 13. TOURIST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 14. STAMPS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
- 15. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—STAMPS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 9.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the Stamps Act 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 19th September, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

16. STAMPS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 9.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Reid (Dandenong) reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the Stamps Act 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

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- 17. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY .- Ordered -- That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2, 3, 5, and 12 to 15 inclusive be postponed until after No. 16.
- 18. WAYS AND MEANS-STAMP DUTIES.-The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
 - Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :--

Resolved-That under and subject to the Stamps Act 1958 as proposed to be amended by the Stamps (Further Amendment) Bill there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors-

(a) upon and for the following instruments the several stamp duties specified in relation thereto, namely-

(1) Any bookmaker's certificate issued with respect to any specified class of betting at race-meetings-

(a) On the Flemington race-course if such certificate is for-

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the grand-stand enclosure	. 50
the Hill	20
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(b) On the Caulfield race-course if such certificate is for-	
the grand-stand enclosure	. 50
the Guineas	20
the Flat	. 10
(c) On the Sandown race-course if such certificate is for-	50
the grand-stand enclosure	. 50
the Leger	. 2 0
(d) On the Moonee Valley race-course if such certificate is for-	. 50
the grand-stand enclosure	. 20
any other part of the race-course grounds	. 10
(e) On the Royal Showgrounds race-course at Ascot Vale if such	
certificate is for—	•
the grand-stand enclosure	. 3 0
any other part of the race-course grounds	. 10
(f) On the Werribee race-course if such certificate is for—	_
the grand-stand enclosure	. 5
any other part of the race-course grounds	. 2
(g) On race-courses not hereinbefore provided for	. 15
(2) Any bookmaker's certificate issued with respect to shooting contest held on sports grounds	s . 10
(3) Any bookmaker's certificate issued with respect to sports on sport	8
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(a) With respect to that type of dog racing known as speed coursing if such certificate is for—	
sports grounds within a radius of twenty miles from the Genera Post Office, Melbourne	l . 2 5
sports grounds outside a radius of twenty miles from th	e
General Post Office, Melbourne	. 15
(b) With respect to any other sports	. 5
(4) Any authority for a shooting contest issued to any bookmaker.	. 2
(5) Any bookmaker's clerk's certificate	. 1
(6) Any bookmaker's course agent's certificate	. 5
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(3) Notwithstanding anything in the foregoing where any bookmaker's certificate or bookmaker's clerk's certificate or bookmaker's course agent's certificate referred to in paragraphs (1), (2), (3) or (5) under this Heading XII. is issued after more than six months of the period in respect of which	8

 cer cer XII. stamp duty is payable has expired the duty payable shall be half the amount that would otherwise be payable as aforesaid;

(b) upon and for any betting ticket issued by a bookmaker on the Sandown race-course or in respect of that type of dog racing known as speed coursing on any sports ground outside a radius of twenty miles from the Post Office at the corner of Bourke and Elizabeth streets, Melbourne, the duty payable under the Third Schedule to the Stamps Act 1958 in respect of betting-tickets;

- (c) upon any bookmaker's statement furnished to the Comptroller of Stamps by any bookmaker in respect of bets made by the bookmaker at the Sandown race-course the stamp duty payable under the Third Schedule to the Stamps Act 1958 in respect of bookmakers' statements;
- (d) upon and for any instrument whereby any unit in a unit trust scheme or any right in respect of marketable securities is or is deemed to be transferred, assigned, settled, or given or agreed to be transferred or assigned or any marketable security is directed to be settled or given the stamp duty payable under the Third Schedule to the Stamps Act 1958 in respect of the transfer of marketable securities; and
- (e) upon and for any instrument wherein the consideration or any part of the consideration for which a lease is granted or agreed to be granted consists of any produce or other goods *ad valorem* duty on the value of the produce or goods as if it were a consideration in money.

Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 19. STAMPS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 20. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2, 3, and 5 be postponed until after No. 12.
- 21. RACING (BOOKMAKERS' COURSE AGENTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 22. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2, 3, 5, and 13 be postponed until after No. 14.
- 23. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE SPEECH OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 7 ante); debate resumed. Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Mitchell*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
- 24. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
- 25. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2, 3, 5, 13, and 15 be postponed until to-morrow.
- 26. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at twenty-seven minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD,

Speaker.

No. 7.

WEDNESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Supreme Court Act 1958—Rules of the Supreme Court—Rules amended.
- 3. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Thirty-five of the 'Game Act 1958'".

- 4. GAME (BLACK SWANS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Meagher, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 5. FORESTS (WOOD PULP AGREEMENT) BILL.—Mr. Fraser obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give Effect to an Agreement between the Minister of Forests, the Forests Commission, and Australian Paper Manufacturers Limited with respect to Supplies of Pulpwood from State Forests for the purposes of the Industry of manufacturing Wood Pulp"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 6. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL.—Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend 'The Constitution Act' and 'The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958', and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 7. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Landlord and Tenant Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 8. COMPANIES BILL.—Mr. Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Reid (Box Hill), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Companies"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 9. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- GAME (BLACK SWANS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
- 11. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
- CRIMES (BREATH TEST EVIDENCE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 18th October instant.
- 13. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2, 4, and 5.
- 14. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Porter*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th October instant.
- 15. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (TOW TRUCKS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

16. WEST MELBOURNE MARKET LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

17. GAME (BLACK SWANS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill with amendments with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

18. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 6 and 7.

- 19. MINES (EXPLOSIVES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 20. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE SPEECH OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 7 ante); debate resumed.

Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Wiltshire)-put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Meagher)—put and agreed to.
- 22. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 8 to 10 inclusive be postfoned until Tuesday next.

And then the House, at fifty-nine minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

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VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 8.

TUESDAY, 10TH OCTOBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. PAPERS.-Mr. Speaker presented-
 - Finance 1960-61—The Treasurer's Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Consolidated Revenue and other Moneys, year ended 30th June, 1961, accompanied by the Report of the Auditor-General and by the documents specified in the Forty-seventh Section of the Audit Act.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

- The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :---
 - Health Act 1958-Report of the Commission of Public Health for the year 1960-61.
 - Land Act 1958-Resumption of land at Mansfield for the purposes of the Education Act 1958-Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— No. 1157.
 - Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Statement of amount of guarantee given by the Treasurer of Victoria for the repayment of advances made to the Victorian Inland Meat Authority.
- 3. DANDENONG LANDS BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Mibus, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill relating to certain Lands in the Parish of Dandenong"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 4. R.S.L. WELFARE TRUST FUND BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to authorize the Variation of the Trust upon which certain Funds are held for the Members for the time being of the Victorian Branch of the Returned Sailors', Soldiers' and Airmen's Imperial League of Australia and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 5. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
- 7. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 - Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Lovegrove)-put and agreed to.
 - Motion made and question proposed—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th October instant (Mr. Meagher).
 - Amendment proposed—That the expression "until Tuesday, 24th October instant" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words "for six months" (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—and, after debate, by leave, withdrawn.
 - Amendment proposed—That the expression "until Tuesday, 24th October instant" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression "until Tuesday, 21st November next" (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—and, after debate—

Question-That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the question-put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th October instant.

8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, 4, and 5 be postponed until after No. 6.

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9. LAND (UNUSED ROADS AND WATER FRONTAGES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 10. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, and 8 be postponed until after No. 9.
- 11. SUPPLY-NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER, 1961.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Committee reported progress; to sit again this day.

- 12. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, and 7 be postponed until after No. 8.
- 13. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE SPEECH OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 7 ante); debate resumed.

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Sir Herbert Hyland)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

- 14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the amendments made by the Assembly in the Game (Black Swans) Bill.
- 15. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, and 7 be postponed until after No. 10.
- 16. WAYS AND MEANS—MOTOR CAR INSURANCE SURCHARGE.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

- Resolved—That under and subject to the Motor Car Act 1958 as proposed to be amended by the Motor Car (Insurance Surcharge) Bill there shall be charged for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors a surcharge of One pound upon every premium paid in respect of a contract of insurance entered into by an authorized insurer pursuant to the provisions of Division one of Part V. of the said Act.
- Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
- The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 17. MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE) BILL.—Mr. Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to provide for the Imposition of a Surcharge upon Insurance Premiums paid in respect of Contracts of Insurance entered into pursuant to Part V. of the 'Motor Car Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 18. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at halfpast Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, and 11 be postponed until to-morrow.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day be postponed until to-morrow :— Dandenong Lands Bill—Second reading.

R.S.L. Welfare Trust Fund Bill—Second reading. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

20. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at seven minutes past Eleven, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

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Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

No. 9.

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- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment-Mr. Speaker 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 :—

Forests Commission-Report for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.

Town and Country Planning Act 1958-Traralgon Planning Scheme 1957.

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 10)—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Game (Black Swans) Bill.

- 4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (BREAD) BILL.—Mr. Reid (Box Hill) obtained leave, with Mr. Bolte, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to repeal Section One hundred and five of the 'Labour and Industry Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Porter*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Towers*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 8th November next.

- 7. DANDENONG LANDS BILL.—Order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill.
- Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
 Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 8. R.S.L. WELFARE TRUST FUND BILL.—Order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill. Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to. Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Towers*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- FORESTS (WOOD PULP AGREEMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fennessy*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 11. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Lovegrove)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 25th October instant.
- 12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Distribution of Population (Joint Committee Bill without amendment.
- 13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Part VI. of the 'Children's Welfare Act 1958'".

- 14. CHILDREN'S WELFARE (APPEALS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Meagher, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 15. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 7 to 10 inclusive be postponed until after Nos. 11 and 12.
- 16. SUPPLY—NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER, 1961.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
 - Mr. Snider reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding £24,436,960 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1961-62, viz. :—

Division No. £ 1. Legislative Council-Expenses of Select Committees 65 2. Legislative Assembly-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 8.455 . . 3. Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 6.295•• General Expenses, and Other Services
 Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c.
 Parliamentary Library—Salaries and General Expenses
 Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses 7,585 • • • • . . 2,090 . . •• • • 5,430 7. Governor's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services.. 5,105 . . 8. Premier's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 49,590 . . 9. State Film Centre-Salaries and General Expenses 10,360 . . 10. Soil Conservation Authority-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 29.370 11. State Development-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 6,140 • • Agent-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services
 Public Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 5,930 . . 19,775 • • 14. Audit Office-Salaries and General Expenses 27.385 • • . . ° . . 15. Chief Secretary's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 33,945 . . 16. Totalizator Administration-Salaries and General Expenses ... 1,710 ٠. 12,140 17. Weights and Measures-Salaries and General Expenses 18. Traffic Commission-Salaries and General Expenses • • 5,290 19. Explosives-Salaries and General Expenses 13,370 • • . . •• . . 20. Gas Regulation-Salaries 3,160 .. • • 21. State Accident Insurance Office-Salaries 19.120 •• • • • • •• 22. State Motor Car Insurance Office-Salaries 17,600 •• . . • • • • 23. Workers' Compensation Board-Salaries 3,250 24. Fisheries and Wildlife-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 25. Government Shorthand Writer-Salaries and General Expenses 56,820 • • 3,980 . . 26. Government Statist-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 22,700 27. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics-Salaries and General Expenses ... 13.595. . . . • • 28. Family Welfare-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 210,950 . . Youth Welfare-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 29. 45,110 • • 30. Prisons-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 213,400 31. Training-Salaries and General Expenses 2,490 32. Probation and Parole-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 14,685 • • 33. Police-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 1,400,000 • • 34. Police Classification Board-Salaries and General Expenses 355 35. State Library, National Gallery, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Administration-Salaries and General Expenses •• 10,985 36. State Library-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 31,850 37. National Gallery-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services .. 6,000 . . 38. National Museum-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 8,640 . . 39. Institute of Applied Science-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 40. Free Library Service Board-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 3,845 12,185 41. Immigration-Salaries and General Expenses 6.970 42. Labour and Industry-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 57,900 43. Education-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 7,559,000 44. Teachers' Tribunal-Salaries and General Expenses 1,160 45. Attorney-General-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services.. 230,850 • • 46. Courts Administration-Salaries and General Expenses ... 140,825 9,650 47. Rent Control—Salaries and General Expenses 48. Public Trustee-Salaries and General Expenses ... 26,230 49. Treasury--Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 1,058,320 • • . . 50. Pay-roll Tax—Payment to Commonwealth Government ... 230,000 • • . . 51. Tender Board-Salaries and General Expenses ... 18,730 . . 52. State Superannuation Board and Pensions Office-Salaries, General Expenses, 6,900 and Other Services ... 53. Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 7.130. . •• •• 54. Taxation Office-Salaries and General Expenses ... 53,000 25,900 55. Stamp Duties-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services

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56. Government Printer-Salaries and General Expenses	182,400
57. Lands and Survey—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	214,510
58. Soldier Settlement Commission-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	
59. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General	45,000
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61 Ports and Harborn Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	531,000
61. Ports and Harbors-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	97,570
62. Local Government-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	13,050
63. Town and Country Planning Board-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	
	5,150
64. Mines-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	76,400
65. Forests Commission-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	200,000
66. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission-Salaries, General Expenses, and	
Other Services	715,000
67. Agriculture Administration-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	94,000
68. Agricultural Education-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	61,000
69. Agriculture-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	92,000
70. Horticulture-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	82,000
71. Livestock-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	78,000
72. Dairying-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	58,000
73. Health Administration-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,517,450
74. General Health-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	222,010
75. Tuberculosis-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	216,800
76. Maternal and Child Welfare-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	104,960
77. Mental Hygiene-Salaries and General Expenses	1,126,000
78. Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	6,800,000
79. Railway Construction—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	4,940
80. State Coal Mine—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	99,700
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oi. Ministry of Transport—Salaries and General Expenses	1,400
Total \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots	24,436,960

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee. The resolution reported from the Committee of Supply was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

17. WAYS AND MEANS .- The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :-

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1961-62 the sum of £24,436,960 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

18. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2).—Mr. Rylah then brought up a Bill initiuled "A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Twenty-four million four hundred and thirty-six thousand nine hundred and sixty pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 19. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 7 be postponed until after No. 8.
- 20. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 21. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Disposal of Goods accepted in the Course of a Business for Repair or other Treatment but not redelivered and for Purposes connected therewith".
- 22. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Meagher, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 23. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to make Provision with respect to the Borrowing of Moneys for Housing Purposes by Infants not under the Age of Eighteen Years upon the Security of First Mortgage of any Land".

- 24. PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 25. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid, Box Hill*)—put and agreed to.
- 26. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 7, 9, 10, and 13 be postponed until Tuesday next.

By Authority: A. C. BROOKS, Government Printer, Melbourne.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day be postponed until Tuesday next :— Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

And then the House, at fifty-five minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

W. J. F. McDONALD,

Speaker.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 10.

TUESDAY, 17TH OCTOBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment-Mr. Speaker 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 :—
 - Country Fire Authority-Report for the year 1960-61.

Exhibition Trustees-Report for the year 1960-61.

- Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at Thornbury for the purposes of the Education Act 1958— Certificate of the Minister of Education.
- Town and Country Planning Act 1958— City of Brunswick Planning Scheme 1956, Amendment No. 5, 1960. Portland Planning Scheme 1957. Shire of Benalla Planning Scheme 1953 (Borough of Benalla), Amendment No. 1, 1960.
- 3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 11)—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Distribution of Population (Joint Committee) Bill.

- 4. HOUSING (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE AGREEMENT) BILL.—Mr. Petty, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Mr. Rylah, obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to ratify and approve the Execution for and on behalf of the State of Victoria of an Agreement to supplement the Commonwealth and State Housing Agreements for 1945 and 1956"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—Mr. Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to amend Section Fourteen of the 'Exhibition Act 1957'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PUBLIC WORKS INTERIM LOAN APPLICATION BILL.— The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 12.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Public Works and other Purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 17th October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

7. PUBLIC WORKS INTERIM LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 12.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Snider reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Public Works and other Purposes.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Public Works and other Purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.

- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered.—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 9. PUBLIC WORKS INTERIM LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Read a second time, after debate, and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 10. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
- 11. CHILDREN'S WELFARE (APPEALS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Sutton)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

- 12. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 3 be postponed until after No. 4.
- 13. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 31st October instant.

14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Mibus, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 13.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill 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.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 17th October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

15. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 13.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Reid (Dandenong) reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill 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 the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Mibus and Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Mibus then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill 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 the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

- 16. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 3 and 5.
- 17. COMPANIES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Clarey)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 31st October instant.

18. PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

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- EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 25th October instant.
- 20. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill. Home Finance (Amendment) Bill.
- 21. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Pawnbrokers Act 1958'".
- 22. PAWNBROKERS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Meagher, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 23. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958'".
- 24. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Fraser, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 25. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 6.
- 26. SUPPLY-BUDGET.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.
- 27. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at halfpast Three o'clock (Mr. Petty)—put and agreed to.
- 28. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 7 to 11 inclusive be postponed until to-morrow.

And then the House, at fifty-six minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 11.

WEDNESDAY, 18TH OCTOBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Cancer (Amendment) Bill. Tourist (Amendment) Bill. Public Works Interim Loan Application Bill. Water (Ballarat Water Commissioners) Bill. Commercial Goods Vehicles (Tow Trucks) Bill.
- 3. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 4. PAWNBROKERS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

- MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 6. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (BREAD) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid, Box Hill*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to. Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 1st November next.
- 7. HOUSING (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE AGREEMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Petty*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Mibus*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 1st November next.
- 9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 6 to 15 inclusive be postponed until after No. 16.
- 10. SUPPLY-BUDGET.-The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.
- 11. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Petty)—put and agreed to.
- 12. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 6 to 15 inclusive, 17 and 18 be postponed until Tuesday next.
- 13. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 12.

TUESDAY, 24TH OCTOBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment .- Mr. Speaker 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 :—

Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958-Co-operative Housing Societies (Model Rules) Regulations 1958-Amendment No. 2.

Fisheries Act 1958-Notice of intention to prohibit the selling of live common carp.

Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at Noorat and Surrey Hills for the purposes of the Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education (two papers).

Motor Car Act 1958-Motor Car Regulations 1952-Regulations amended.

Seeds Act 1958-Regulations amended-Seed certification schemes.

Town and Country Planning Board-Report for the year 1959-60.-Ordered to be printed.

- 3. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Bolte, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Sections Thirty and Sixty-one of the 'Co-operation Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 4. LAND TAX (EXEMPTIONS AND RATES) BILL.—Mr. Bolte, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill relating to certain Exemptions from Land Tax, to declare the Rates of Land Tax for the year ending the Thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rylah, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 14.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Public Works, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 24th October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

6. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 14.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Public Works, and for other purposes.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- Ordered—That Mr. Petty and Mr. Bloomfield do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
- Mr. Petty then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Public Works, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.

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DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 15.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and other Purposes relating to State Forests.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 24th October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

8. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 15.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and other Purposes relating to State Forests.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That Mr. Fraser and Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Fraser then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and other Purposes relating to State Forests"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.

- 9. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 10. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
- CRIMES (BREATH TEST EVIDENCE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Bolte*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
- PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Petty*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 7th November next.
- 13. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Fraser).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- CRIMES (BREATH TEST EVIDENCE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Porter*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
- 15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 2) without amendment.
- 16. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 17. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Local Government (Municipal Assistance Fund) Bill without amendment.
- 18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Returning the Stamps (Further Amendment) Bill, and on the consideration of the Bill in Committee, suggesting amendments.

Ordered-That the said suggested amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.

- 19. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Racing (Bookmakers' Course Agents) Bill with an amendment.
 - Ordered-That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
- 20. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 3 to 15 inclusive be postfoned until to-morrow.
- 21. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fifty-seven minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD,

Speaker.

No. 13.

WEDNESDAY, 25TH OCTOBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

- 2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Civil Aviation (Carriers' Liability) Bill 1961; together with an Extract from the Proceedings of the Committee, Minutes of Evidence, and Appendices.
 - Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Extract from the Proceedings of the Committee to be printed.
- 3. 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-Regulation-Onion Marketing Board-Fiftieth period of time for the computation of or accounting for the net proceeds of the sale of onions.

Milk Pasteurization Act 1958-Regulations prescribing districts (two papers).

Seeds Act 1958-Regulations amended.

4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 16)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Public Works Interim Loan Application Bill. Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill. Home Finance (Amendment) Bill. Cancer (Amendment) Bill. Tourist (Amendment) Bill. Water (Ballarat Water Commissioners) Bill. Commercial Goods Vehicles (Tow Trucks) Bill. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 2).

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- 5. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 6. LAND TAX (EXEMPTIONS AND RATES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Bolte*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 8th November next.

7. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Bolte*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Fennessy)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 7th November next.

- 8. STAMPS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments suggested by the Legislative Council on the consideration of this Bill in Committee having been read, the said suggested amendments were read and are as follows :---
 - 1. Clause 21, line 35, omit "sub-paragraph (l)" and insert "sub-paragraph (k)".
 - 2. " line 38, omit" (m) A transfer" and insert" (l) A transfer".
 - 3. ,, page 9, line 3, omit "paragraph (5)" and insert "paragraph (6)".
 - 4. ,, page 9, line 6, omit "(6) Any lease " and insert "(7) Any lease ".

On the motion of Mr. Meagher, and after debate-Suggested amendments made.

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them accordingly.

9. RACING (BOOKMAKERS' COURSE AGENTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 6, line 17, after "applicant" insert "(where first occurring)".

- And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
- Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
- 10. SUPPLY-BUDGET.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.
- 11. Messages from the Legislative Council-

 - Agreeing to the Stamps (Further Amendment) Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
- 12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the North Geelong to Fyansford Railway Deviation Bill with amendments.

And the said amendments were read and are as follows :---

- 1. Clause 10, lines 32-33, omit "North Geelong to Fyansford Railway Construction Acts" and insert "North Geelong to Fyansford Railway Construction Act 1916".
- 2. Clause 11, lines 2-3, omit "North Geelong to Fyansford Railway Construction Acts" and insert "North Geelong to Fyansford Railway Construction Act 1916".
- 3. Clause 12, lines 15-16, omit "North Geelong to Fyansford Railway Construction Acts" and insert "North Geelong to Fyansford Railway Construction Act 1916".

And the said amendments were read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
- 13. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 14. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day Nos. 6 to 24 inclusive be postponed until Tuesday next.
- 15. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at seven minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

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VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 14.

TUESDAY, 31st OCTOBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. PAPERS.-Mr. Speaker presented-

Auditor-General-Supplementary Report for the year 1960-61.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

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

Anti-Cancer Council of Victoria-Report and statement of accounts for the year 1960-61.

Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958-Regulations amended.

Health Act 1958-

Amending Infectious Diseases Regulations 1961 (No. 2).

Proprietary Medicines Regulations 1961.

Land Surveyors Act 1958-Land Surveyors (Amending) Regulations 1961.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— No. 1158.

Soldier Settlement Commission-Report for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 17)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :---

Local Government (Municipal Assistance Fund) Bill. Agricultural Colleges (Leases) Bill. United Lutheran Church Incorporation Bill. West Melbourne Market Land (Amendment) Bill. Portland Harbor Trust (Quarrying) Bill. Racing (Bookmakers' Course Agents) Bill. Stamps (Further Amendment) Bill. North Geelong to Fyansford Railway Deviation Bill.

- 4. THE ZINC CORFORATION, LIMITED BILL.—Mr. Bolte, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to authorize The Zinc Corporation, Limited to become a Company deemed to be incorporated in Victoria, to preserve the Identity of the Company so incorporated with The Zinc Corporation, Limited an existing Company within the meaning of the 'Companies Act 1948' of the United Kingdom, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 5. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Bolte, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Entertainments Tax Act 1958 '"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 6. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (YARRA RIVER) BILL.—Mr. Petty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to vest Portion of the Bed Soil and Banks of the Yarra River in the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Porter, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Mr. Meagher, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.

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- 8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Fraser, and the same was read :—
 - DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 18.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and Purposes relating to Railways, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 31st October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

9. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 18.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and Purposes relating to Railways, and for other purposes.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- Ordered—That Mr. Fraser and Mr. Bolte do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution. Mr. Fraser then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and Purposes relating to Railways, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 10. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 11. DANDENONG LANDS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- LEGAL AID BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.
 Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
- 13. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—LEGAL AID BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 19.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to make Provision with respect to the Establishment of a Scheme for Providing Legal Assistance for Poor Persons.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 26th September, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

14. LEGAL AID BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 19.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to make Provision with respect to the Establishment of a Scheme for Providing Legal Assistance for Poor Persons.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

15. DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Brose, Mr. Darcy, Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Mr. Galvin, Mr. Moss, and Mr. Stoneham be appointed members of the Distribution of Population Committee (*Mr. Fraser*)—put and agreed to.

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16. THE ZINC CORPORATION, LIMITED BILL.—Order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill. Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders, except those relating to the payment of fees, be dispensed with, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

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Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bolte). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 8th November next.

- 17. R.S.L. WELFARE TRUST FUND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 18. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 4 be postponed until after Nos. 5 and 6.
- 19. EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 20. FORESTS (WOOD PULP AGREEMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
- 21. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—FORESTS (WOOD PULP AGREEMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Fraser, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 20.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give effect to an Agreement between the Minister of Forests, the Forests Commission and Australian Paper Manufacturers Limited with respect to Supplies of Pulpwood from State Forests for the Purposes of the Industry of Manufacturing Wood Pulp.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 4th October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

22. FORESTS (WOOD PULP AGREEMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 20.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Reid (Dandenong) reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give effect to an Agreement between the Minister of Forests, the Forests Commission and Australian Paper Manufacturers Limited with respect to Supplies of Pulpwood from State Forests for the Purposes of the Industry of Manufacturing Wood Pulp.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 23. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 4 and 7 be postponed until after No. 8.
- 24. HOUSING (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE AGREEMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed. Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fennessy*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
- 25. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 8th November next.
- 26. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Apprenticeship (Amendment) Bill without amendment.
- 27. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.

28. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 4, 7, and 9 to 23 inclusive be postponed until to-morrow.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day be postponed until to-morrow :— Entertainments Tax (Amendment) Bill—Second reading. Melhauma and Methamakiran Band of Wesh (Van Bick) Bill Cardon Line

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Yarra River) Bill—Second reading. Local Authorities Superannuation (Amendment) Bill—Second reading.

29. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fourteen minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD,

No. 15.

WEDNESDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment .-- Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Dunstan brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon a Proposal for the Amendment of Sections 393, 420, 473, and 499 of the Crimes Act 1958; together with Minutes of Evidence.
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Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

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

Bread Industry Act 1959-Bread Industry Regulation 1961 (No. 1).

4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Land (Unused Roads and Water Frontages) Bill with an amendment.

Ordered-That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration this day.

- 5. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to Money Lending and for other purposes".
- 6. MONEY LENDERS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Meagher, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (WOMEN'S HAIRDRESSING) BILL.—Mr. Reid (Box Hill) obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Eighty of the 'Labour and Industry Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 8. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 and 3.
- LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Divers*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (YARRA RIVER) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Petty*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (WOMEN'S HAIRDRESSING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid, Box Hill*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 15th November instant.
- 13. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 4.
- 14. MEDICAL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
- 15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 5 to 21 inclusive be postponed until after No. 22.

Speaker.

- 16. WAYS AND MEANS-MEDICAL REGISTRATION FEES.-The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
 - Mr. Snider reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved-That under and subject to the Medical Act 1958 as proposed to be amended by the Medical (Amendment) Bill there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty the several fees hereinafter specified, namely-

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For registering person as a medical practitioner	••	10 10	0
For registering each additional qualification	••	0 10	6
For restoring name to register pursuant to the provisions of section fourteen	••	1 1	0
For restoring name to register pursuant to the provisions of section fifteen	••	10 10	0
For issue of certificate of temporary registration as a medical practitioner	•••	33	0

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 17. MEDICAL (AMENDMENT) BILL.-Considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time. Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 5.
- 19. CRIMES (BREATH TEST EVIDENCE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed. Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Wilcox)—put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
- 20. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bolte). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Lovegrove)—put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 21. CRIMES (BREATH TEST EVIDENCE) BILL.-Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question-That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.
 - Question-put.

The	House	div	rid	ed.

Ayes,	36.			Noes,	15.	
Mr. Balfour Mr. Birrell		Mitchell Petty	Mr. Clarey Mr. Crick			Sutton Towers
Mr. Bloomfield		Rafferty	Mr. Divers		Mr.	Turnbull
Mr. Bolte	Mr.	Reid	Mr. Fennessy			(Brunswick
Mr. Borthwick		(Box Hill)	Mr. Galvin		Mr.	Wilkes
Mr. Brose	Mr.	Reid	Dr. Jenkins			
Mr. Cochrane		(Dandenong)	Mr. Lovegrov e			Tellers.
Mr. Darcy	Mr.	Rylah	Mr. Ring			Floyd
Mr. Dunstan		Scanlan	Mr. Stoneham		Mr.	Schintler
Mr. Evans		Scott				
(Ballaarat North)		Snider				
Mr. Evans		Tanner				
(Gippsland East)		Trewin				
Mr. Fraser	Mr.	Turnbull				
Mr. Gainey		(Kara Kara)				
Mr. Garrisson		Wheeler				
Mr. Gillett	Mr.	Wiltshire				
Mr. Holden						
Sir Herbert Hyland						
Mr. Kane		Tellers.				
Mr. MacDonald	Mr.	Loxton				
Mr. Mibus	Mr.	Stirling				
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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee.

And having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock-

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Bill reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

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- 22. MONEY LENDERS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 23. LAND (UNUSED ROADS AND WATER FRONTAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :---

Clause 3, line 37, before "and such map" insert "but does not include any road or street formed or set out on private land;".

And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.

- 24. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Wednesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 25. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 6 to 21 inclusive and No. 23 be postponed until Wednesday next.

- 26. ADJOURNMENT.--Resolved, after debate--That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at twenty-eight minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Wednesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

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VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 16.

WEDNESDAY, 8TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker 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 :—

Clean Air Acts-Clean Air Regulations 1961 (No. 2).

Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at Heidelberg for the purposes of the Education Act 1958— Certificate of the Minister of Education.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 1159 to 1161 (three papers).

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 22)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Apprenticeship (Amendment) Bill.

Land (Unused Roads and Water Frontages) Bill.

- 4. RACING (OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS) BILL.—Mr. Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Racing Act 1958' to provide for Off-course Doubles Totalizators, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. UNIVERSITY (OFFICERS) BILL.—Mr. Bloomfield, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Reid (Box Hill), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'University Act 1958' in relation to the Appointment of Pro-Vice-Chancellors and Deans of Faculties"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 6. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Police Regulation Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 7. JURIES (FEES) BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Ninth Schedule of the 'Juries Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—RAILWAYS (FUNDS) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 23.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Division Four of Part III. of the *Railways Act* 1958 and for Purposes connected therewith.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 8th November, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

9. RAILWAYS (FUNDS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 23.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Division Four of Part III. of the Railways Act 1958 and for Purposes connected therewith.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Fraser do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Division Four of Part III. of the 'Railways Act 1958' and for Purposes connected therewith"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

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- 10. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That Standing Order No. 273c be suspended for to-morrow so far as it requires that the first Order of the Day on every third Thursday shall be either Supply or Ways and Means and that on that Order of the Day being read the question shall be proposed that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (Mr. Bolte)—put and agreed to.
- 11. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 12. THE ZINC CORPORATION, LIMITED BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 13. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 14. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 4.
- 15. COMPANIES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.
 - Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
- 16. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—COMPANIES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid (*Box Hill*), and the same was read :—
 - DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 24.

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In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Companies.

The Governor's Office,

с. 7 — С Melbourne, C.1, 8th November, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

17. COMPANIES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 24.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Companies.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 18. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 and 5 to 26 inclusive be postponed until after No. 27.
- 19. WAYS AND MEANS—COMPANIES FEES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved-That subject to and in accordance with the Companies Bill there shall be charged and levied and collected by and paid to the Registrar of Companies for the use of Her Majesty-

- (a) the fees specified in the Schedule to this Resolution; and
- (b) such other fees as are prescribed by regulation of the Governor in Council.

SCHEDULE.

By a Company having a Share Capital.

1. For registration of a company whose nominal share capital does not exceed £5,000 20 0 0

2. For registration of a company whose nominal share capital exceeds £5,000 the above fee of £20 with the following additional fees regulated according to the amount of nominal share capital (that is to say):---

For every £1,000 £5,000, up to £							1	0	0
For every £1,000 £100,000, up to						first 	0	10	0
For every £1,000 £500,000	of nominal	-	-	£1,000, 			0	5	0

3. On lodging notice of increase of share capital—an amount equal to the difference (if any) between the amount which would have been payable on first registration by reference to its capital as increased and the amount which would have been payable by reference to its capital immediately before the increase but in the case of a company registered before 15th November, 1956, with a share capital of less than £5,000 the fee shall be £5 per £1,000 or any fractional part of £1,000 for any increase up to £5,000 and thereafter an amount calculated as aforesaid.

By a Company not having a Share Capital.

- 5. For registration of a company whose number of members as stated in the articles of association exceeds 20 but does not exceed 100 but is not stated to be unlimited the fee of £10 (with an additional 10s, for every 50 members or less number than 50 members after the first 100) but no company shall be liable to pay on the whole a greater fee than One hundred pounds in respect of its number of members taking into account the fee paid on the first registration of the company.
- 6. For registration of a company in which the number of members is stated in the articles of association to be unlimited 100 0 0

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 For registration of any other increase in the number of members of a company in respect of every 50 members or less than 50 members of that increase.
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Other Fees.

9. For every application for consent of the Minister to use of a name by a corporation	5	0	0
10. For every order of the Minister granting consent to use of name by a corporation	10	0	0
11. For every approval of the Registrar to the change of the name of a company (otherwise than a change of name directed by the Registrar pursuant to the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 23 or a change of name pursuant to sub-section (2) of section 24 of this Act)	10	0	0
12. For every licence of the Minister to dispense with the word "limited" in the name of a company	10	0	0
13. For approval of the Minister to alter the memorandum or articles of a company	2	0	0
14. On lodgment of request to the Registrar to exercise the powers conferred by sections 309 or 311	1	0	0
15. For every act done by the Registrar as representing a defunct company under section 309	1	0	0
16. For every act done by the Registrar as representing a defunct company under section 311	5	0	0
17. On the late lodging of any document under this Act, in addition to any other fee-			
(a) if lodged within one month after the period prescribed by law	1	0	0
(b) if lodged more than one month after the period prescribed by law in addition to the fee payable under sub-paragraph (a) \ldots \ldots	5	0	0
The Registrar, if satisfied that just cause existed for the late lodgment may waive in whole or in part the additional fee under paragraph (b) .			
18. For the registration of a foreign company			
(a) subject to paragraphs (b) and (c), the same fees as are prescribed in respect of a company registered or incorporated under Part III. of this Act;			
(b) subject to paragraph (c), where the fees prescribed in paragraph (a) are not applicable	100	0	0
(c) in the case of a corporation authorized by the law of any State or			

- Territory to take in its own name a grant of probate or letters of administration of the estate of a deceased person 50 0 0
- 19. On lodging by a foreign company of notice of increase in share capital or in the case of a foreign company not having a share capital on the lodging of notice of increase in number of members beyond its registered number—the same fees as are payable on the increase in share capital or on the increase in the number of members of a company incorporated or registered under Part III.

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20. Fo	r registering any charge created by a corporation	••	4	0	0
21. Fo	r registering particulars of a series of debentures	••	4	0	0
22. Fo	r registering particulars of each series of debentures where more than on in the series	e issue 	2	0	0
23. Or	an application for the reservation of a name		3	0	0
24. Or	lodging articles of association of a company		2	0	0
5. On	lodging a copy of any special resolution altering the articles of asso of a company	eiation 	2	0	0
6. On	lodging a copy of any special resolution altering the objects clause memorandum of association of a company	of the	2	0	0
7. On	lodging any deed or copy of a deed under section 78 or on lodging any pros or statement in lieu of prospectus or statements required under section	pectus 82	5	0	0
28. On	any subpoena served on the Registrar to produce any document custody	in his 	2	0	0
29. On	lodging any application under section 44 or section 374	•••	5	0	0
0. On	lodging any other application	••	1	0	0
l. Fo	r entry in the register of charges of any memorandum of satisfaction	••	2	0	0
2. Fo	r every certificate issued by the Registrar under any Act	••	1	0	0
33. Fo	r copy or extract made and certified by the Registrar of any document custody— For each copy or extract not exceeding five folios of 72 words to the For each additional folio of 72 words		1 0	0 2	0 0
34. Fo	r completing and certifying by the Registrar of a copy or extract of document in his custody of which a printed or typed copy is supplie For each copy or extract not exceeding five folios of 72 words to the for For each additional folio of 72 words	d— Č		10 1	0 0
85. Fo	photographic copies of documents in the custody of the Registrar—for sheet copied	each	0	10	0
16. Fo	r search as to availability of any name proposed to be adopted by a comp for every name searched	any 	0	10	0
37. Foi	every search or inspection in relation to a particular company of the re- and documents kept by the Registrar, pursuant to Division 7, Part I		0	5	0
8. Foi	e search for and inspection of a document or documents filed by or in ret to a company-	lation			
	(a) where the number of documents searched and inspected is not than three, for each document	more	0	5	0
	(b) where the number of documents searched and inspected is more three, for the number of documents searched and inspected	than 	1	0	0
89. On	lodging any Annual Return of a Company	••	2	0	0
10. On	lodging, registering, depositing, or filing any other document with or h Registrar under any Act (where the fee is not specified in any relevant a Reculation)			0	~
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Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

20. COMPANIES BILL.—Considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.

- 21. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 5.
- 22. MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Question-put.

The House divided.

		Ayes,	44.	
Mr.	Balfour		Mr.	Meagher
Mr.	Bloomfield			Mibus
Mr.	Bolte		Mr.	Porter
Mr.	Borthwick		Mr.	Rafferty
Mr.	Christie			Reid
Mr.	Clarey			(Box Hill)
	Crick		Mr.	Reid
Mr.	Darcy			(Dandenong)
Mr.	Divers		Mr.	Ring
Mr.	Dunstan		Mr.	Rylah
Mr.	$\mathbf{E}\mathbf{vans}$			Scott
	(Ballaarat	North)	Mr.	Snider
Mr.	Fennessy		Mr.	Stoneham
Mr.	Floyd		Mr.	Suggett
Mr.	Gainey			Sutton
Mr.	Galvin		Mr.	Tanner
Mr.	Garrisson		Mr.	Taylor
Mr.	Gibbs			Towers
Mr.	$\mathbf{Gillett}$		Mr.	Wilkes
Mr.	Holland		Mr.	Wiltshire
Dr.	Jenkins			
Mr.	Kane			
Mr.	Lovegrove			Tellers.
	Loxton		Mr.	Birrell
Mr.	MacDonald		Mr.	Scanlan

Noes, 8.
Mr. Brose
Mr. Cochrane
Sir Herbert Hyland
Mr. Moss
Mr. Stirling
Mr. Trewin
Tellers.
Mr. Evans
(Gippsland East)
Mr. Mitchell

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 23. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 and 6 be postponed until after No. 7.
- 24. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock-

THURSDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 25. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 26. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3, 6, 8 to 26 inclusive, and No. 28 be postponed until later this day.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day be postponed until later this day :-Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

- 27. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at four minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Ten o'clock this day.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker. No. 17.

THURSDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

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

Justices Act 1958—Justices Act Rules 1936 (Nos. 1 and 2)—Rules amended (two papers). Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Solicitors' (Professional Conduct and Practice) Rules 1961. Supreme Court Act 1958—Rules of the Supreme Court—Rules amended.

- 3. RURAL FINANCE AND SETTLEMENT COMMISSION BILL.—Mr. Bolte obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to constitute a Rural Finance and Settlement Commission and to transfer thereto the Powers Functions Duties and Obligations of the Soldier Settlement Commission and the Rural Finance Corporation, and for purposes connected therewith"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 4. PROBATE DUTY BILL.—Mr. Bolte obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Probate Duty, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Petty obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Marine Act 1958', and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 6. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (PORT OF MELBOURNE) BILL.—Mr. Petty obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill initial "A Bill to amend the 'Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 7. WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITIES (PROCEEDINGS AND FINANCES) BILL.—Mr. Mibus obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1958', the Latrobe Valley Act 1958', the 'Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958', the 'River Improvement Act 1958', the 'Sewerage Districts Act 1958' and the 'Water Act 1958', and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 8. Dog BILL.—Mr. Porter obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Dog Act 1958', and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 9. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- RAILWAYS (FUNDS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bolte).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- UNIVERSITY (OFFICERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bloomfield).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 12. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 to 5 inclusive be postponed until after No. 6.
- 13. HOUSING (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE AGREEMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

- 14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—HOUSING (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE AGREEMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Petty, and the same was read :—
 - DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 25.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to ratify and approve the Execution for and on behalf of the State of Victoria of an Agreement to supplement the Commonwealth and State Housing Agreements for 1945 and 1956.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 17th October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

- 15. HOUSING (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE AGREEMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 25.
 - House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to ratify and approve the Execution for and on behalf of the State of Victoria of an Agreement to supplement the Commonwealth and State Housing Agreements for 1945 and 1956. And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

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Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 16. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 4.
- 17. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE SPEECH OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA.— Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 7 ante); debate resumed. Question—put, and Address agreed to.

Ordered-That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor by Mr. Speaker and Members of the House.

- 18. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Porter*)—put and agreed to.
- 19. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3, 5, and 7 to 29 inclusive be postfoned until Tuesday next.
- 20. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at twenty minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

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VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 18.

TUESDAY, 14TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker 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 :---

Friendly Societies—Report of the Registrar for the period 1st January, 1960, to 30th June, 1961.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— No. 1162.

- Rural Finance Corporation—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1960-61.—Ordered to be printed.
- 3. CROWN LEASES BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Fraser, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to amend the 'Land Act 1958' and the 'Forests Act 1958' with respect to certain Leases of Crown Lands"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 4. STATE ACCIDENT INSURANCE OFFICE BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to permit the Purchase of Lands or Buildings for the Purposes of or for the Efficient Working of the State Accident Insurance Office, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. MINES (ALUMINIUM AGREEMENT) BILL.—Mr. Mibus obtained leave, with Mr. Reid (Box Hill), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give effect to an Agreement between the Minister of Mines and Alcoa of Australia Proprietary Limited with respect to the Establishment within the State of Victoria of Industries for the Production of Aluminium and for the Manufacture of Goods therefrom and to the Granting of certain Mineral and other Rights incidental to establishing and carrying on such Industries and for other Purposes connected therewith"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 6. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Bloomfield obtained leave, with Mr. Petty, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Education Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 7. MOTOR BOATING BILL.—Mr. Petty obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to make Provision for the Registration of Motor Boats and for the Control of Boating on Victorian Waters and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 9. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.
- 10. JURIES (FEES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

11. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive and No. 8 be postponed until after Nos. 9 and 10.

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12. RACING (OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

13. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (BREAD) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

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Mr. Balfour	Mr. Porter	Mr. Brose	Mr. Moss
Mr. Bloomfield	Mr. Reid	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Schintler
Mr. Bolte	(Box Hill)	Mr. Cochrane	Mr. Stirling
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Reid	Mr. Crick	Mr. Stoneham
Mr. Christie	(Dandenong)	Mr. Divers	Mr. Sutton
Mr. Darcy	Mr. Rylah	Mr. Evans	Mr. Towers
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Scanlan	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Evans	Mr. Scott	Mr. Fennessy	(Brunswick West)
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Snider	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fraser	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Galvin	
Mr. Gainey	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holland	Tellers.
Mr. Garrisson	Mr. Turnbull	Sir Herbert Hyland	Dr. Jenkins
Mr. Gillett	(Kara Kara)	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Kane	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. MacDonald			
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 14. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
- 15. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Petty).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Floyd)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- MOTOR BOATING BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Petty).
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Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, and 4 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 8.
- 18. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 19. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, and 4 be postponed until after No. 5.
- 20. WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITIES (PROCEEDINGS AND FINANCES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Mibus*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock-

WEDNESDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.

- 22. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY .-- Ordered -- That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, and 11 to 32 inclusive be postponed until later this day.
- 23. ADJOURNMENT.--Resolved, after debate--That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at six minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Three o'clock this day.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 19.

WEDNESDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Mr. Taylor, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Committee of Public Accounts on Treasurer's Advance and the Consolidated Revenue Deficit Account; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix to be printed.

- 3. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 4. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 8 inclusive be postponed until after No. 9.
- 5. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

6. Dog BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Porter). Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)-put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

- 7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive be postponed until after Nos. 5 and 6.
- 8. STATE ACCIDENT INSURANCE OFFICE BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Clarey)—put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

9. CROWN LEASES BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

10. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY .- Ordered-That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 2 be postponed until after Nos. 3 and 4.

11. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (PORT OF MELBOURNE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Petty*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Floyd)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

- EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Bloomfield*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 13. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2, 7, and 8 be postponed until after No. 10.
- 14. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 15. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (STREETS AND ABATTOIRS) BILL.—Mr. Porter, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Petty, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Sections Five hundred and seventy-five and Seven hundred and ninety-five of the 'Local Government Act 1958', and for purposes connected therewith"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 16. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2, 7, 8, and 11 be postponed until after No. 12.
- 17. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 18. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Fraser*)—put and agreed to.
- 19. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 2 7, 8, 11, and 13 to 33 inclusive be postponed until to-morrow.

And then the House, at twenty-five minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 20.

THURSDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—

Cemeteries Act 1958-Cemeteries Regulations 1961.

3. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.

4. SUPPLY-FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1960-61.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding £4,416,595 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1960-61, viz. :—

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Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Supply was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 5. WAYS AND MEANS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
 - Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :--

Resolved—That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1960-61, the sum of £4,416,595 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

6. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 3).—Mr. Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Four million four hundred and sixteen thousand five hundred and ninety-five pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- LOCAL GOVERNMENT (STREETS AND ABATTOIRS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holland*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 8. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for resuming debate adjourned on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 9. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Mibus)—put and agreed to.
- 10. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 5 to 26 inclusive be postponed until Tuesday next.

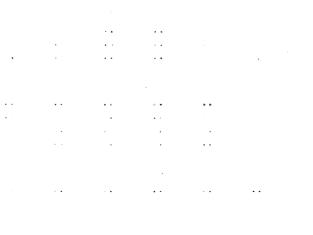
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day be postponed until Tuesday next:— Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

Ways and Means-To be further considered in Committee.

11. ADJOURNMENT.--Resolved, after debate--That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at forty-five minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,	· •	 W. J. F. McDONALD,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.	•	Speaker.



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VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 21.

TUESDAY, 21st NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment .-- Mr. Speaker 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 :—

Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at Portland for the purposes of the Education Act 1958— Certificate of the Minister of Education.

National Parks Authority-Report for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.

Supreme Court Act 1958-Rules of the Supreme Court-Rules amended.

- 3. SPEAKER—LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That, owing to important official duties requiring the presence of Mr. Speaker in his electorate, leave of absence be granted Mr. Speaker until Tuesday next (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 4. DEPUTY-SPEAKER—TEMPORARY RELIEF TO.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That during the absence of Mr. Speaker, Mr. Deputy-Speaker be authorized to call upon any of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees to temporarily relieve him in the Chair (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 5. STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Standing Orders Committee have leave to sit during the sittings of the House (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 6. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Legal Profession Practice Act 1958 '"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. CHURCH OF ENGLAND (GREENSBOROUGH LAND) BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to make Provision with respect to Trusts upon which certain Land at Greensborough is held by the Church of England Trusts Corporation for the Diocese of Melbourne and with respect to the Sale or other Disposition of such Land and the Application of the Proceeds thereof and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- RURAL FINANCE AND SETTLEMENT COMMISSION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Bolte*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 10. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committee; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
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Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

11. UNIVERSITY (OFFICERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

12. JURIES (FEES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

13. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (YARRA RIVER) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

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- 14. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

15. STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.—Mr. Sutton, on behalf of Mr. Speaker, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Standing Orders Committee on the introduction of groups of children within the precincts of the Legislative Assembly.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

Motion made and question—That the Report be read by the Clerk (Mr. Sutton)—put and agreed to.

The said Report was read by the Clerk and is as follows :---

REPORT.

The Standing Orders Committee has the honour to report to your Honorable House as follows:-

The Committee has considered the question of the introduction of groups of children within the precincts of the Legislative Assembly and has agreed to the following recommendations:--

1. That, as from the termination of the 1961 sittings of the House, groups of children visiting the Legislative Assembly for the purpose of being shown over the Parliament Building or attending in the Strangers Gallery be limited to twenty in number and be restricted to those who have completed the sixth grade standard of eduction or the equivalent thereof.

2. That each such group be accompanied by a teacher, or a responsible adult other than the Member introducing the group.

3. That at least twenty-four hours notice of any proposed visit of such groups should be given to the Serjeant-at-Arms.

21st November, 1961.

Motion made and question proposed—That the Report be adopted (Mr. Sutton)—and, after debate— Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 16. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Sir Herbert Hyland)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
- 17. CHURCH OF ENGLAND (GREENSBOROUGH LAND) BILL.—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Deputy-Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.

Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

- LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
- 19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
- 20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 8 to 29 inclusive be postponed until to-morrow.

And then the House, at twenty-five minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 22.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Deputy-Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Brose brought up a Report from the Subordinate Legislation Committee on the Dog Racing Control Board (Fees and Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1961. Ordered to lie on the Table.
- 3. 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.

- Railways-Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.
- 4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Motor Car (Insurance Surcharge) Bill without amendment.
- 5. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 6. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
- 7. STATE ACCIDENT INSURANCE OFFICE BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, and 4 be postponed until after No. 5.
- 9. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (STREETS AND ABATTOIRS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress; to sit again this day.

- 10. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
- 11. CROWN LEASES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 12. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 4 be postponed until after No. 6.
- 13. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to re-enact with Amendments the 'Sheep Owners Protection Act 1958'".
- 15. SHEEP OWNERS PROTECTION BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Meagher, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 16. MINES (ALUMINIUM AGREEMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Mibus*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

- 17. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (STREETS AND ABATTOIRS) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 18. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :--Forests (Wood Pulp Agreement) Bill. Dandenong Lands Bill. Local Authorities Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.
- 19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Porter*)—put and agreed to.
- 20. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 4 and 7 to 29 inclusive be postponed until to-morrow.

And then the House, at twenty-four minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

No. 23.

THURSDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Deputy-Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Limitation of Actions (Recovery of Imposts) Bill; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

- 3. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 4. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive.
- 4. CHURCH OF ENGLAND (GREENSBOROUGH LAND) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

5. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

6. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

7. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— R.S.L. Welfare Trust Fund Bill. The Zinc Corporation, Limited Bill.

- 8. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Mines (Explosives) Bill with an amendment.
 - And the said amendment was read and is as follows :---

Clause 4, lines 5-14, omit the words and expressions on these lines and insert-

"(1) (a) Every mine or quarry shall be under a manager who shall be deemed the mining manager of such mine or quarry under this Division and who shall be responsible for the control management and direction of the mine or quarry.

(b) The owner of every mine or of any quarry in which the vertical height of the working face exceeds six feet or in which more than three men are employed shall notify the Secretary for Mines in writing of his intention to commence work, the location of the mine or quarry, and the name and address of any person (other than himself) nominated to be the manager of the mine or quarry.

(c) Until the owner of any mine or quarry nominates some other person to be the manager thereof for the purposes of this Division such owner shall be deemed to be the manager of such mine or quarry."

And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.

- 9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 5.
- RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Sir Herbert Hyland)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
- 11. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 6 be postponed until after No. 7.
- COMPANIES BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- SHEEP OWNERS PROTECTION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 14. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Three o'clock (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
- 15. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day Nos. 6 and 8 to 27 inclusive be postponed until Tuesday next.
- 16. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at seventeen minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 24.

TUESDAY, 28TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker 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 :—

Architects Act 1958-Architects Registration Board of Victoria-Regulations (No. 6).

Labour and Industry Act 1958—Regulations amended—Granting of Certificates to Engine Drivers and Boiler Attendants.

Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board-Report for the year 1960-61.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— Nos. 1163 and 1164 (two papers).

Racing Act 1958—Dog Racing Control Board (Fees and Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1961— Regulations amended.

Superannuation Board-Report for the year 1959-60.-Ordered to be printed.

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 26)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Motor Car (Insurance Surcharge) Bill. Forests (Wood Pulp Agreement) Bill. Dandenong Lands Bill. Local Authorities Superannuation (Amendment) Bill. R.S.L. Welfare Trust Fund Bill. The Zinc Corporation, Limited Bill. Mines (Explosives) Bill.

- 4. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 5. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
- RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Brose brought up a Report from the Subordinate Legislation Committee on the Commercial Fisheries Council Regulations 1961.
 Ordered to lie on the Table.
- 8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 3.
- 9. RAILWAYS (FUNDS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 10. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958'".
- 11. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Meagher, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 4 and 5.

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13. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

14. WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITIES (PROCEEDINGS AND FINANCES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee to-morrow.

- 15. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITIES (PROCEEDINGS AND FINANCES) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Mibus, and the same was read :—
 - DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 27.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Geelong Waterworks and Severage Act* 1958, the *Latrobe Valley Act* 1958, the *Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act* 1958, the *River Improvement Act* 1958, the *Severage Districts Act* 1958 and the *Water Act* 1958, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 14th November, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

16. WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITIES (PROCEEDINGS AND FINANCES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 27.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1958, the Latrobe Valley Act 1958, the Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958, the River Improvement Act 1958, the Sewerage Districts Act 1958 and the Water Act 1958, and for other purposes.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 17. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 6.
- 18. LAND TAX (EXEMPTIONS AND RATES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
- 19. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—LAND TAX (EXEMPTIONS AND RATES) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 28.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill relating to certain Exemptions from Land Tax, to declare the Rates of Land Tax for the year ending the Thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 24th October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

20. LAND TAX (EXEMPTIONS AND RATES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 28.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill relating to certain Exemptions from Land Tax, to declare the Rates of Land Tax for the year ending the Thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two and for other purposes.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

21. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 7 to 23 inclusive be postponed until after No. 24. 22. WAYS AND MEANS-LAND TAX.-The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That under and subject to the Land Tax Act 1958 as proposed to be amended by the Land Tax (Exemptions and Rates) Bill there shall in respect of each owner of land be charged levied collected and paid for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors in aid of the Consolidated Revenue for the year ending on the thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two a duty of land tax upon land as provided in the Tables appended hereto:

Provided that the minimum amount of tax payable for the said year by any taxpayer assessed under the Land Tax Act 1958 shall be Five shillings.

TABLE A.

Where the Amount of the Taxable Value of Land or Lands used for Primary Production as Assessed under the Land Tax Acts—	The Duty of Land Tax shall be
Does not exceed £15,000 Exceeds £15,000 but does not exceed £20,000 Exceeds £20,000 but does not exceed £25,000 Exceeds £35,000 but does not exceed £30,000 Exceeds £30,000 but does not exceed £35,000 Exceeds £40,000 but does not exceed £45,000 Exceeds £45,000 but does not exceed £45,000 Exceeds £45,000 but does not exceed £45,000 Exceeds £45,000 but does not exceed £50,000 Exceeds £50,000 but does not exceed £70,000 Exceeds £70,000	1d. for each £1 of the taxable value £62 10s. 0d. plus $1\frac{1}{2}$ d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £15,000 £93 15s. 0d. plus 2d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £20,000 £135 8s. 4d. plus 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £25,000 £135 5s. 10d. plus 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £30,000 £234 7s. 6d. plus 2 $\frac{3}{2}$ d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £35,000 £291 13s. 4d. plus 3d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £35,000 £354 3s. 4d. plus 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £45,000 £427 1s. 8d. plus 4d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £50,000 £4760 8s. 4d. plus 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £50,000

Tax on the taxable value of land or lands used for primary production shall be calculated at the average rate that would have been applicable had the combined taxable value been the taxable value of the land or lands used for primary production.

TABLE B.

Where the Amount of the Taxable Value of Land or Lands used for other purposes as Assessed under the Land Tax Acts—	The Duty of Land Tax shall be
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Tax on the taxable value of land or lands used for other purposes shall be calculated at the average rate that would have been applicable had the combined taxable value been the taxable value of the land or lands used for other purposes.

Provided that where the owner of land is an absentee the duty of land tax provided in the foregoing provisions of these Tables shall be increased by twenty per centum and for purposes of this proviso—

- (a) "Absentee" means a person who does not reside in Australia and includes a person who has been absent from Australia for at least twelve months immediately prior to the time when the ownership of his land for the purposes of the Principal Act is determined unless he satisfies the Commissioner that he resides in Australia; but does not include a public officer of the Commonwealth or the State who is absent in the performance of his duties;
- (b) if at least three-fifths of the entire beneficial interest in any land is owned by absentees or if (where the land is owned by a body corporate) at least three-fifths of the issued share capital of that body corporate is held by absentees, that land shall be deemed to be wholly owned by absentees.

Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

23. LAND TAX (EXEMPTIONS AND RATES) BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

24. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— University (Officers) Bill.

State Accident Insurance Office Bill.

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Yarra River) Bill.

- 25. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past One o'clock (Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara)—put and agreed to.
- 26. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 7 to 23 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postfoned until to-morrow.

And then the House, at forty-one minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 25.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.

- 2. ABSENCE OF MR. SPEAKER.—The Clerk having, at the Table, informed the House of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker from this day's sitting, the Chairman of Committees took the Chair as Deputy-Speaker and read the Prayer.
- 3. PRESENTATION OF ADDRESS IN REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA.—Mr. Deputy-Speaker reported that, on behalf of Mr. Speaker, he had, that day, waited upon His Excellency the Governor and had presented to him the Address of the Legislative Assembly, agreed to on 9th November instant, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the State of Victoria on the Opening of Parliament. His Excellency the Governor had been pleased to make the following reply :—

MR. DEPUTY-SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

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.

Melbourne, 29th November, 1961.

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

4. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Supplementary Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Civil Aviation (Carriers' Liability) Bill 1961; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

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

Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958-Part IX.-

- Statement of appointments and alterations of classification in the Department of the Legislative Assembly.
- Statements of persons temporarily employed-

Department of the Legislative Assembly.

Department of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee.

Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at Ringwood North for the purposes of the Education Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Education.

- 6. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—" GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That Standing Order No. 273c be suspended for to-morrow so far as it requires that the first Order of the Day on every third Thursday shall be either Supply or Ways and Means, and that on that Order of the Day being read the question shall be proposed that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
- 7. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.

- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive be postponed until after No. 4.
- 9. MOTOR BOATING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
- 10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY .- Ordered -- That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive and 5 to 21 inclusive be postponed until after No. 22.
- 11. WAYS AND MEANS-MOTOR BOAT REGISTRATION FEES.-The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :-

Resolved—That under and subject to the legislation proposed to be enacted by the Motor Boating Bill there shall be charged levied collected and paid for the use of Her Majesty the following fees, that is to say :-

1. Upon the registration of any boat as a motor boat—

Description of Motor Boat.	Fee.	
(a) For Motor Boats powered with engines of $3\frac{1}{2}$ horse power or less		One pound per annum
 (b) For Motor Boats powered with engines of more than 3½ horse power— (i) where the motor boat is fifteen feet or less in length (ii) where the motor boat is more than fifteen feet in length 	 	Three pounds per annum Five pounds per annum
2. Upon the transfer of registration of a motor boat		One pound

2. Upon the transfer of registration of a motor boat

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee. The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 12. MOTOR BOATING BILL.-Considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time. Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 13. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Fennessy)—put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 14. WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITIES (PROCEEDINGS AND FINANCES) BILL.-Motion made and question-That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider an amendment to restrict the borrowing powers of a sewerage authority, upon a petition of forty per centum of the ratepayers for a poll, when the authority has not commenced work on the scheme within ten years of the scheme being approved by the Governor in Council (Mr. Mibus)-put, after debate, and agreed to.
 - Bill considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

15. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

16. Message from His Excellency the Governor-Entertainments Tax (Amendment) Bill.-The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :-

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 29.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the Entertainments Tax Act 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 31st October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

17. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 29.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Snider reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :--

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Entertainments Tax Act* 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 18. WAYS AND MEANS—ENTERTAINMENTS TAX.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
 - Mr. Snider reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That subject to and in accordance with the Entertainments Tax Act 1958 as proposed to be amended by the Entertainments Tax (Amendment) Bill there shall be charged levied collected and paid for the use of Her Majesty and in aid of the Consolidated Revenue on all payments for admission to any entertainment where the entertainment consists solely or principally of the exhibition of cinematograph films or solely or principally of dancing (other than dancing conducted solely for competitive purposes by a society institution or committee not established or carried on for profit) entertainments tax at the rates set out in the second column of the Table appended hereto.

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Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- 19. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time, after debate.
 - Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 20. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—Part IX.—Statement of persons temporarily employed in the Department of the Legislative Council.
 - Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board-Report for the pool year ended 1st July, 1961.-Ordered to be printed.
 - State Electricity Commission-Report for the year 1960-61; with Appendices.-Ordered to be printed.
- 21. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 5 be postponed until after Nos. 6 to 8 inclusive.
- 22. MINES (ALUMINIUM AGREEMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

23. LIMITATION OF ACTIONS (RECOVERY OF IMPOSTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

24. RACING (OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

25. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—RACING (OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS) BILL.— The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rylah, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 30.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Racing Act* 1958 to provide for Off-course Doubles Totalizators, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 31st October, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

26. RACING (OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 30.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Racing Act* 1958 to provide for Off-course Doubles Totalizators, and for other purposes.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

27. WAYS AND MEANS—OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS PAYMENTS—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That under and subject to the Racing Act 1958 as proposed to be amended by the Racing (Off-course Doubles Totalizators) Bill there shall be paid to and to the use of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors by the Totalizator Agency Board and from the commission to be deducted by the Board out of moneys invested in every off-course double totalizator three-twelfths of such commission until the Treasurer certifies that the further proportion required to be paid into a trust account in the Treasury and applied for or towards recouping racing clubs for their contributions to the payment of the expenses of establishing the Board is no longer necessary and thereafter four-twelfths of such commission.

Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

28. RACING (OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS) BILL.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider a new clause to alter the classification of the Cranbourne and Werribee Racecourses (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.

Bill considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.

- 29. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 30. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 and 9 to 21 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
- 31. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fifty minutes past Eleven-o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

No. 26.

THURSDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.
- 2. ABSENCE OF MR. SPEAKER.—The Clerk having, at the Table, informed the House of the likelihood of the continued absence of Mr. Speaker in consequence of illness, the Chairman of Committees took the Chair as Deputy-Speaker and read the Prayer.
- 3. PAPERS.-Mr. Bolte presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-
 - Superannuation Fund-Report of Actuary on his Investigations at the Expiration of the Seventh Quinquennium (30th June, 1960).

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

- The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :---
 - Friendly Societies and Benefit Associations—Report of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies for the year 1959-60, with Appendices; and on Benefit Associations for the twelve months ended 30th September, 1960.—Ordered to be printed.

Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust-Statement of accounts for the year 1960-61.

- 4. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 5. RURAL FINANCE AND SETTLEMENT COMMISSION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-RURAL FINANCE AND SETTLEMENT COMMISSION BILL. The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :---

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 31.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to constitute a Rural Finance and Settlement Commission and to transfer thereto the Powers Functions Duties and Obligations of the Soldier Settlement Commission and the Rural Finance Corporation, and for purposes connected therewith.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 21st November, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

7. RURAL FINANCE AND SETTLEMENT COMMISSION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 31.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Snider reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to constitute a Rural Finance and Settlement Commission and to transfer thereto the Powers Functions Duties and Obligations of the Soldier Settlement Commission and the Rural Finance Corporation, and for purposes connected therewith.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

8. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (WOMEN'S HAIRDRESSING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed. Question—put.

The House divided.

A	yes, 25.	.]	Noes, 13.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Porter	Mr. Crick	Mr. Towers
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid	Mr. Fennessy	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Borthwick	(Box Hill)	Mr. Floyd	(Brunswick West)
Mr. Christie	Mr. Reid	Mr. Holland	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Darcy	(Dandenong)	Dr. Jenkins	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Rylah	Mr. Lovegrove	Tellers.
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Snider	Mr. Ring	Mr. Divers
Mr. Fraser	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Stoneham	Mr. Schintler
Mr. Gainey	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Garrisson	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Gibbs	Mr. Wiltshire		
Sir Herbert Hyland		1.	
Mr. Kane	Tellers.		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Holden		
Mr. Moss	Mr. Scanlan)	а

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.
Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
Ordered That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their communes large 1 therein.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

9. Dog BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

10. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

11. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Petty, and the same was read :--

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 32.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Marine Act* 1958, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 21st November, 1961.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

12. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 32.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the Marine Act 1958, and for other purposes.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to safeguard the Public from the Effects caused by or arising out of any Dangerous Substance or Irradiating Apparatus".
- 14. HEALTH (DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act relating to the Carriage of Passengers by Air".

CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow. 4371/61.—2

- 17. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.-Agreeing to the Legal Aid Bill without amendment.
- HEALTH (DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Dr. Jenkins*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Two o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 20. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 16 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postfoned until Tuesday next.
- 21. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at nine minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 27. .

TUESDAY, 5TH DECEMBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment .-- Mr. Deputy-Speaker 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 :--

Hairdressers Registration Act 1958—Hairdressers Registration Regulations 1961. Hospital and Charities Commission—Report for the year 1960-61.—Ordered to be printed. Inland Meat Authority—Report for the year 1960-61; with Appendices. Medical Act 1958—Pharmacy Regulations 1961 (No. 2). Mental Hygiene Act 1958—Mental Hygiene Authority Regulations 1961 (No. 4).

- 3. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Crimes (Breath Test Evidence) Bill. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3).
- 4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 33)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

University (Officers) Bill. State Accident Insurance Office Bill. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Yarra River) Bill. Legal Aid Bill. Crimes (Breath Test Evidence) Bill. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 3).

- 5. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 6. RACING (OFF-COURSE DOUBLES TOTALIZATORS) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 7. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL.—Read a second time, after debate, and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

8. SHEEP OWNERS PROTECTION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

- 9. CHILDREN'S WELFARE (APPEALS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 10. PAWNBROKERS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.

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- 11. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill with an amendment with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
- 12. PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 13. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 14. MONEY LENDERS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill with an amendment with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
- 15. HEALTH (DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 16. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Bloomfield*)—put and agreed to.
- 17. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 to 15 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

And then the House, at one minute past Seven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

No. 28.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, 1961.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Deputy-Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL-

Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :---

Entertainments Tax (Amendment) Bill.

Exhibition (Borrowing Powers) Bill.

State Forests Loan Application Bill.

Water Supply Loan Application Bill.

Agreeing to the amendment made by the Assembly in the Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Bill. Agreeing to the amendment made by the Assembly in the Money Lenders (Amendment) Bill.

3. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.

4. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

5. SUPPLY-ESTIMATES FOR 1961-62.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That the following sums be granted to Her Majesty to defray the charges for the year 1961-62 for the several services hereunder specified in addition to the several sums already voted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament for such services, viz. :---

Division	No. PARLIAMENT.	£	£
1.	Legislative Council—Expenses of Select Committees	160	
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	Governor's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	13,851	
	Premier's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	140,475	
	State Film Centre-Salaries and General Expenses	31,305	
	Soil Conservation Authority-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	91,278	
	State Development-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	21,824	
	Agent-General-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	18,820	
	Public Service Board-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	60,614	
14.	Audit Office—Salaries and General Expenses	90,169	
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	CHIEF SECRETARY.		
15	Chief Secretary's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	69,162	
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10.	Weights and Macaunas Salarias and Concral Furnings	4,717	
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	Traffic Commission—Salaries and General Expenses	12,237	
	Explosives—Salaries and General Expenses	40,429	
	Gas Regulation-Salaries	8,666	
21.	State Accident Insurance Office-Salaries	60,543	
	State Motor Car Insurance Office-Salaries	57,777	
	Workers' Compensation Board—Salaries	9,299	
	Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	145,608	
	Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses	6,573	
20.	Government Statist—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	67,766	
27.	Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics-Salaries and Gene		
00	Expenses	33,650	
	Family Welfare-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	657,143	
	Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	182,400	
	Prisons-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	582,246	
31.	Training—Salaries and General Expenses	8,874	
	Probation and Parole-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	44,004	
	Police—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	4,107,036	
	Police Classification Board—Salaries and General Expenses	1,154	
35.	. State Library, National Gallery, National Museum and Institute of Applied Scier		
	Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	39,065	
36	State Library-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	86,168	
	National Gallery-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	18,749	
	National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	25,311	
	Institute of Applied Science-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	15,129	
40	Free Library Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	327,801	
41	Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	19,326	0 000 007
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42. Labour and	I Industry-Salaries	General Expenses,	and Other Services	•• ••	176,248

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43. 44.	Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	 	19,369,248 3,511	19,372,75 9	
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50. 51.	Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services Pay-roll Tax—Payment to Commonwealth Government Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses State Superannuation Board and Pensions Office—Salaries, General Expenses,	 and	1,766,385 637,000 56,298	. •	
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54. Taxation Office—Salaries and General Expenses 177,422 55. Stamp Duties—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 95,365 56. Government Printer—Salaries and General Expenses 518,621 3,298,935

LANDS AND SURVEY.

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 57. Lands and Survey—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 58. Soldier Settlement Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 59. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General Expenses 	641,359 107,345 47,111	795,815
PUBLIC WORKS.		
60. Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 61. Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,584,561 315,808	1,900,369
LOCAL GOVERNMENT.		
62. Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 63. Town and Country Planning Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	41, 332 15,651	56 ,983
MINES.		
64. Mines-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	••	228,184
FORESTS.		
65. Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	••	640,456
WATER SUPPLY.		
66. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other		2,178,700
Services	• •	2,110,100
AGRICULTURE.		
 67. Agriculture Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 68. Agricultural Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 69. Agriculture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 70. Horticulture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 71. Livestock—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 72. Dairying—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 	237,795 225,452 212,012	1,263,921

HEALTH.

73. Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	••	4,620,690
74. General Health-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	••	762,687
75 Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	••	736,797
76. Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	••	738,587
77. Mental Hygiene-Salaries and General Expenses		3,615,870
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78. Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	••	••	••	20,069,648
RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.				· .
79. Railway Construction-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Service	8	••	••	14,707
STATE COAL MINE.				· ·
80. State Coal Mine-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	••	••	••	296,443
MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.				
81: Ministry of Transport—Salaries and General Expenses	••	••	•• *	4,954
Total	••		••	£69,219,975

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Supply was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- 6. WAYS AND MEANS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means. Mr. Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—
 - Resolved—That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 30th day of June, 1962, the sum of £69,219,975 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

7. APPROPRIATION BILL.—Mr. Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill 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-two and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

8. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Legal Profession Practice (Further Amendment) Bill.

Labour and Industry (Women's Hairdressing) Bill.

Co-operation (Amendment) Bill.

9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Bill with amendments.

And the said amendments were read and are as follows :---

1. Clause 5, page 4, line 1, omit "the court may by its order".

2. Insert the following new clause to follow clause 8:-

- AA. In section ninety-four of the Principal Act for the expression "(t), (x) or (y)" there shall be substituted the expression "(t) or (y)".
- And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
- 10. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Explosives Act 1958-Classification and definition of explosives (two papers).
 - Fisheries Act 1958—Commercial Fisheries Council Regulations 1961—Regulations amended.
 - Housing Commission-Report for the year 1960-61; with Appendices.-Ordered to be printed.
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Premiums Committee Allowances Regulations 1960—Regulations amended. Racing Act 1958—Regulations amended—Licensing of racecourses.

Teaching Service Act 1958-Regulations amended-

Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (two papers).

- Teaching Service (Teachers' Tribunal) Regulations (two papers).
- 11. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Two o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

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- POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5 and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
 Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
 - Supply—To be further considered in Committee. Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.
- 13. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fifty minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

No. 29.

THURSDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Deputy-Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon Interest on Judgments; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices. Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
- 3. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—

Supreme Court Act 1958-Solicitors' Remuneration Order 1961.

- 4. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill.
 - Public Works Loan Application Bill.
 - Land Tax (Exemptions and Rates) Bill.
 - Water and Sewerage Authorities (Proceedings and Finances) Bill.

Mines (Aluminium Agreement) Bill.

- 5. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Motor Boating Bill with amendments. Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
- 6. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCID-Agreeing to the Police Regulation (Amendment) Bill with an amendment.

Ordered-That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration this day.

- 7. PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Public Works Committee have leave to sit during any sittings of the House next week (Mr. Bolte)—put and agreed to.
- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 9. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :---

Clause 3, line 15, after "sixty-nine" insert "of the Principal Act".

And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.

- - 1. Clause 2, page 2, line 32, insert the following interpretation to follow the interpretation of "Hire-purchase agreement"—
 - "'Horsepower' means-
 - (a) in relation to any internal combustion engine the number determined by squaring the measurement in inches of the internal diameter of the cylinders of the engine, multiplying the number so found by the number of cylinders, and dividing the product by 2.5; and

- (b) in relation to any other engine (whether operated by electricity steam gas oil or any other power)—the horsepower indicated or certified by the manufacturer or declared by statutory declaration of the owner.".
- 2. Clause 5, lines 17-18, omit "regatta, yacht race, boat race, speed trial or other event" and insert "such regatta contest sport or activity".
- 3. Clause 21, line 9, after "boat" insert ", unless of a class or type exempted by the regulations from compliance with the provisions of this section,".
- 4. Clause 22, line 12, after "boat" insert "using as fuel for propelling or other purposes any liquid of a volatile nature or any gas".
- 5. " lines 13-14, omit "capable of promptly and effectually extinguishing burning petrol or oil".
- 6. Clause 30, line 21, after "coaching" insert "or safeguarding".

And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

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

Country Roads Board—Report for the year 1960-61.

Ordered to be printed.

[Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair at thirty-five minutes past Three o'clock and resumed it at forty minutes past Five o'clock.]

12. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Railways (Funds) Bill. Poilway Lean Application Bill

Railway Loan Application Bill.

13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Education (Amendment) Bill with amendments.

And the said amendments were read and are as follows :---

- 1. Clause 2, page 2, line 14, omit "One" and insert "Five".
- 2. " page 2, line 21, omit "One" and insert "Five".
- 3. " page 2, line 22, after " work " insert " unless the Minister either generally or in particular cases otherwise directs or the regulations otherwise provide ".

And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Companies Bill with amendments.

And the said amendments were read and are as follows :---

1. Clause 74, page 79, lines 1-39, sub-clause (6), omit this sub-clause and insert-

() Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (5) of this section, that sub-section shall not prevent a corporation (in this sub-section called 'the trustee corporation') that is, or is deemed by virtue of sub-section (5) of section six to be related to—

- (a) a banking corporation;
- (b) a corporation authorized to transact life insurance business under the law of the Commonwealth relating to life insurance; or
- (c) a corporation authorized by the law of a State or Territory of the Commonwealth to take in its own name a grant of probate or of letters of administration of the estate of a deceased person—

from being appointed, holding office or acting as trustee for the holders of debentures of another corporation (in this sub-section referred to as 'the other corporation') by reason only that—

- (d) the other corporation owes to the trustee corporation or to a corporation that is deemed by virtue of sub-section (5) of section six to be related to the trustee corporation—
 - (i) moneys that (after deducting therefrom moneys referred to in sub-paragraphs (ii) and (iii) of this paragraph) do not exceed, at the time of the appointment or at any time within three months after the debentures are first offered to the public, one-tenth of the amount of the debentures proposed to be offered to the public within that period and, at any time after the expiration of that period, onetenth of the amount owed by the other corporation to the holders of the debentures;

- (iii) moneys to which the trustee corporation, or the corporation so deemed to be related to the trustee corporation, is entitled as trustee for holders of any debentures of the other corporation in accordance with the terms of the debentures or of the relevant trust deed; or
- (e) the trustee corporation, or a corporation that is deemed by virtue of sub-section (5) of section six to be related to the trustee corporation, is a shareholder of the other corporation in respect of shares that it holds beneficially if the shares in the corporation held beneficially by it and by all other corporations that are deemed by virtue of sub-section (5) of section six to be related to it, do not carry the right to exercise more than one-tenth of the voting power at any general meeting of the other corporation."

2. Clause 121, page 109, line 25, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (6) :---

"() Nothing in the foregoing provisions of this section shall apply to the re-appointment of any person as a director of a company who immediately before the commencement of this Act---

(a) was a director of the company; and

(b) was over the age of sixty-five years-

unless and until three members of the company have lodged with the company and the Registrar a notice requiring the said foregoing provisions to apply to all appointments and re-appointments of the person named in the said notice as a director of the company."

And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Racing (Off-course Doubles Totalizators) Bill with an amendment.

And the said amendment was read and is as follows :---

Clause 8, line 1, after "section one hundred and sixteen P" insert "of the Principal Act".

And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
- 16. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Gas and Fuel Corporation—Report for the year 1960-61.

Ordered to be printed.

- 17. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 18. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 4 inclusive, and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

And then the House, at fifty-seven minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 30.

TUESDAY, 12TH DECEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Deputy-Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Further Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the *Marriage Act* 1958 (Part VIII.); together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

3. PAPERS.—Mr. Rylah presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor— Parole Boards—Reports for the year 1960-61.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

- The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :---
 - Agricultural Colleges Act 1958-Regulations amended.
 - Gas and Fuel Corporation Act 1958-Gas-fitting Regulations of the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria.

Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at East Oakleigh and Macleod for the purposes of the Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education (two papers).

- Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958-Marketing of Primary Products (Applications for Enrolment) Regulations 1961.
- 4. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— The Constitution Act Amendment Bill. Housing (Commonwealth and State Agreement) Bill.
 - Appropriation Bill.
 - Medical (Amendment) Bill.
- 5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 34)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Civil Aviation (Carriers' Liability) Bill. Sheep Owners Protection Bill. Entertainments Tax (Amendment) Bill. Exhibition (Borrowing Powers) Bill. Children's Welfare (Appeals) Bill. Pawnbrokers (Amendment) Bill. Property Law (Loans to Minors) Bill. Disposal of Uncollected Goods Bill. Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Bill. State Forests Loan Application Bill. Health (Dangerous Substances) Bill. Money Lenders (Amendment) Bill. Water Supply Loan Application Bill. Co-operative Housing Societies (Amendment) Bill. Legal Profession Practice (Further Amendment) Bill. Labour and Industry (Women's Hairdressing) Bill. Co-operation (Amendment) Bill. Valuation of Land (Amendment) Bill. Public Works Loan Application Bill. Land Tax (Exemptions and Rates) Bill. Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Bill. Mines (Aluminium Agreement) Bill. Railway Loan Application Bill. Railways (Funds) Bill. Motor Boating Bill. Police Regulation (Amendment) Bill. Housing (Commonwealth and State Agreement) Bill. Education (Amendment) Bill. Racing (Off-course Doubles Totalizators) Bill. Medical (Amendment) Bill. (200 copies.)

- 6. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL—ERROR REPORTED BY THE CLERK OF THE PARLIAMENTS.—Mr. Deputy-Speaker announced that he had received a communication from the Clerk of the Parliaments reporting, in conformity with Joint Standing Order No. 21, that the following clerical error had been discovered in this Bill:—
 - In clause 5, line 26, the words "of the Principal Act" have been omitted after the words "section two hundred and sixty-four".
 - On the motion of Mr. Rylah the House agreed that the above error be corrected by the insertion of the words "of the Principal Act" after the words "section two hundred and sixty-four" in clause 5, line 26.
 - Ordered—That the communication from the Clerk of the Parliaments be transmitted to the Legislative Council with a Message requesting their concurrence in the correction of the foregoing error.
- 7. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Two o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, Government Business, and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

And then the House, at seventeen minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

No. 31.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH DECEMBER, 1961.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Deputy-Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Rossiter brought up a Report from the Subordinate Legislation Committee on Amendments to Regulations under the Sheep Owners Protection Act 1958. Ordered to lie on the Table.
- 3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—

Mental Hygiene Authority-Report for the year 1960.-Ordered to be printed.

- Public Service Act 1958-
 - Public Service Board Elections Regulations.
 - Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations.
- 4. Messages from the Legislative Council---

Acquainting the Assembly that they have concurred with the Assembly in correcting the clerical error reported by the Clerk of the Parliaments in The Constitution Act Amendment Bill.

Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :---

Local Government (Streets and Abattoirs) Bill. Crown Leases Bill. Church of England (Greensborough Land) Bill. Juries (Fees) Bill. Limitation of Actions (Recovery of Imposts) Bill. Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Bill. Marine (Amendment) Bill.

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5. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.-Agreeing to the Dog Bill with amendments.

And the said amendments were read and are as follows :---

- 1. Clause 2, page 2, paragraph (c), line 20, after "fenced" insert "or unless it is otherwise securely confined to the premises".
- 2. Clause 8, line 19, omit "livestock-" and insert "livestock; or
 - (c) a dog while it is going to any place for the purpose of working livestock or returning from any place where it has been working livestock and which is under the effective control of any person while so going or returning—".
- 3. " line 31, before " post " insert " registered ".
- 4. Clause 11, line 4, omit "stock" and insert "livestock or a dog while it is going to any place for the purpose of working livestock or returning from any place where it has been working livestock and which is under the effective control of any person while so going or returning".
- 5. Clause 14, line 33, omit "by means of a proper chain or leash".

And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
- 6. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Town and Country Planning Bill with amendments.
 - And the said amendments were read and are as follows :---
 - 1. Clause 1, line 11, omit "53" and insert "52".
 - 2. ., line 13, omit "54-60" and insert "53-59".
 - 3. ,, line 14, omit "61" and insert "60".
 - 4. Clause 4, sub-clause (1), line 23, after "Governor in Council" insert "The Board shall be a body corporate by the name of the 'Town and Country Planning Board' and by that name shall have perpetual succession and a common seal and shall be capable in law of suing and of being sued and of purchasing taking holding selling leasing exchanging or disposing of real and personal property for the purposes of and subject to this Act and of doing and suffering all such acts and things as bodies corporate may by law do and suffer."
 - 5. Clause 7, line 41, at the end of the clause insert the following sub-clause :---
 - "(5) The Board may enter into an agreement with any officer or servant of the Board and any person as surety for any such officer or servant in relation to any scholarship granted or to be granted by the Board to that officer or servant and, subject to any regulations made pursuant to this Act in that behalf, may determine the form of and the conditions to be contained in any such agreement and may make provision in any such agreement with respect to the amounts to be paid to the Board by any such officer or servant and by any such surety in the event of any breach of any such agreement."
 - 6. Clause 16, sub-clause (2), line 31, omit "forty-one" and insert "forty".
 - 7. Clause 23, line 39, after "order" insert "or scheme".
 - 8. Clause 24, line 13, after "any" insert "material".
 - 9. " line 15, after "any" insert "material".
 - 10. Clause 33, sub-clause (1), line 19, before "public" insert "(unless the Governor in Council otherwise directs) of any".
 - 11. Clause 33, sub-clause (1), line 25, after "shall" insert "(subject in the case of a by-law rule regulation permit or condition of a public authority to any contrary direction of the Governor in Council)".
 - 12. Clause 33, sub-clause (1), line 26, after "shall" insert "(subject to any such contrary direction)".
 - 13. Clause 36, omit this clause.
 - 14. Clause 42, sub-clause (2), line 31, omit "forty-one" and insert "forty".
 - 15. Clause 43, page 30, lines 17-25, sub-paragraph (ii), omit this sub-paragraph.
 - 16. " page 31, line 5, omit "No liability" and insert "Except in the circumstances referred to in sub-paragraph (iii) of paragraph (c) of the last preceding sub-section, no liability".
 - 17. Clause 43, page 31, line 6, omit "forty-two" and insert "forty-one".
 - 18. " page 32, line 2, omit "forty-one" and insert "forty".
 - 19. " page 32, line 3, omit "forty-two" and insert "forty-one".
 - 20. ,, page 32, line 37, omit "forty-two" and insert "forty-one".
 - 21. Clause 44, sub-clause (1), line 13, omit "forty-two" and insert "forty-one".
 - 22. Clause 55, sub-clause (3), line 37, omit "fifty" and insert "forty-nine".
 - 23. Clause 61, sub-clause (1), line 24, omit "thirty-nine" and insert "thirty-eight".

And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

- 7. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or, if Mr. Speaker 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 Member of the House by telegram or letter (*Mr. Bolte*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
- 8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 4 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next sitting of the House.
- And then the House, at four minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or the Chairman of Committees and notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter, as determined by resolution of the House at this sitting.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

J. A. RAFFERTY, Deputy-Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 6TH MARCH, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to the terms of the resolution of the 13th December last, Mr. Speaker having fixed this day at half-past Three o'clock as the time of meeting.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. PAPERS.-Mr. Rylah presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-
 - Licensing Court and Licences Reduction Board-Report and statement of accounts for the year 1960-61.
 - Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
 - The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :---
 - Albert Park-Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Board of Inquiry into the management, development, and improvement of the area.
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—Regulations amended—

Bread Trade Apprenticeship Regulations.

Hairdressing Trades Apprenticeship Regulations.

- Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958-Co-operative Housing Societies (General) Regulations 1962.
- Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Regional Advisory Committees Travelling Expenses) Regulations—Regulations amended.
- Dairy Products Board-Report for the six months ended 30th June, 1961.
- Education Act 1958-Adult Education Regulations 1961 (No. 3)
- Explosives Act 1958-Classification and definition of explosives (four papers).
- Forests Act 1958—Forest Diseases Regulations 1962.
- Healesville and District Hospital—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Board of Inquiry into the administration, management, and affairs of the hospital.
- Health Act 1958-Amending Meat Supervision Regulations 1961 (Nos. 2 and 3) (two papers).
- Labour and Industry Department-Report for the year 1960 .- Ordered to be printed.
- Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at Edenhope, Heywood, Irrewillipe, Mansfield, and Oak Park West for the purposes of the Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education (five papers).
- Legal Profession Practice Act 1958-Rules of the Council of Legal Education-Rules amended (two papers).
- Licensing Act 1958-Rules amended.
- Milk Board-Statement of accounts for the year 1960-61.
- Milk Pasteurization Act 1958-Regulation prescribing a district.
- Money Lenders Act 1958-Money Lenders Licensing Regulations 1939-Regulations amended.
- Motor Boating Act 1961-Motor Boating (General) Regulations 1961.
- Motor Car Act 1958-Motor Car Regulations 1952-Regulations amended.
- National Parks Act 1958—Fraser National Park (Fees, Tolls and Charges) Regulations 1961. Police Regulation Act 1958—
 - Determination No. 95 of the Police Classification Board.
 - Police Regulations 1957-Regulations amended (two papers).

Public Service Act 1958-Regulations amended-

Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations.

Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Nos. 1165 to 1182 (eighteen papers). Racing Act 1958—Totalizator Regulations 1955—Regulations amended.

- River Murray Commission-Report for the year 1960-61.
- Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Infringements) Regulations 1960—Regulations amended. Soil Conservation Authority—Report for the year 1960-61.—Ordered to be printed.

State Accident Insurance Office and State Motor Car Insurance Office-Report and balance-sheet for the year 1960-61.

State Coal Mines-Report of the General Manager and statement of accounts for the year 1960-61.

State Library, National Gallery, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960-Reports, with statements of income and expenditure for the year 1960-61, of the-

Building Trustees of the State Library, National Gallery, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science.

Trustees of the Institute of Applied Science.

Trustees of the National Museum.

Trustees of the State Library.

Supreme Court Act 1958-Rules of the Supreme Court-Rules amended.

Teachers' Tribunal-Report for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.

Teaching Service Act 1958-Regulations amended-

Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations.

Teaching Service (Teachers' Tribunal) Regulations (two papers).

Tourist Act 1958-Tourist Development Authority (Fees) Regulations.

Town and Country Planning Act 1958-

City of Ararat Planning Scheme, 1953-Amendment No. 1, 1961.

Portland Planning Scheme, 1957-Amendment No. 1, 1961.

Transport Regulation Act 1958—Transport Consolidated Regulations 1960—Regulations amended. University of Melbourne—Financial statements for the year 1960.

Weights and Measures Act 1958-Weights and Measures Regulations 1959-Regulations amended.

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 35)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on 19th December last, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Water and Sewerage Authorities (Proceedings and Finances) Bill.
Companies Bill.
The Constitution Act Amendment Bill.
Local Government (Streets and Abattoirs) Bill.
Crown Leases Bill.
Church of England (Greensborough Land) Bill.
Juries (Fees) Bill.
Limitation of Actions (Recovery of Imposts) Bill.
Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Bill.
Marine (Amendment) Bill.
Dog Bill.

Town and Country Planning Bill.

- 4. APPROPRIATION BILL.—Mr. Speaker announced that, on 19th December last, Mr. Deputy-Speaker had presented to His Excellency the Governor the Appropriation Bill, to which His Excellency was pleased to give the Royal Assent.
- 5. LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That leave of absence for three months, on account of absence abroad, be granted to Vernon Francis Wilcox, Esquire, the Honorable Member for Camberwell (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 6. BUSINESS NAMES BILL.—Mr. Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Reid (Box Hill), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Business Names and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. RACING (ANZAC DAY) BILL.—Mr. Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Nineteen of the 'Racing Act 1958' to permit the holding of Picnic Race-meetings on Anzac Day": and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 8. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL.—Mr. Petty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to close certain Streets or Roads and to vest the Lands comprised therein and certain Crown Lands and Land now vested in the State Electricity Commission of Victoria in the the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners, to vest in the Crown certain Lands now vested in the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners, to vest certain Land now vested in the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners, to vest certain Land now vested in the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners and certain Crown Land in the State Electricity Commission of Victoria, to declare certain Lands to be Public Highways and to authorize the Sale of certain Land by the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 9. RAILWAYS (THOMSON RIVER BRIDGE) BILL.—Mr. Fraser, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to divest the Railway Bridge over the Thomson River near Walhalla from The Victorian Railways Commissioners and to vest the said Bridge in the President Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Narracan, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.

- 10. NATIONAL PARKS BILL.-Mr. Fraser, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to reserve certain Lands of the Crown as Sites for National Parks and to declare the Lands so reserved to be National Parks under the 'National Parks Act 1958' and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 11. MELBOURNE CRICKET GROUND BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill relating to a Ground known as the Melbourne Cricket Ground"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 12. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Sections One hundred and twenty-three and One hundred and forty of the 'Evidence Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 13. CHILDREN'S WELFARE (ASSISTANCE) BILL.-Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Thirty-five of the 'Children's Welfare Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1961-62.-The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :----

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 36.

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The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the year 1961-62, and recommends an Appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly. Government Offices,

Melbourne, 6th March, 1962.

Ordered to lie on the Table and, together with the accompanying Estimates, to be printed and referred to the Committee of Supply.

15. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-SUPPLY-JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1962.-The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :-

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ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1962-63.

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 37.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly an Estimate of Expenditure for the months of July, August and September in the year 1962-63, and recommends an Appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly.

Government Offices,

Melbourne, 6th March, 1962.

Ordered to lie on the Table and, together with the accompanying Estimate, to be referred to the Committee of Supply.

- 16. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS .- Ordered -- That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 17. SUPPLY-JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1962 .- The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Committee reported progress; to sit again this day.

18. SUPPLY-SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1961-62.-The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.

- 19. RAILWAYS (THOMSON RIVER BRIDGE) BILL.-Order for second reading read; Bill ruled a Private Bill. Motion made, by leave, and question-That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (Mr. Fraser)—put and agreed to. Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Fraser). Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)-put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 20. RACING (ANZAC DAY) BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).

Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Fennessy)-put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- BUSINESS NAMES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Lovegrove)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 22. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Petty*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 20th March instant.
- 23. NATIONAL PARKS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 24. MELBOURNE CRICKET GROUND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 25. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 26. CHILDREN'S WELFARE (ASSISTANCE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 27. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Meagher)—put and agreed to.
- 28. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
- 29. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

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VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 33.

TUESDAY, 13TH MARCH, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment .-- Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES—ADVANCES FROM LOAN FUNDS.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a Return showing—
 - 1. The names and addresses of the co-operative housing societies which received advances from housing loan funds under the Commonwealth-State Housing Agreement during the financial year 1960-61, and the amount advanced in each case.
 - 2. The name of the secretary of each of these societies.
 - 3. The sums it is estimated will be advanced to each co-operative housing society from such funds during the financial year 1961-62.

-(Mr. Clarey)-put and agreed to.

- 3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Education Act 1958-Regulations amended-Nos. 161 and 162 (two papers).
 - Grain Elevators Board-Report, balance-sheet, and statement of accounts, for the twelve months ended 31st October, 1960.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— Nos. 1183 and 1184 (two papers).
- 4. DOG (REGISTRATION DISCS) BILL.—Mr. Porter, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Eleven of the 'Dog Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 5. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to provide for the Revocation of the Permanent Reservations and Crown Grants of certain Lands, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 6. GAME (BLACK SWANS) AMENDMENT BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Game (Black Swans) Act 1961 '"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Porter obtained leave, with Mr. Bloomfield, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to amend the 'Local Government Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 8. LAND (INDUSTRIAL GRANTS) BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) obtained leave, with Mr. Fraser, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Twelve of the 'Land Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 9. UNCLAIMED MONEYS BILL.—Mr. Bolte obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law providing for the Payment of Unclaimed Moneys into the Consolidated Revenue and to the Receiver of Revenue in Melbourne"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 10. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- BUSINESS NAMES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.
 Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

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- 12. GAME (BLACK SWANS) AMENDMENT BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher). Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Fennessy)-put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 13. RACING (ANZAC DAY) BILL .-- Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question--- That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 14. RAILWAYS (THOMSON RIVER BRIDGE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 15. NATIONAL PARKS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
- 16. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 5 to 10 inclusive be postponed until after No. 11.
- 17. PROBATE DUTY BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bolte). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Clarey)—put and agreed to. Ordered, after debate-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 3rd April next.
- 18. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 27th March instant.
- 19. LAND (INDUSTRIAL GRANTS) BILL.-Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 5 to 8 inclusive be postponed until after No. 9.
- 21. WAYS AND MEANS-FEES UNDER THE BUSINESS NAMES BILL.-The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :-

Resolved-That subject to and in accordance with the Business Names Bill there shall be charged levied and collected by the Registrar of Companies for the use of Her Majesty such fees (not exceeding Ten pounds) as are prescribed.

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

22. BUSINESS NAMES BILL .- Considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time. Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

23. MELBOURNE CRICKET GROUND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

24. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

25. CHILDREN'S WELFARE (ASSISTANCE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 26. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 27. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 and 10 and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday next :--

Dog (Registration Discs) Bill—Second reading. Unclaimed Moneys Bill—Second reading. Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

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

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 34.

TUESDAY, 20TH MARCH, 1962.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

- 2. DEATH OF WILLIAM JOHN TOWERS, ESQUIRE, M.M.—Motion made and question—That this House expresses its sincere sorrow at the death of William John Towers, Esquire, M.M., and places on record its acknowledgment of the valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria as Member of the Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Collingwood from 1947 to 1958, and for the Electoral District of Richmond from 1958 to 19th March, 1962 (*Mr. Bolte*)—put, after Mr. Speaker and other Honorable Members had addressed the House in support of the motion, and, Honorable Members rising in their places to signify their assent, agreed to unanimously.
- 3. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late William John Towers, Esquire, the House do now adjourn until Eight o'clock this day (*Mr. Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

And then the House, at twenty-three minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Eight o'clock this day.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 35.

TUESDAY, 20TH MARCH, 1962.

(EIGHT O'CLOCK.)

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair.
- 2. COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Mr. Taylor, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Committee of Public Accounts on the application of a design, supervision and administration charge (on-cost) in relation to works carried out under the supervision of the Public Works Department, together with Appendices and Minutes of Evidence.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendices to be printed.

- 3. DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Galvin brought up the Sixth Progress Report from the Distribution of Population Committee, together with Minutes of Evidence. Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
- 4. PAPERS.-Mr. Bolte presented-

Co-operative Housing Societies—Advances from Loan Funds.—Return to an Order of the House dated 13th March instant.

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 :----

Co-operative Housing Societies-Report of the Registrar for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.

Co-operative Societies-Report of the Registrar for the year 1960-61.-Ordered to be printed.

Fisheries Act 1958-Notices of Intention-

Regarding the prohibition of the use of trout or salmon eggs as bait in fishing.

Respecting the lifting of drum nets and mesh or gill nets.

- To prescribe the treatment of school or snapper shark or gummy shark whether taken in Victoria or elsewhere prior to being landed in Victoria.
- Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Regulation—Chicory Marketing Board—Period of time for the computation of or accounting for the net proceeds of the sale of chicory.
- Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board-Report and statement of accounts for the year 1960-61.
- Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— Nos. 1185 and 1186 (two papers).
- Racing Act 1958—Bookmakers, Bookmakers' Clerks, and Bookmakers' Course Agents Registration Regulations 1962.
- Stamps Act 1958-Stamps Regulations 1960-Regulations amended.
- Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations— Regulations amended.
- Third Party Insurance-Report of the Premiums Committee for the period 20th July, 1960, to 30th June, 1961.
- 5. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Stoneham rose in his place and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, "The failure of the Government to undertake a public investigation of the recent bush fire disaster in the Dandenong Ranges, as a necessary means of ascertaining measures to be adopted for bringing about improved methods of prevention and control of similar outbreaks in future".

Mr. Speaker said-

There are several points that arise from the proposed motion, the first being the question of urgency. I point out to the Leader of the Opposition, and to all honorable members who may consider submitting motions such as the one now before the Assembly, that the question of urgency really demands that the matter be brought to the House as early as is practicable. As the House has been in session for a couple of weeks, the question of real urgency does not arise. However, I would be prepared to waive that argument on the assumption that the Leader of the Opposition is supported in his motion.

On the other aspect—the question of anticipation—the matter is not so simple. The Chief Secretary has given notice in the House that he proposes to submit a Bill to amend sections of the Country Fire Authority Act, and I ask the honorable gentleman to advise me on two points : First, can he give me, and the House, an assurance that the subject-matter contained in the proposed amending Bill will offer scope for debate comparable with the opportunity that would be afforded honorable members under the motion moved by the Leader of the Opposition ? Secondly, when does the Chief Secretary propose to introduce the amending Bill in this House ? As I see it, the question resides in two facts : The first is whether Parliament is assured of a sufficient opportunity to debate the subject-matter of the motion ; and, secondly, whether it is assured that such opportunity for debate will arise within a reasonably short period.

MR. RYLAH (Chief Secretary).—The answer to your first question, Sir, is "Yes", and to the second, "Next Tuesday."

MR. STONEHAM.—Will the Chief Secretary indicate the sections of the Act which it is proposed to amend.

The SPEAKER.—The Chief Secretary may answer that question if he desires to do so. If the Chief Secretary gives the House an assurance—he has done so—that the scope of the Bill will be sufficiently wide to encompass the debate now indicated by the Leader of the Opposition, I shall not regard it as obligatory on the Chief Secretary to answer the question in regard to the sections of the Act to be amended.

MR. STONEHAM (Leader of the Opposition).—On a point of order, I submit that it is beyond the competence of the Chief Secretary to anticipate precisely what suggestions we intend to make for improved methods of fire fighting, and therefore he cannot give an assurance that the debate on the Bill which he proposes to introduce will encompass what we intend to submit to-night.

THE SPEAKER.—The Leader of the Opposition certainly has a point, but I give him the assurance that, when the proposed Bill is debated, he will be permitted to advance proposals for the improvement of the legislation.

MR. STONEHAM.—I seek your guidance, Sir, as to what matters affecting the Country Fire Authority may be traversed in the debate. I presume that the Chief Secretary does not intend to submit a Bill to supersede all existing provisions of the Act, and I submit that any provisions of the legislation outside the proposed amendments should be open to debate now, because when the amending Bill comes before the House the debate will be restricted, in accordance with previous custom, to discussion of those particular provisions which it covers. Unless the proposed Bill relates to the whole of the existing Act discussion should be allowed on the remaining provisions and therefore we should be permitted to discuss appropriate matters to-night.

THE SPEAKER.—I gave the Leader of the Opposition an assurance, which I repeat, that when the amending legislation proposed by the Chief Secretary is before the House—

MR. STONEHAM.---I had in mind a discussion to-night of those matters that would not be covered in the proposed Bill.

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THE SPEAKER.-I do not propose to allow any debate to proceed to-night.

6. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS.—Motion made, by leave, and question proposed—That the Standing Orders be suspended so far as to allow Mr. Stoneham to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, "The failure of the Government to undertake a public investigation of the recent bush fire disaster in the Dandenong Ranges, as a necessary means of ascertaining measures to be adopted for bringing about improved methods of prevention and control of similar outbreaks in future" (Mr. Rylah).

And Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion— Question—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (Mr. Stoneham)—after debate, put. The House divided.

	Ayes, 14.	Noes	, 44.
Mr. Crick Mr. Fennessy Mr. Galvin Mr. Holland Dr. Jenkins Mr. Lovegrove Mr. Mutton Mr. Ring Mr. Stoneham	Ayes, 14. Mr. Sutton Mr. Turnbull (Brunswick West) Mr. Wilkes Tellers. Mr. Floyd Mr. Schintler	Mr. Balfour Mr. Barclay Mr. Birrell Mr. Bloomfield Mr. Bolte Mr. Borthwick Mr. Brose Mr. Christie Mr. Cochrane Mr. Darcy Mr. Dunstan Mr. Evans (Ballaarat North) Mr. Evans (Gippsland East) Mr. Fraser Mr. Garrisson Mr. Garrisson Mr. Gillett	Mr. Meagher Mr. Mibus Mr. Moss Mr. Petty Mr. Porter Mr. Rafferty Mr. Reid (<i>Box Hill</i>) Mr. Reid (<i>Dandenong</i>) Mr. Rossiter Mr. Rylah Mr. Scanlan Mr. Scanlan Mr. Scott Mr. Stirling Mr. Stokes Mr. Suggett Mr. Tanner Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Fraser Mr. Gainey	Mr. Stokes Mr. Suggett
		Mr. Gillett Mr. Holden	Mr. Taylor Mr. Wheeler
		Sir Herbert Hyland Mr. Kane Mr. Loxton Mr. MacDonald Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire <i>Tellers</i> . Mr. Mitchell Mr. Snider

And so it passed in the negative.

- 7. COMPANIES ACT 1958.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act 1958 to investigate the affairs of Credit Endorsement and Guarantee Limited, K. Rees Emporiums Limited, Credit Advisory Service Proprietary Limited, Congressional Nominee Company Proprietary Limited, K. Rees Slaks Company of Australia Proprietary Limited, Rees Ringwood Emporium Proprietary Limited, Tilsworth Development Proprietary Limited, and Horsham-Kyosan Engineering Company Limited (Mr. Rylah) put and agreed to.
- 8. PAPER.-Mr. Rylah presented-

Companies Act 1958—Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act 1958 to investigate the affairs of Credit Endorsement and Guarantee Limited, K. Rees Emporiums Limited, Credit Advisory Service Proprietary Limited, Congressional Nominee Company Proprietary Limited, K. Rees Slaks Company of Australia Proprietary Limited, Rees Ringwood Emporium Proprietary Limited, Tilsworth Development Proprietary Limited, and Horsham-Kyosan Engineering Company Limited.—Return to the foregoing Order.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

- 9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section One hundred and ninety-three of the 'Railways Act 1958'".
- 10. RAILWAYS (INDUSTRIAL AWARDS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Fraser, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 11. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rylah, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 38.

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In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section Three hundred and forty-six of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act* 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 14th March, 1962.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

12. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 38.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section Three hundred and forty-six of The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Rylah and Mr. Porter do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Three hundred and forty-six of 'The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

- 13. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 14. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

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

J. A. ROBERTSON,

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

No. 36.

WEDNESDAY, 21st MARCH, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958-Transport Consolidated Regulations 1960-Regulations amended.
- 3. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to re-enact with Amendments Section Eighty-six of the 'Administration and Probate Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 4. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—Mr. Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Bloomfield, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to revise the Statute Law"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. POISONS BILL.—Mr. Bloomfield obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to the Possession Sale and Use of Poisons or Deleterious Substances"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 6. APPRENTICESHIP (COMMISSION) BILL.—Mr. Reid (Box Hill) obtained leave, with Mr. Bloomfield, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill to amend the 'Apprenticeship Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 7. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Country Fire Authority Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.

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- UNCLAIMED MONEYS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bolte).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 3rd April next.
- THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Porter*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- DOG (REGISTRATION DISCS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Porter).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- RAILWAYS (INDUSTRIAL AWARDS) BILL—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Porter*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 14. POISONS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Bloomfield*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Dr. Jenkins*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 4th April next.
- SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1962.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
 Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.
- 16. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Petty*)—put and agreed to.
- 17. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 11 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

And then the House, at twenty-four minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

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VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 37.

TUESDAY, 27TH MARCH, 1962.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Brose brought up a Report from the Subordinate Legislation Committee on the Tourist Development Authority (Fees) Regulations and a Report on amendments of the Dog Racing Control Board (Fees and Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1961, an amendment of the Commercial Fisheries Council Regulations 1961, and an amendment of the Premiums Committee Allowances Regulations 1960.

Severally ordered to lie on the Table.

- 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—Resumption of land at Orbost for the purposes of the Education Act 1958— Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— Nos. 1187 to 1189 (three papers).
 - State Development Committee—Report on the introduction of European carp into Victorian waters.— Ordered to be printed.
 - Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulations—Regulations amended.

Town and Country Planning Act 1961-

Numurkah Planning Scheme 1956.

Shire of Ballarat Planning Scheme 1956-Amendment No. 7, 1961.

4. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Schintler rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, "The failure of the Government to take action to provide adequate public transport for the community of Footscray, following the decision of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board to discontinue the tramway services in that locality."

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion-

Motion made and question-That the House do now adjourn (Mr. Schintler)-after debate, put.

The House divided	l.		
	Ayes, 16.	Noes	s, 44 .
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Stoneham	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Moss
Mr. Crick	Mr. Sutton	Mr. Barclay	Mr. Petty
Mr. Divers	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Porter
Mr. Fennessy	(Brunswick West)	Mr. Bloomfield	Mr. Reid
Mr. Galvin	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Bolte	(Box Hill)
Dr. Jenkins		Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Reid
Mr. Lovegrove		Mr. Brose	(Dandenong)
Mr. Mutton	Tellers.	Mr. Christie	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Ring	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Cochrane	Mr. Rylah
Mr. Schintler	Mr. Holland	Mr. Darcy	Mr. Scanlan
		Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Scott
		Mr. Evans	Mr. Snider
		(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Stirling
		Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
		(Gippsland East)	Mr. Suggett
		Mr. Fraser	Mr. Tanner
		Mr. Gainey	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Garrisson	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Gillett	Mr. Turnbull
		Sir Herbert Hyland	(Kara Kara)
		Mr. Kane	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Loxton	
		Mr. MacDonald	•
		Mr. Manson	Tellers.
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Rafferty
		Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Wheeler
And so it passed i	n the negative.		

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- 5. STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED BILL.—Mr. Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill relating to Claims against and Liabilities incurred by the Standard Insurance Company Limited in respect of Contracts of Insurance under Division One of Part V. of the 'Motor Car Act 1958' and in relation to Policies of Accident Insurance or Indemnity against Awards of Compensation under the 'Workers Compensation Act 1958', and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 6. KERANG (ALEXANDRA PARK) LAND BILL.—Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to authorize the Leasing of Portion of certain Land in the Parish of Kerang permanently reserved as the Site for a Racecourse Public Recreation and Show Yards"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 7. CRIMES (DETENTION) BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Crimes Act 1958' in relation to certain Persons ordered to be detained during the Governor's Pleasure"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 8. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Porter, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Sixty-five of the 'Forests Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 9. TOTTENHAM TO BROOKLYN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Mr. Fraser, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to authorize the Construction of a Line of Railway from Tottenham to Brooklyn"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 10. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Porter, and the same was read :--

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 39.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act* 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 27th March, 1962.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

11. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 39.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- Ordered-That Mr. Porter and Mr. Bolte do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
- Mr. Porter then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 12. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—DRIED FRUITS (EXPENSES AND FINANCES) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 40.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the *Dried Fruits Act* 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 27th March, 1962.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

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13. DRIED FRUITS (EXPENSES AND FINANCES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 40.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the Dried Fruits Act 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- Ordered—That Mr. Meagher and Mr. Petty do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
- Mr. Meagher then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Dried Fruits Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—HOUSING (HOME BUILDERS' ACCOUNT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Bolte, and the same was read :—

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 41.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section Ninety-six of the *Housing Act* 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 27th March, 1962.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

15. HOUSING (HOME BUILDERS' ACCOUNT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 41.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section Ninety-six of the Housing Act 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Petty do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Ninety-six of the 'Housing Act 1958'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.

- 16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL .--- Agreeing to the Racing (Anzac Day) Bill without amendment.
- 17. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Four of the 'Road Traffic Act 1958'".
- 18. ROAD TRAFFIC (TRAFFIC CONTROL ITEMS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 19. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 20. HOUSING (HOME BUILDERS' ACCOUNT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bolte).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Lovegrove)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 21. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 and 3.
- 22. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

23. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the proposals contained in the Statute Law Revision Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.

- 24. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th April next.
- 25. TOTTENHAM TO BROOKLYN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Fraser*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Crick*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 26. DRIED FRUITS (EXPENSES AND FINANCES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 27. KERANG (ALEXANDRA PARK) LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Porter*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holland*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 29. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 4 and 5.
- 30. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Porter*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holland*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th April next.
- 31. SUPPLY-JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1962.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.

- 32. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Division Fifteen of Part Five of, and the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Schedules to, 'The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958 '".
- 33. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (POSTAL VOTING) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 34. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Railways (Thomson River Bridge) Bill without amendment.
- 35. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Business Names Bill with amendments. Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
- 36. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid, Box Hill*)—put and agreed to.
- 37. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 6 to 13 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
 - Ordered-That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow:---

Road Traffic (Traffic Control Items) Bill-(from Council)-Second reading.

38. ADJOURNMENT .--- Resolved, after debate--- That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at forty-seven minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J A. ROBERTSON,

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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No. 38.

WEDNESDAY, 28th MARCH, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—CATTLE COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), and the same was read :---

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 42.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the *Cattle Compensation Act* 1958.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 27th March, 1962.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

3. CATTLE COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 42.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Reid (Dandenong) reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the Cattle Compensation Act 1958.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

- Ordered—That Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) and Mr. Mibus do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
- Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Cattle Compensation Act 1958"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 4. COURTS (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Mr. Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill initialed "A Bill relating to the Jurisdiction of the County Court and Courts of Petty Sessions, and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 5. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 6. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive be postponed until after No. 6.
- 7. BUSINESS NAMES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
 - 1. Clause 11, sub-clause (1), omit this sub-clause and insert the following sub-clauses :---

"() The registration of a business name remains in force for a period of three years but the registration may from time to time be renewed by lodging with the Registrar at any time within the period of one month before or after the expiry of the registration a statement in the prescribed form signed by the person or one of the persons in relation to whom the name is registered together with the prescribed fee.

() The renewal of a registration shall be deemed to have been effected for a further period of three years as from the day on which the previous registration expires or has expired (as the case may be)."

2. Clause 11, sub-clause (3), line 15, omit "(2)" and insert "(3)".

And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive be postponed until after Nos. 4, 5, 7, and 8.
- 9. ROAD TRAFFIC (TRAFFIC CONTROL ITEMS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Crick*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th April next.
- 10. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (POSTAL VOTING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

Division No.

11. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1962.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :--

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding £35,274,790 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1962-63, viz. :---

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1. Legislative Council-Expenses of Select Committees 100 2. Legislative Assembly-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 13,970 3. Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 8,810 • • 4. Parliamentary Printing-Printing of Hansard, &c. 11,750 5. Parliament Library-Salaries and General Expenses 3,500 6. Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses • • 8,740 • • 7. Governor's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services.. 7,105 . . 8. Premier's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 77,920 • • 9. State Film Centre-Salaries and General Expenses 15,790 . . 10. Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 11. State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 48,000 10,330 12. Agent-General-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 9,160 . . 13. Public Service Board-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 29,025 • • 14. Audit Office-Salaries and General Expenses 43,080 . . 15. Chief Secretary's Office-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 44,300 . . 16. Totalizator Administration—Salaries and General Expenses . . 2,30017. Weights and Measures-Salaries and General Expenses 15,250 . . 18. Traffic Commission-Salaries and General Expenses 5,950 . . • • . . 19. Explosives-Salaries and General Expenses 14,050 20. Gas Regulation-Salaries . . • • •• •• 4,600 . . 21. State Accident Insurance Office-Salaries 32,900 . . 22. State Motor Car Insurance Office-Salaries 32,800 ۰. • • 23. Workers' Compensation Board—Salaries
24. Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services
25. Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses . . 4.37574,000 . . 3.855 . . 26. Government Statist-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 37,920 27. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics-Salaries and General Expenses ... 16.100. . 28. Family Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 29. Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 350,000 . . 95,000 ••• 30. Prisons-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 292,000 Training—Salaries and General Expenses
 Probation and Parole—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 5,500 . . 23,500 . . 33. Police-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 2,030,000 • • 34. Police Classification Board-Salaries and General Expenses 560 35. State Library, National Gallery, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Administration-Salaries and General Expenses 20,000 36. State Library-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 41,550 37. National Gallery-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ... 9,450 . . 38. National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services
39. Institute of Applied Science—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services
40. Free Library Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 13,050 7.650 8.700 41. Immigration-Salaries and General Expenses 9.400 . . 42. Labour and Industry-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services 87,900 . . 43. Education-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services .. 10,325,000 .. 44. Teachers' Tribunal-Salaries and General Expenses 1,800 • • 45. Attorney-General-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services... 225,200 . . 46. Courts Administration-Salaries and General Expenses 210.000 47. Registrar-General, Registrar of Titles, and Registrar of Companies-Salaries and General Expenses 140,000 .. • • 48. Rent Control-Salaries and General Expenses 9,430 49. Public Trustee-Salaries and General Expenses ... 43,500 • •

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50.	Treasury-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	806,000
51.	Pay-roll Tax—Payment to Commonwealth Government	330,000
52.	Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses	28,300
53.	State Superannuation Board and Pensions Office-Salaries, General Expenses,	
	and Other Services	11,490
54.	Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and	
	Home Finance Administration-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other	
	Services	13,800
55.	Taxation Office-Salaries and General Expenses	98,000
56.	Stamp Duties-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	42,500
57.	Government Printer-Salaries and General Expenses	295,000
58.	Lands and Survey-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	336,000
59.	Rural Finance and Settlement Commission-Settlement Branch-Salaries,	
	General Expenses and Other Services	56,000
60.	Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium-Salaries and General	
	Expenses	22,920
61.	Public Works-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	810,000
62.	Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	162,300
63.	Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	22,700
64.	Town and Country Planning Board-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other	
	Services	9,500
65.	Mines-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	112,700
66.	Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	`332,000
67.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission-Salaries, General Expenses, and	
	Other Services	1,085,000
68.	Agriculture Administration-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	147,000
69.	Agricultural Education-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	81,600
70.	Agriculture-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	133,000
71.	Horticulture-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	134,000
72.	Livestock—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	115,000
73.	Dairying-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	86,000
74.	Health Administration-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,331,000
75.	General Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	359,000
76.	Tuberculosis-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	355,000
77.	Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	350,000
78.	Mental Hygiene-Salaries and General Expenses	1,826,000
79.	Railway Construction-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	11,600
80.	State Coal Mine—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	144,000
81.	Ministry of Transport-Salaries and General Expenses	2,510
82.	Railways-Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	10,100,000
	m. (.)	35,274,790
	$\mathbf{Total} \qquad \dots \qquad $	

Ordered-That this House will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Supply was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

12. WAYS AND MEANS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Rafferty reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1962-63 the sum of £35,274,790 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

13. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 4).—Mr. Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Thirty-five million two hundred and seventy-four thousand seven hundred and ninety pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-three"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.

Motion made and question proposed-That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Rylah).

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock-

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Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 14. STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the Control and Regulation of the Artificial Breeding of Stock".
- 16. STOCK (ARTIFICIAL BREEDING) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara), the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 17. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Two hundred and eighty-one of the 'Health Act 1958'".
- 18. HEALTH (SAMPLING OF FOODS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Bloomfield, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 19. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act relating to Subordinate Legislation and for other purposes".
- 20. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 22. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 3, and 9 to 19 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
 - Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday next :— Cattle Compensation (Amendment) Bill—Second reading.
- 23. ADJOURNMENT.--Resolved, after debate--That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at twenty-four minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

VICTORIA.-VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 39.

TUESDAY, 3RD APRIL, 1962.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Statute Law Revision Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

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

Fisheries Act 1958-Notice of intention to alter the conditions relating to registration of fishing boats.

Land Act 1958-

Resumption of land at Heatherdale for the purposes of the Education Act 1958--Certificate of the Minister of Education.

Schedule of country lands proposed to be sold by auction.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— Nos. 1190 to 1193 (four papers).

Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Act 1961-Regulations-Common Seal.

Taxation—Analysis of Operations—Land Tax for the assessment year 1960; Probate Duty and Entertainments Tax for the year 1960-61.

4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 43)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Racing (Anzac Day) Bill. Railways (Thomson River Bridge) Bill. Business Names Bill.

- 5. FISHERIES (NOXIOUS FISH) BILL.—Mr. Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to eliminate Noxious Fish from and to control Non-indigenous Fish in Victorian Waters and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day.
- 6. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 7. CRIMES (DETENTION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Lovegrove)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

8. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Stoneham)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

9. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.

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- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 11. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 and 4 be postponed until after Nos. 5 and 6.
- STOCK (ARTIFICIAL BREEDING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Turnbull, Kara Kara*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stoneham*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 13. HEALTH (SAMPLING OF FOODS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Bloomfield*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holland*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 14. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3, 4, and 8 be postponed until after No. 9.
- 15. STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee. Committee reported progress; to sit again this day.
- 16. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3, 4, 8, 10, and 11 be postponed until after Nos. 12 and 13.
- 17. LAND (INDUSTRIAL GRANTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

18. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 19. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3, 4, 8, 10, 11, and 14 to 17 inclusive be postponed until after No. 18.
- 20. RAILWAYS (INDUSTRIAL AWARDS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

21. STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 22. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 4.
- 23. COURTS (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rylah*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
- 24. FISHERIES (NOXIOUS FISH) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Meagher).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Schintler)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 25. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 8.
- 26. APPRENTICESHIP (COMMISSION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*, *Box Hill*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

- 27. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Melbourne Cricket Ground Bill. Evidence (Amendment) Bill.
- 28. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to the Payment of Interest on Judgments".
- 29. SUPREME COURT (INTEREST ON JUDGMENTS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 30. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 and 10 be postponed until after No. 11.
- 31. GAME (BLACK SWANS) AMENDMENT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 32. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3, 10, 14 to 17 inclusive, and 19 to 22 inclusive be postponed until after No. 23.
- 33. KERANG (ALEXANDRA PARK) LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 34. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 10.
- 35. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 36. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section Thirty-three and Section Forty of the 'Cancer Act 1958'".
- 37. CANCER (FACILITIES) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Bloomfield, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 38. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Children's Welfare (Assistance) Bill with an amendment.

Ordered-That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration this day.

- 39. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 14.
- 40. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

41. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.

- 42. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3, 15 to 17 inclusive, 19 to 22 inclusive, and 24 to 28 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
 - Ordered-That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

Children's Welfare (Assistance) Bill-Amendment of the Legislative Council-To be considered.

43. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 40.

WEDNESDAY, 4TH APRIL, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958-
 - Proclamation—Declaring that Chicory shall become the property of the Chicory Marketing Board for a further period of two years.
 - Regulation-Maize Marketing Board-Twenty-seventh period of time for the computation of time for the net proceeds of the sale of maize.
- 3. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That Standing Order No. 273c be suspended for to-morrow so far as it requires that the first Order of the Day on every third Thursday shall be either Supply or Ways and Means, and that on that Order of the Day being read the question shall be proposed that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 4. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postfoned until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 5. SUPREME COURT (INTEREST ON JUDGMENTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West)—put and agreed to.

Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

6. CANCER (FACILITIES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bloomfield).

Motion made and question-That the debate be now adjourned (Dr. Jenkins)-put and agreed to.

Ordered-That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. CHILDREN'S WELFARE (ASSISTANCE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 2, lines 18-21, omit-

 (b) where he is satisfied that the child is in full-time attendance at a school, assistance be continued for any further period or periods and subject to such conditions as the Minister may deem desirable."

and insert-

(b) where he is satisfied that a pupil who has attained the maximum age to which a child is required by law to attend school is in full-time attendance at an educational establishment, assistance be given for any period or periods and subject to such conditions as the Minister may deem desirable."

And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.

8. Dog (REGISTRATION DISCS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

9. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

10. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 11. UNCLAIMED MONEYS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
- 12. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—UNCLAIMED MONEYS BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Porter, and the same was read :---

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 44.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to consolidate and amend the Law providing for the Payment of Unclaimed Moneys into the Consolidated Revenue and to the Receiver of Revenue in Melbourne.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, C.1, 20th March, 1962.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

13. UNCLAIMED MONEYS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 44.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. MacDonald reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That it is expedient that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to consolidate and amend the Law providing for the Payment of Unclaimed Moneys into the Consolidated Revenue and to the Receiver of Revenue in Melbourne.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.-Agreeing to the National Parks Bill with an amendment.
 - And the said amendment was read and is as follows :---

Clause 6, paragraph (c), line 14, after "prescribed" insert-

"in respect of each day on which such appointed member attends-

- (a) a meeting of the Authority;
- (b) an inspection made by the Authority; or
- (c) a meeting or conference to which the Authority has appointed him as its representative :

Provided that no appointed member shall be entitled to receive more than one fee in respect of any one day notwithstanding that he may attend more than one meeting or inspection on that day."

And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.

15. HOUSING (HOME BUILDERS' ACCOUNT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

16. TOTTENHAM TO BROOKLYN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

17. DRIED FRUITS (EXPENSES AND FINANCES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein,

18. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 12 to 16 inclusive be postponed until after Nos. 17 and 18.
- 20. SUPPLY-SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1961-62.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Division No.	CHIEF	SECRE	TARY.				£	£
15. Chief Secretary's Of	fice		••	••			1,100	
24. Fisheries and Wildli		• •	••	•••	••	••	630	
33. Police 40. Free Library Service	e Board	•••	•••	••	 	•••	323 18,297	
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44. Teachers' Tribunal	• •	••		•••	•••			150
	ATTORN	EY-GEN	ERAL.					
45. Attorney-General	•••	•••			••	••		1,365
	TRE	EASURE	R.					
49. Treasury	•••	••	••	•				72,600
	LANDS .	AND SU	RVEY					
57. Lands and Survey								10,925
·	PUBL	IC WOR	RS					
60. Public Works	1 ODD		JX O.				1,000	
61. Ports and Harbors	••	•••	•••	•••	••	••	5,500	
								6,500
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62. Local Government		•••	••	•••	•••			2,726
	WATE	R SUPE	PLY.					
66. State Rivers and Wa	ater Suppl	ly Comm	ission					1,878
	AGRI	CULTUR	RE.					
67. Agriculture Administ	ration	•••	•••	•••	••	••	•••	3,000
	\mathbf{H}	EALTH.						
73. Health Administratio		••					3,300	
74. General Health		••	••	••	••	••	2,230	
76. Maternal and Child	Welfare	••	••	••	••	••	40	5,570
RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.								
79. Railway Construction			••	••	••	•••	•••	1,890
Total		••		••	••		£	126,954
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Ordered-That this House will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Supply was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

21. WAYS AND MEANS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Snider reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1961-62, the sum of £126,954 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That Mr. Bolte and Mr. Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

22. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 5).—Mr. Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of One hundred and twenty-six thousand nine hundred and fifty-four pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time this day; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 23. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Reid, Box Hill)—put and agreed to.
- 24. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 12 to 16 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
- 25. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question proposed—That the House do now adjourn (Mr. Reid, Box Hill). Debate ensued.

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock-THURSDAY, 5TH APRIL, 1962.

Question-put and agreed to.

And then the House, at one minute past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 41.

TUESDAY, 10TH APRIL, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment-Mr. Speaker 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 :—
 - Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Act 1958—Notice of proposal to abandon electric tramways in the City of Footscray; together with a statement showing the reasons for such abandonment, and plan.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended— No. 1194.
- 3. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 4) without amendment.
- 4. DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Distribution of Population Committee have power to travel to and hold meetings in the State of Queensland for the purpose of studying decentralized industries and the distribution of population in that State (*Mr. Galvin*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered-That a Message be sent to the Legislative Council acquainting them with the foregoing resolution.
- 5. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 6. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
- PROBATE DUTY BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.
 Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
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- 8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 3 to 17 inclusive be postponed until after No. 18.
- 9. WAYS AND MEANS-PROBATE DUTIES.-The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
 - Mr. Reid (Dandenong) reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That subject to and in accordance with the Probate Duty Bill there shall be charged levied and collected for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors on and in relation to the final balance of the estates of deceased persons the duty calculated in accordance with the provisions of this resolution as hereinafter set forth in the Schedule to this resolution.

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SCHEDULE.

1. Subject to the particular provisions of this Schedule the duty payable shall be calculated as follows :—

(a) Where the final balance passes to the widow, widower, children who have not attained the age of 21 years, wholly dependent adult children or wholly dependent widowed mother of the deceased.

Where the Final Balance—	The Duty shall be
Does not exceed £5,000 Exceeds £5,000 but does not exceed £6,500	Nil 18d. for each £1, by which the final balance exceeds £5,000
Exceeds £6,500 but does not exceed £10,000	£112 10s. plus 30d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £6,500
Exceeds £10,000 but does not exceed £15,000	£550 plus 18d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £10,000
Exceeds £15,000 but does not exceed £25,000 \dots	£925 plus 24d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £15,000
Exceeds £25,000 but does not exceed £30,000 \dots	£1,925 plus 30d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £25,000
Exceeds £30,000 but does not exceed £35,000 \hdots	£2,550 plus 42d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds $\pounds 30,000$
Exceeds £35,000 but does not exceed £45,000 \dots	£3,425 plus 48d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £35,000
Exceeds £45,000 but does not exceed £55,000 \dots	£5,425 plus 54d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £45,000
Exceeds £55,000 but does not exceed £60,000 $\hfill \hfill \hfil$	£7,675 plus 60d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £55,000
Exceeds £60,000 but does not exceed £65,000	£8,925 plus 72d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £60,000
Exceeds £65,000 but does not exceed £75,000	£10,425 plus 84d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £65,000
Exceeds £75,000 but does not exceed £94,667	£13,925 plus 90d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £75,000

and where the final balance exceeds £94,667 the duty shall be Twenty-two pounds ten shillings per centum of the final balance.

Where part only of the final balance so passes the duty shall be that proportion of the duty that would have been payable had the whole of the final balance so passed which the part that so passes bears to the final balance.

(b) Where the final balance passes to children who have attained the age of 21 years (not being wholly dependent adult children) or grandchildren of the deceased.

Where the Final Balance-	The Duty shall be-		
Does not exceed £5,000 Exceeds £5,000 but does not exceed £6,500	Nil 24d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds		
Exceeds £6,500 but does not exceed £10,000 \dots	£5,000 £150 plus 36d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £6,500		
Exceeds £10,000 but does not exceed £15,000	£675 plus 24d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £10,000		
Exceeds £15,000 but does not exceed £25,000	£1,175 plus 30d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £15,000		
Exceeds £25,000 but does not exceed £30,000	£2,425 plus 36d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £25,000		
Exceeds £30,000 but does not exceed £35,000 \hdots	£3,175 plus 48d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £30,000		
Exceeds £35,000 but does not exceed £45,000 \hdots .	£4,175 plus 54d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £35,000		
Exceeds £45,000 but does not exceed £55,000 \hdots	£6,425 plus 66d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £45,000		
Exceeds £55,000 but does not exceed £65,000 \ldots	£9,175 plus 72d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £55,000		
Exceeds £65,000 but does not exceed £75,000	£12,175 plus 84d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £65,000		
Exceeds £75,000 but does not exceed £85,000	£15,675 plus 90d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £75,000		
Exceeds £85,000 but does not exceed £97,166	£19,425 plus 96d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £85,000		

and where the final balance exceeds £97,166 the duty shall be Twenty-five pounds per centum of the final balance.

Where part only of the final balance so passes the duty shall be that proportion of the duty that would have been payable had the whole of the final balance so passed which the part that so passes bears to the final balance.

(c) Where the final balance passes to brothers, sisters or parents of the deceased.

Where the Final Balance-	The Duty shall be-		
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Does not exceed £600	Nil		
Exceeds £600 but does not exceed £1,500	12d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds $\pounds 600$		
Exceeds £1,500 but does not exceed £5,000 \dots	£45 plus 24d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £1,500		
Exceeds $\$5,000$ but does not exceed $\$10,000$	£395 plus 36d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £5,000		
Exceeds £10,000 but does not exceed £15,000 \dots	£1,145 plus 30d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £10,000		
Exceeds £15,000 but does not exceed £25,000 \dots	£1,770 plus 42d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £15,000		
Exceeds £25,000 but does not exceed £35,000	£3,520 plus 48d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £25,000		
Exceeds £35,000 but does not exceed £45,000 \dots	£5,520 plus 60d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £35,000		
Exceeds £45,000 but does not exceed £60,000 \dots	£8,020 plus 72d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £45,000		
Exceeds £60,000 but does not exceed £65,000 \dots	£12,520 plus 78d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £60,000		
Exceeds £65,000 but does not exceed £75,000 \dots	£14,145 plus 90d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £65,000		
Exceeds £75,000 but does not exceed £85,000 \dots	£17,895 plus 96d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £75.000		
Exceeds £85,000 but does not exceed £113,840	£21,895 plus 102d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £85,000		

and where the final balance exceeds $\pounds 113,840$ the duty shall be Thirty pounds per centum of the final balance.

Where part only of the final balance so passes the duty shall be that proportion of the duty that would have been payable had the whole of the final balance so passed which the part that so passes bears to the final balance.

(d) Where the final balance passes to any person (not being a widow, widower or a child, grandchild, brother, sister or parent of the deceased) or to any body corporate or unincorporate.

Where the Final Balance-	The Duty shall be
Does not exceed £600	. Nil 18d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £600
Exceeds £1,500 but does not exceed £5,000 $% \left(1,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2$	
Exceeds £5,000 but does not exceed £6,500 $% \left(1,2,2,2,3,2,3,2,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,$	£417 10s. plus 42d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £5,000
Exceeds £6,500 but does not exceed £10,000 $% \left(1,1,1,2,2,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,3,$	£680 plus 48d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £6,500
Exceeds £10,000 but does not exceed £15,000 .	£1,380 plus 42d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £10,000
Exceeds £15,000 but does not exceed £35,000 .	£2,255 plus 48d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £15,000
Exceeds £35,000 but does not exceed £45,000 .	balance exceeds £35,000
Exceeds £45,000 but does not exceed £75,000 \dots	£8,755 plus 90d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £45,000
Exceeds £75,000 but does not exceed £85,000 \dots	£20,005 plus 102d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £75,000
Exceeds £85,000 but does not exceed £116,625	£24,255 plus 108d. for each £1 by which the final balance exceeds £85,000

and where the final balance exceeds $\pounds 116,625$ the duty shall be Thirty-three pounds per centum of the final balance.

Where part only of the final balance so passes the duty shall be that proportion of the duty that would have been payable had the whole of the final balance so passed which the part that so passes bears to the final balance.

2. (a) The duty chargeable on the final balance of the estate of a deceased person who dies domiciled outside Victoria shall be a sum equal to that proportion of the duty that would be chargeable on the total value of all property wheresoever situated which would be or would be deemed to form part of the estate of the deceased if it were situated in Victoria less the total value of all debts due and owing by him at the time of his death and all other deductions that would be allowed under this Bill (in this clause called the "total estate") which the final balance bears to such total estate.

(b) In calculating the duty which would be payable on the total estate for the purposes of this paragraph the provisions of this Bill and of this Schedule shall apply as if the total estate were the final balance.

(c) No duty shall be chargeable under this paragraph where the final balance does not exceed $\pounds 100$.

(d) Where any part of the total estate is devised or bequeathed or passes by gift *inter vivos* or under a settlement in such a manner that if the total estate were in Victoria a deduction under clause twenty-one of this Bill would be allowed then unless the will of the deceased or the instrument of gift or settlement provides otherwise, the devise bequest gift or settlement shall be deemed to be made from property in Victoria.

(e) For the purpose of this paragraph the Commissioner may require the person who files the statement in respect of the deceased person's estate to furnish the Commissioner with such valuations certificates and other information (including certificates from any taxation or other public authority outside Victoria) as he deems necessary to determine the value of the total estate.

3. Where the duty calculated under this Schedule is less than Ten shillings the duty chargeable shall nevertheless be Ten shillings.

4. Where a proportional calculation is required to be made for the purposes of applying or calculating an addition to or a reduction or apportionment of duty as between different parts of an estate, then for the purpose only of such application or calculation no account shall be taken of any addition or reduction of duty under this Bill.

- 5. For the purposes of calculating duty payable under this Bill-
 - "Brothers or sisters" includes brothers or sisters of the half-blood.
 - " Children " includes—
 - (a) children adopted under any law for the time being in force in Victoria or in any other State of the Commonwealth or (if the adoption would be recognized by the law of Victoria) under any other law;
 - (b) where the deceased person was a woman the illegitimate children of such person; and
 - (c) the step-children of the deceased person.
 - "Wholly dependent adult children" means-
 - (a) children in respect of whom an invalid pension is being paid under any Commonwealth Act relating to Social Services; or
 - (b) children who have been wholly engaged in keeping house for the deceased for at least two years out of the three years immediately preceding his death.
 - "Wholly dependent widowed mother" means the widowed mother of the deceased person who is not in receipt of an annual income greater than the maximum rate of pension payable under any Commonwealth Act in force from time to time relating to Old Age, Invalid and Widow's Pensions, and who was receiving assistance from the deceased.

6. For the purposes of this Schedule the final balance or the relevant part of the final balance shall be deemed to pass to such persons or class of persons as the property or the relevant part of the property comprised in the final balance beneficially passed to or in the case of property which is deemed to form part of the estate or the value of which is added to the final balance shall be deemed to pass to the persons or class of persons in whom the beneficial interest was vested by the transaction which caused the property to be deemed to form part of the estate or the value to be so added.

Ordered-That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

10. PROBATE DUTY BILL.—Considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.

11. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Acquainting the Legislative Assembly that they have agreed to the following resolution:—That the Distribution of Population Committee have power to travel to and hold meetings in the State of Queensland for the purpose of studying decentralized industries and the distribution of population in that State. 12. POISONS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.

Ordered-That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

13. WAYS AND MEANS—FEES FOR LICENCES AND PERMITS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :---

Resolved—That subject to and in accordance with the Poisons Bill there shall be charged levied and collected by the Department of Health for the use of Her Majesty such fees (not exceeding the maximum amounts payable in relation thereto under the said Bill) as may be prescribed for the issue of licences and permits to manufacture distribute have in possession or to sell supply or use any poison or deleterious substance.

Ordered-That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.

14. POISONS BILL.—Considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.

- 15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "An Act to amend Section One hundred and forty-two of the 'Health Act 1958' and Part VII. of the 'Police Offences Act 1958' in relation to Tattooing".
- 16. TATTOOING BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Bloomfield, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- 17. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Melbourne Harbor Trust Lands Bill with an amendment.

Ordered-That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.

- 18. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Land (Industrial Grants) Bill. Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill. Standard Insurance Company Limited Bill.
 - The Constitution Act Amendment (Statute Law Revision Committee) Bill.
 - Dog (Registration Discs) Bill.

Game (Black Swans) Amendment Bill.

- 19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.-Ordered-That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 4.
- 20. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 21. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 and 5 be postponed until after Nos. 6 and 7.
- 22. CRIMES (DETENTION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock-

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Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

23. FISHERIES (NOXIOUS FISH) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 24. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
- 25. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3, 5, and 8 to 17 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
- And then the House, at forty-eight minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Two o'clock this day.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 42.

WEDNESDAY, 11TH APRIL, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 45)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Melbourne Cricket Ground Bill. Evidence (Amendment) Bill. Railways (Industrial Awards) Bill. Children's Welfare (Assistance) Bill. National Parks Bill. Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 4).

- 3. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 4. TATTOOING BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (Mr. Bloomfield).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (Mr. Wilkes)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
- 5. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 12, line 33, after "1408261" insert "but not before the expiration or termination of the existing lease thereof without the consent in writing of the lessee".

And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.

- COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
- 7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 4 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.
- 8. PROBATE DUTY BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Administration and Probate (Amendment) Bill without amendment.

10. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.-Agreeing to the Statute Law Revision Bill with an amendment. And the said amendment was read and is as follows :-

In the First Schedule after the item amending Act No. 6401 insert the following item :----

'6651 Social Welfare Act 1960 .. In sub-section (1) of section thirteen for the word "with" (where first occurring) there shall be substituted the word "without ".'

And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.

11. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

12. COURTS (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment.

Motion made and question—That this Bill be now read a third time (Mr. Rylah)—put. The House divided

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Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Stoneham
Mr. Birrell	(Dandenong)	Mr. Crick	Mr. Sutton
Mr. Bolte	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Divers	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rylah	Mr. Fennessy	(Brunswick West)
Mr. Brose	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Galvin	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Cochrane	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Holland	
Mr. Darcy	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lovegrove	Tellers.
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Tanner	Mr. Mutton	Dr. Jenkins
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Ring	Mr. Schintler
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Turnbull		
Mr. Gillett	(Kara Kara)		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Mibus	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Mitchell			
Mr. Petty	Tellers.		
Mr. Porter	Mr. Scott		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Snider		
(Box Hill)			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative-Bill read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

13. APPRENTICESHIP (COMMISSION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

> And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock-THURSDAY, 12TH APRIL, 1962.

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

Mr. Brose Mr. Snider Dr. Jenkins Mr. Wilkes	livided.	
Mr. BarfourMr. RobitorMr. RobitorMr. BirrellMr. RylahMr. CrickMr. SuttonMr. BolteMr. ScanlanMr. DiversMr. TurnbullMr. BorthwickMr. ScottMr. Galvin(Brunswick WestMr. BroseMr. SniderDr. JenkinsMr. Wilkes	Ayes, 30. Noes,	, 15.
Mr. CochraneMr. StokesMr. LovegroveMr. DunstanMr. TannerMr. MuttonTellers.Mr. EvansMr. TaylorMr. RingMr. Fennessy(Ballaarat North)Mr. TurnbullMr. SchintlerMr. HollandMr. Gibbs(Kara Kara)Mr. SchintlerMr. HollandMr. GillettMr. WheelerMr. MitshireMr. MitshireMr. MibusMr. MitchellMr. NitchellMr. PettyMr. PettyMr. PorterMr. DarcyMr. ReidMr. ReidMr. SuggettMr. Suggett	Mr. Rossiter Mr. Rylah Mr. Scanlan ck Mr. Scott Mr. Scott Mr. Galvin Dr. Jenkins Mr. Jovegrove Mr. Tanner Mr. Taylor arat North) Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) Mr. Wheeler Mr. Wiltshire Hill) Mr. Darcy Mr. Suggett Mr. Crick Mr. Crick Mr. Crick Mr. Calvin Dr. Jenkins Mr. Lovegrove Mr. Mutton Mr. Schintler	Mr. Stoneham Mr. Sutton Mr. Turnbull (Brunswick West) Mr. Wilkes Tellers. Mr. Fennessy

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 14. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 8 to 19 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
- 16. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at twenty-seven minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

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Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 43.

TUESDAY, 17th APRIL, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment .-- Mr. Speaker 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 :—
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 1195.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Altona Planning Scheme 1958—Amendments Nos. 2, 12, and 13 (three papers).
- 3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 46)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on 16th April instant, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Land (Industrial Grants) Bill. Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill. Standard Insurance Company Limited Bill. The Constitution Act Amendment (Statute Law Revision Committee) Bill. Dog (Registration Discs) Bill. Game (Black Swans) Amendment Bill. Administration and Probate (Amendment) Bill. Statute Law Revision Bill.
- 4. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL—ERROR REPORTED BY CLERK OF THE PARLIAMENTS.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received a communication from the Clerk of the Parliaments reporting, in conformity with Joint Standing Order No. 21, that the following clerical error had been discovered in this Bill :—

In clause 9, line 12, the word "Commission" has been omitted after the word "Electricity".

- On the motion of Mr. Rylah the House agreed that the above error be corrected by the insertion of the word "Commission" after the word "Electricity" in clause 9, line 12.
- Ordered—That the communication from the Clerk of the Parliaments be transmitted to the Legislative Council with a Message requesting their concurrence in the correction of the foregoing error.
- 5. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time, after debate.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

7. POISONS BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

Ordered-That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

- 8. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.
- 9. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (POSTAL VOTING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the
 - Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 10. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 3 and 4 be postponed until after No. 5.

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- 11. SUPREME COURT (INTEREST ON JUDGMENTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day No. 3 be postponed until after No. 4.
- 13. STOCK (ARTIFICIAL BREEDING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill with amendments with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
- 14. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill with an amendment with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
- 15. Messages from the Legislative Council-

Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :---Tottenham to Brooklyn Railway Construction Bill. Kerang (Alexandra Park) Land Bill. Forests (Amendment) Bill. Dried Fruits (Expenses and Finances) Bill. Housing (Home Builders' Account) Bill. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Government Guarantee) Bill.

Acquainting the Assembly that they have concurred with the Assembly in correcting the clerical error reported by the Clerk of the Parliaments in the Melbourne Harbor Trust Lands Bill.

- 16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Unclaimed Moneys Bill with amendments. Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
- 17. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.
- 18. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6, and 8 to 13 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
- 19. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fourteen minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 44.

WEDNESDAY, 18TH APRIL, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker 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 :—
 - Fisheries Act 1958-Notices of Intention-
 - To alter the Second Schedule to the Fisheries Act 1958.

To revoke the proclamation prohibiting netting at the "Perch Ground", in Anderson's Inlet.

- Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Regulations—Issue of Debentures.
- Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 1196.

Road Traffic Act 1958-Road Traffic Regulations 1960-Regulations amended.

Weights and Measures Act 1958-Weights and Measures Regulations 1959-Regulations amended.

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- 3. POSTFONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 4. TATTOOING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 5. UNCLAIMED MONEYS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
 - 1. Clause 11, line 1, after "firm" insert "holding unclaimed moneys shall".
 - 2. " line 2, omit " shall ".

And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

- 6. CANCER (FACILITIES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered-That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 7. ROAD TRAFFIC (TRAFFIC CONTROL ITEMS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

- 8. HEALTH (SAMPLING OF FOODS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same without amendment.
- 9. Messages from the Legislative Council—

Agreeing to the amendments made by the Assembly in the Stock (Artificial Breeding) Bill. Agreeing to the amendment made by the Assembly in the Subordinate Legislation Bill.

- 10. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Wednesday, 2nd May next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Bloomfield*)—put and agreed to.
- 11. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 9 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Wednesday, 2nd May next.
- 12. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at eleven minutes past Eight o'clock, adjourned until Wednesday, 2nd May next.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 45.

WEDNESDAY, 2ND MAY, 1962.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Manson, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Sale of Land on Terms, together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.

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

Births, Still Births, Deaths, and Marriages-General abstract showing the number registered during the year 1961.

Explosives Act 1958-Classification and definition of explosives (two papers).

Land Act 1958—Resumption of land at Bayswater and Preston East for the purposes of the Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education (two papers).

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

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958 and Supreme Court Act 1958—Supreme Court Library Fund (Investment) Rules.

Racing Act 1958-

Racing (Off-course Doubles Totalizators) Regulations 1962.

Totalizator (Totalizators Extension) Regulations-Regulations amended.

State Rivers and Water Supply Commission-Report for the year 1960-61.

- The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—Victorian Parliamentary Elections Regulations 1960— Regulations amended.
- 4. AGENT-GENERAL FOR VICTORIA.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the Report on the activities of the Agent-General for Victoria in London for the year 1961 (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 5. PAPER.-Mr. Rylah presented-
 - Agent-General for Victoria in London-Report on activities for the year 1961.-Return to the foregoing Order.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

- MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :— Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 5). Crimes (Detention) Bill. Fisheries (Noxious Fish) Bill.
- 7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 47)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Tottenham to Brooklyn Railway Construction Bill. Kerang (Alexandra Park) Land Bill. Forests (Amendment) Bill. Melbourne Harbor Trust Lands Bill. Dried Fruits (Expenses and Finances) Bill. Housing (Home Builders' Account) Bill. Supreme Court (Interest on Judgments) Bill. The Constitution Act Amendment (Postal Voting) Bill. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Government Guarantee) Bill.

(200 copies.)

Stock (Artificial Breeding) Bill.
Tattooing Bill.
Unclaimed Moneys Bill.
Cancer (Facilities) Bill.
Road Traffic (Traffic Control Items) Bill.
Consolidated Revenue Bill (No. 5).
Health (Sampling of Foods) Bill.
Crimes (Detention) Bill.
Fisheries (Noxious Fish) Bill.

- 8. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a communication from the Clerk of the Parliaments calling attention to certain clerical errors in the Subordinate Legislation Bill and acquainting the Assembly that they have agreed that such errors be corrected as follows :—
 - By the omission of the words 'the expression "(1) in" and in the column under the heading "Extent of Repeal" in the entry relating to Act No. 6298, in the Schedule, Part A, page 7.
 - By the insertion of the words "the following sub-section" instead of the words "the following section" in the column under the heading "How amended" in the entry relating to Act No. 6230, in the Schedule, Part B, page 12.
 - By the insertion of the word "inserted" instead of the word "substituted" in the column under the heading "How amended" in the entry relating to Act No. 6849, in the Schedule, Part B, page 13—
 - and desiring the concurrence of the Assembly therein.

Motion made and question—That this House concur with the Legislative Council in the correction of the said errors (Mr. Rylah)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Legislative Council acquainting them accordingly.

- 9. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 10. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.
- 11. ADJOURNMENT.-Resolved, after debate-That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at forty-seven minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

No. 46.

THURSDAY, 3RD MAY, 1962.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment-Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- 2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Proclamation—Declaring that onions shall become the property of the Onion Marketing Board for a further period of two years.

3. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Local Government (Amendment) Bill with an amendment.

And the said amendment was read and is as follows :---

- "Clause 19, at the end of the clause insert the following sub-clause :---
 - - (a) In paragraph (10) of section three hundred and ninety-three for the words 'and wash-houses' there shall be substituted the words 'and swimming-pools';
 - (b) In sub-section (2) of section six hundred and ninety for the words 'or wash-houses' there shall be substituted the words 'or swimming-pools'."

And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.

4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Country Fire Authority (Amendment) Bill with amendments.

And the said amendments were read and are as follows :----

- 1. Clause 3, omit this clause.
- - (i) the land to which the plan relates is situated wholly or partly in a part of the country area of Victoria within the meaning of the Country Fire Authority Act 1958 which the Country Fire Authority has by notice in writing to the council declared to be an area of special fire risk and the Country Fire Authority has not by a like notice revoked its declaration; and
 - (ii) the plan shows delineated thereon any new road street lane or passageway proposed to be made or laid out on the land to which the plan relates—

the council shall not cause the plan to be sealed without the consent of the Country Fire Authority or, in any case where the Country Fire Authority has failed or refused so to consent, of the Governor in Council."

3. Clause 4, at the end of the clause insert the following sub-clause :---

"() After paragraph (z) of sub-section (1) of section one hundred and ten of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following paragraph:—

' (za) authorizing and regulating the making of notices by the Authority for the purposes of paragraph (d) of sub-section (5) of section five hundred and sixtynine of the Local Government Act 1958'."

And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered. That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

[Mr. Speaker left the Chair at thirty-one minutes past Eleven o'clock and resumed it at fifty-two minutes past Seven o'clock.]

- 5. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Poisons Bill with amendments. Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
- 6. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Returning the Probate Duty Bill and, on consideration of the Bill in Committee, suggesting amendments.

And the said suggested amendments were read and are as follows :----

- 1. Clause 7, sub-clause (1), page 7, paragraph (d), sub-paragraph (iii), lines 26-27, omit "or any power which may affect the enjoyment of the gift by the donee".
- 2. Clause 7, sub-clause (1), paragraph (d), page 8, lines 23-33, omit all words and expressions on these lines commencing "Provided further" and ending "by which" and insert---

"Provided further that where it is proved that the value of the property the subject-matter of the gift or any property which represents or has in any way been substituted for the property the subject-matter of the gift *inter vivos* has been increased between the date of the gift and the date of the death of the donor—

- (a) by reason of improvements made by or on behalf of the donee; or
- (b) by the exercise of the independent judgment or skill of the donee-

the Commissioner shall allow as a deduction the value of such improvements and the amount by which."

3. Clause 7, sub-clause (1), paragraph (d), page 8, line 40, after "donor" insert-

"Provided further that notwithstanding the provisions of sub-paragraphs (ii), (iii), and (iv) of this paragraph where the Commissioner is satisfied that the donee has within the said period of three years had substantial possession and enjoyment of the gift *inter* vivos the property comprised therein shall not be or be deemed to form part of the estate of the deceased person but there shall be included in the final balance of the estate of the deceased person an amount equal to the value of any beneficial interest or right retained or enjoyed by the deceased from the date of the gift *inter vivos* to the date of the death of the deceased to the extent that full consideration in money or money's worth was notgiven by the deceased to the donee for such right or interest."

- 4. Clause 7, sub-clause (1), page 10, paragraph (m), line 17, after "deceased" insert-
 - "Provided that-
 - (a) this paragraph shall not apply to any agreement entered into for a bona fide full consideration in money or money's worth in the course of a bona fide commercial transaction or business dealing; and
 - (b) where the consideration for any such agreement consisted of a covenant or promise which remained unperformed at the date of the death of the deceased the onus of establishing for the purposes of this proviso that the consideration was a *bona fide* full consideration in money or money's worth shall lie upon the administrator or other person liable to pay the duty."
- 5. Clause 7, sub-clause (2), paragraph (a), page 11, line 4, after "deceased" insert-
 - "Provided further that this paragraph shall not apply in relation to any gift *inter vivos* made by the deceased the subject-matter of which was an interest as tenant in common in any property."
- 6. Clause 7, sub-clause (2), paragraph (b), line 6, after "had" insert "at any time since the coming into force of the Administration and Probate (Estates) Act 1951".
- 7. Clause 7, page 11, line 47, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (3) :--
 - "() Where more than one person are or are deemed to be in control of a company—
 - (a) the Commissioner shall determine in which person or persons the effective control of the company was vested in relation to any particular issue of shares or debentures or in relation to the declaration or payment of any particular dividend; and
 - (b) if the Commissioner determines that more than one person were in effective control of the company in relation to any such particular issue declaration or payment only such proportion of the value of the shares debentures or dividends as one bears to the total number of persons who were in effective control of the company shall be deemed to be property the subject-matter of a gift by the deceased."
- 8. Clause 10, page 19, sub-clause (4), paragraph (c), lines 26-27, omit "unless such debt was" and insert "to the extent that such debt was not".
- 9. Clause 10, page 20, line 11, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (6) :---

"() Notwithstanding anything in this Act no property shall be or be deemed to form part of the estate of a deceased person and no amount shall be included in the final balance of the deceased person by reason only of the issue of any shares or debentures or the declaration or payment of any dividends by a company to a person (not being a body corporate and not being related by blood or marriage to the deceased) made *bona fide* in recognition of services rendered by that person as an employé of the company who was at and during the period of three years immediately prior to the issue declaration or payment continuously and solely engaged in full-time employment with the company."

10. Clause 16, paragraph (b), line 21, after "contemplated" insert-

"Provided that in determining the value of any such stocks or shares the Commissioner shall allow the costs that would be involved in the liquidation of the company including any liability to tax under the Commonwealth Act known as the *Income Tax and Social* Services Contribution Assessment Act 1936-1961 or any corresponding subsequent enactment that would be incurred by the company on its liquidation."

- 11. Clause 17, sub-clause (2), line 40, after "shall" insert "unless the Commissioner determines in any case that it would be just and equitable to accept a lower value"
- 12. Clause 19, sub-clause (7), paragraph (a), page 28, lines 15-16, omit this paragraph and insert-
 - "(a) unless the court otherwise orders the administrator or other person shall be limited to the grounds stated in his objection and the Commissioner shall be limited to the grounds upon which he has disallowed the objection;".
- 13. Clause 24, sub-clause (1), page 33, lines 4-18, omit the interpretation of "Land used for primary production" and insert---
 - "' Continuously used' in relation to land used for primary production means-
 - (a) used during the whole period of five years immediately preceding the death of the deceased person; or
 - (b) used for any period of time prior to the death of the deceased person if the Commissioner is satisfied that that person was engaged solely or principally in the business of primary production for not less than five years during the seven years immediately prior to his death.

- [•] Land used for primary production' means land as to which the Commissioner is satisfied that it has been continuously used by that person or the wife or husband or any descendant or ancestor of that person exclusively for the business of primary production, but does not include land given or accruing to an uncertain person or on an uncertain event, or land devised for a term of years (other than an interest for the life of the beneficiary) or an annuity or bequest secured by or charged upon land or any interest in land derived from a deceased person and held by that person as a shareholder in a company or as a member of a partnership or as a joint tenant or tenant in common."
- 14. Clause 25, page 35, line 18, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (5) :---

"() Notwithstanding anything in this section where an administrator or other person liable to pay the duty under this Act has made to the Commissioner a full and true disclosure of all the material facts necessary for the assessment of the duty payable in respect of the estate of the deceased person and an assessment is made after that disclosure no amendment of the assessment increasing the liability of the administrator or other person liable to pay the duty shall be made except—

- (a) to correct an error in calculation;
- (b) to correct an error in the value placed upon any property which forms or is deemed to form part of the estate of the deceased person; or
- (c) to correct a mistake of fact—

and no such amendment shall be made after the expiration of six years from the date upon which the duty became due and payable under that assessment."

- 15. Clause 29, sub-clause (1), page 37, line 24, after "Commissioner" insert "or provided for to the satisfaction of the Commissioner".
- 16. Second Schedule, after the sign "£" in column 3 insert "per annum".
- On the motion of Mr. Rylah and after debate-
 - Suggested amendment No. 1 made with the following modification :---

After "property" in clause 7, page 7, line 25, insert "or any right or power which may restrict the enjoyment of the gift by the donee".

- Suggested amendment No. 2 made.
- Suggested amendment No. 3 made with the following modification :---
 - Omit all words commencing "notwithstanding the provisions" and ending "right or interest" and insert "for the purposes of this paragraph
 - the retention or exercise of any beneficial interest benefit right or power which is not legally enforceable and which is not of any material value or not properly referable to the gift having regard to the value and nature of the property the subject-matter of the gift the relationship of the parties and all the circumstances surrounding the making of the gift; or
 - in the case where the property the subject-matter of the gift are personal chattels or an interest in land the retention or assumption by the donor of any occupation or enjoyment of the property the subject-matter of the gift if for full consideration in money or money's worth—
 - shall be disregarded."

Suggested amendment No. 4 made.

Suggested amendment No. 5 not made.

Suggested amendments Nos. 6 to 16 inclusive made.

- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have made some of the amendments suggested by the Legislative Council, have not made one of the said amendments, and have made others of the said amendments with modifications, with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
- 7. POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES OF MOTION, GENERAL BUSINESS.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Notices of Motion, General Business, be postponed until after the Orders of the Day, Government Business.
- 8. Poisons Bill.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :----
 - 1. Clause 5, line 38, omit "manufactures" and insert "manufacturers".
 - 2. Clause 9, line 36, before "possession" insert "his".
 - 3. Clause 58, line 23, before "possession" insert "his"
 - 4. Clause 63, line 45, omit "of" and insert "or".
 - 5. Schedule One, page 37, in the item commencing "ANTIMONY" omit " and in polishes" and insert " in polishes ".

6	. Schedule Tv	70, page 38, omit "COCAINE—synthetic substitute, for" and insert "COCAINE—synthetic substitutes for".
7.	• • • • • •	page 39, omit "CREOSOTE in" and insert "CREOSOTE and".
8	· · · ››	page 39, omit "CRESOL in" and insert "CRESOL and".
9.	, <u>,</u> ,	page 39, in the item commencing "DIAMINES" omit" (except when included in Schedule 7)".
10.	• • • • •	page 39, in the item commencing "ETHER" omit "except when included in Schedule 5" and insert" if not excepted under Schedule 5".
11.	• • • •	page 39, omit "OXALIC ACID except in laundry blue and polishes.".
12.	· >>	page 39, in the item commencing "PILOCARPINE" omit "1 per centum" and insert " 0.5 per centum".
13.	, <u>,</u>	page 39, in the item commencing "PROPOXYPHENE" omit" or substances" and insert" in substances".
14.	Schedule Th	ee, page 40, omit "ALPHA-PHTHALIMIDO GLUTARIMIDE.".
15.	33	page 40, insert the following item to follow the item commencing "ANTIFOLIC ACID "
		"ANTI-HISTAMINE substances or preparations labelled and packed for motion sickness in packs of ten doses or less in liquid cough preparations containing 0.75 per centum or less of anti-histamine substances."
16.	33	 page 40, insert the following item to follow the item "CINCHOPEN": "COCAINE, its salts, its derivatives or their salts, in preparations containing 0.1 per centum or less of cocaine.".
17.	>>	page 40, in the item commencing "DEXTROMETHORPHAN" omit" or less or" and insert" or less of".
18.	"	page 41, in the item commencing "PRESSOR SUBSTANCES" omit "Methoxyphenamine," and "Phenylpropanolamine,".
19.	Schedule Fou	r, page 42, omit "ATARATIC" and insert "ATARACTIC".
20.	"	page 43, in the item commencing "MORPHINE ETHERS" omit" Morphine Ether" and insert" Morphine Ethers".
21.	>>	page 43, insert the following item to follow the item "SULPHONAL ":
2 2.	Schedule Fiv	e, page 43, in the item commencing "CARBOLIC ACID" omit" or homologues" and insert" or its homologues".
23.	"	page 44, in the item commencing "COUMARIN" omit"less. Prepared" and insert"less prepared".
24.	"	page 44, in the item commencing "ETHER" omit "10 per cent. or less except in preparations" and insert "10 per centum or less except in any proportion in preparations".
25.	>>	page 44, in the item commencing "GAMMA BENZENE HEXACHLORIDE" omit "Gamma Benezene Hexachloride substances" and insert "Gamma Benzene Hexachloride. Substances".
26.	>>	page 44, in the item commencing "IODINE" omit "substances" and insert "preparations".
27.	33	page 44, in the item commencing "KEROSENE OF COMMERCE" omit "Sub-section (2) of Section 20 of this Act" and insert" the provisions of this Act and the regulations".
28.	33 .	page 44, after "OXALIC ACID and soluble oxalates" insert "except in laundry blueing compounds or in polishes".
29.	Schedule Six	, page 45, in the item commencing "BARIUM" omit "Salts of" and insert "Salts of for industrial use".
30.	**	page 45, in the item commencing "NITROBENZENE" after "(Oil of Mirbane)" insert "and".
31.	>>	page 45, omit "ZINC ETHYLENE—BIS (DITHIOCARBAMATE) (Zineb)" and insert "ZINC ETHYLENE—BIS—DITHIOCARBAMATE (Zineb)".
32.	Schedule Eigh	t, page 46, insert the following item to follow "CANNABIS (Indian Hemp)":— "CLONITAZENE.".
33.	"	page 46, in the item commencing "COCAINE" omit "less than 0.1 per centum of cocaine" and insert "0.1 per centum or less of cocaine".
34.	>>	page 46, after "DIACETYLMORPHINE" insert "(Heroin)".

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35. Sched	ule Eight,	page 46, insert the following item to follow the item "DIACETYLMORPHINE":
36.	,,	page 46, after "DIHYDRODESOXYMORPHINE" insert "(Desomorphine)".
37.	**	page 46, after "DIHYDROHYDROXYMORPHINE" insert "(Hydromor- phinol)".
38.	**	page 46, after "DIHYDROMORPHINONE" insert "(Hydromorphone)".
39.	**	page 46, in the item commencing "DIMENOXADOL" omit" dimethylaninoethyl" and insert" dimethylaminoethyl".
40.	> 7	page 47, insert the following item to follow the item "ETHYLMETHYLTHIAM- BUTENE ":—"ETONITAZENE ".
41.	**	page 47, insert the following item to follow the item "MEPRODINE ":
42.	"	 page 47, omit the item commencing "PIPERIDINE DERIVATIVES" and insert the following item— "PIPERIDINE derivatives with hypnotic properties such as allyl prodine, alphaprodine, benzethidine, betaprodine, hydroxypethidine, bemidone, diphenoxylate, ketobemidone, meprodine, alphameprodine, betameprodine, etoxeridine, furethidine, morpheridine, phenampromide,
		phenoperidine, piminodine, trimeperidine; and their salts, preparations, admixtures, extracts or other substances containing any proportion of such piperidine derivatives.".

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And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

[Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair at fifty-four minutes past Eight o'clock and Mr. Speaker resumed it at nineteen minutes past Ten o'clock.]

- 9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Probate Duty Bill, including the amendments suggested by the Legislative Council and made by the Legislative Assembly and the amendments suggested by the Legislative Council and made by the Legislative Assembly with modifications, without amendment.
- 10. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or, if Mr. Speaker 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 Member of the House by telegram or letter (*Mr. Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- 11. POSTFONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 4 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next sitting of the House.

12. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at thirty-five minutes past Ten o'clock adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or the Chairman of Committees and notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter, as determined by resolution of the House at this sitting.

J. A. ROBERTSON,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD, Speaker.

SESSION 1961-62.

MESSAGES RECEIVED AFTER THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE ON 3rd MAY, 1962.

The following Messages from His Excellency the Governor were received after the adjournment of the House on 3rd May, 1962 :---

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

The Governor informs the Legislative Assembly that he has, on this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts of the present Session presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :--

Subordinate Legislation Act. Country Fire Authority (Amendment) Act. Local Government (Amendment) Act. Poisons Act.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 8th May, 1962.

DALLAS BROOKS,

Governor of Victoria.

The Governor informs the Legislative Assembly that he has, on this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act of the present Session presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :--

Probate Duty Act.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 15th May, 1962.

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PROROGUING PARLIAMENT AND FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-SECOND PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

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

W HEREAS 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 Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue the said Parliament of Victoria until Wednesday, the fifth day of September, 1962, and I do hereby fix Wednesday, the fifth day of September, 1962, aforesaid, at the hour of half-past Two o'clock in the afternoon, 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 fourteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two, and in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

E. F. HERRING.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. RYLAH, Acting Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

SELECT COMMITTEES

SESSION 1961-62.

1.-DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT).

(Appointed 31st October, 1961.)

Mr. Brose, Mr. Darcy, Mr. Evans (Ballarat North),

Mr. Galvin, Mr. Moss, Mr. Stoneham.

2.—HOUSE (JOINT).

(Appointed 1st August, 1961.)

- Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay,
- Mr. Floyd,

Sir Herbert Hyland, Mr. MacDonald,

Mr. Turnbull (Brunswick West).

3.—LIBRARY (JOINT).

(Appointed 1st August, 1961.)

- Mr. Speaker,
- Mr. Barclay,
- Mr. Gainey,

Mr. Sutton, Mr. Wheeler.

Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd,

Mr. Gillett,

Dr. Jenkins.

4.—PRINTING.

(Appointed 1st August, 1961.)

Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay,

Mr. Birrell,

Mr. Borthwick,

5.—PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

(Appointed 1st August, 1961.)

- Mr. Divers, Mr. Gibbs,
- Mr. Holden,

Mr. Moss,

Mr. Ring, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Trewin.

6.—STANDING ORDERS.

(Appointed 1st August, 1961.)

- Mr. Speaker,
- Mr. Brose,

Mr. Moss,

Mr. Scanlan,

Mr. Snider, Mr. Sutton, Mr. Tanner.

7.—STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).

(Appointed 1st August, 1961.)

Mr. Cochrane,

Mr. Dunstan, Mr. Evans (Gippsland East), Mr. Holland, Mr. Manson, Mr. Wilkes.

8.—SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).

(Appointed 1st August, 1961.)

Mr. Brose, Mr. Mutton, 6949/62.

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Mr. Rossiter.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1961.

No. 1.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 25TH OCTOBER, 1961.

WEDNESDAY, 25TH OCTOBER, 1961.

No. 1.—Supply—Budget—Estimates for 1961-62.

Motion made—That the following sum be granted to Her Majesty to defray the charges for the year 1961-62 for the service hereunder specified in addition to the several sums already voted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament for such service, viz. :--

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Mr. Suggett

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Division No. 1.—Legislative Council ...

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.. £160 —(Mr. Bolte.)

-(Mr. Stoneham.)

Amendment proposed and question put-That this sum be reduced by £1.

Committee divided.

(Chairman-MR. RAFFERTY.)

	Ayes, 13.	Noes	s, 38.
Mr. Crick	Mr. Sutton	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Divers	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Moss
Mr. Floyd	(Brunswick West)	Mr. Bloomfield	Mr. Porter
Mr. Galvin	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Reid
Dr. Jenkins		Mr. Brose	(Box Hill)
Mr. Ring	Tellers.	Mr. Christie	Mr. Reid
Mr. Schintler	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Cochrane	(Dandenong)
Mr. Stoneham	Mr. Fennessy	Mr. Darcy	Mr. Rylah
		Mr. Evans	Mr. Scanlan
		(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Scott
		Mr. Evans	Mr. Snider
		(Gippsland East)	Mr. Stirling
		Mr. Fraser	Mr. Tanner
		Mr. Gainey	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Garrisson	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Gillett	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Holden	Mr. Wilcox
		Sir Herbert Hyland	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Loxton	
		Mr. MacDonald	Tellers.
		Mr. Manson	Mr. Kane

And so it passed in the negative.

Mr. Meagher

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1961.

No. 2.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 2ND NOVEMBER, 1961.

THURSDAY (MORNING), 2nd NOVEMBER, 1961.

No. 1.—Crimes (Breath Test Evidence) Bill—Clause 2.

After section four hundred and eight of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :---

"408A. (1) Where the question whether any person was or was not under the influence of intoxicating liquor at the time of an alleged offence is relevant—

- (a) upon any trial for manslaughter or negligently causing grievous bodily harm arising out of the driving of a motor car; or
- (b) upon any trial or hearing for an offence against sub-section (1) of section three hundred and eighteen or sub-section (1) of section three hundred and nineteen of this Act; or

(c) upon any hearing for an offence against sub-section (1) of section eighty-two of the Motor Car Act 1958-

then, without affecting the admissibility of any evidence which might be given apart from the provisions of this section, evidence may be given of the percentage of alcohol indicated to be present in the blood of that person by a breath analysing instrument operated by a person authorized in that behalf by the Chief Commissioner of Police and the percentage of alcohol so indicated shall subject to compliance with the provisions of sub-section (2) of this section be evidence of the percentage of alcohol present in the blood of that person at the time his breath is analysed by the instrument.

(2) As soon as practicable after a sample of a person's breath is analysed by means of a breath analysing instrument the person operating the instrument shall sign and deliver to the person whose breath has been analysed a statement in writing of the percentage of alcohol indicated by the analysis to be present in his blood (which may be by way of an indication on a scale) and of the date and time at which the analysis was made.

(3) (a) A certificate purporting to be signed by the Chief Commissioner of Police that a person named therein is authorized by the said Chief Commissioner to operate breath analysing instruments shall be admissible in evidence of the authority of that person.

(b) Evidence by a person authorized to operate a breath analysing instrument pursuant to this section—

- (i) that an apparatus used by him on any occasion pursuant to this section was a breath analysing instrument within the meaning of this section;
- (ii) that the breath analysing instrument was on that occasion in proper working order and properly operated by him;
- (iii) that in relation to the breath analysing instrument all regulations made under this section with respect to breath analysing instruments were complied with—

shall be prima facie evidence of those facts.

(4) (a) Where a member of the police force believes on reasonable grounds that a person has been while driving a motor car or while in charge of a motor car within the meaning of section eighty-two of the *Motor Car Act* 1958 under the influence of intoxicating liquor to such an extent as to be incapable of having proper control of the motor car he may require that person to furnish a sample of his breath for analysis by a breath analysing instrument and that person shall, subject to the provisions of paragraph (b) of this sub-section, furnish a sample of his breath by exhaling directly into the instrument.

(b) A person who is required as aforesaid to furnish a sample of his breath for analysis shall not be obliged to do so except—

- (i) within two hours after the driving or being in charge of the motor car in respect of which the member of the police force has such belief as aforesaid ; and
- (ii) at or in the vicinity of the place where his said driving or his said being in charge of the motor car occurred or at the police station nearest to that place.

(5) (a) A person who is required pursuant to sub-section (4) of this section to furnish a sample of his breath for analysis and who refuses to do so shall, unless the court is satisfied that there was some reason of a substantial character for his refusal other than a desire to avoid providing information which might be used as evidence against him, be guilty of an offence against this section and liable upon summary conviction to a penalty of not more than Twenty pounds.

(b) A person shall not be convicted of an offence under this sub-section if it is proved that within the time specified in sub-section (4) of this section for the furnishing of a sample of breath he elected to have a sample of blood taken from him in accordance with the provisions of section four hundred and eight of this Act and—

- (i) that a sample of blood was so taken from him; or
- (ii) that he was at all times during the period specified in sub-section (1) of the said section four hundred and eight ready and willing to have a sample of blood so taken from him.

(6) In this section ' breath analysing instrument' means apparatus of a type approved for the purposes of this section by the Governor in Council by notice published in the *Government Gazette* for ascertaining by analysis of a person's breath what percentage of alcohol is present in his blood.

(7) Any approval or authority given pursuant to this section by the Governor in Council or the Chief Commissioner of Police respectively may be revoked at any time in the manner in which it was given and upon such revocation shall cease to have any effect.

(8) (a) The Governor in Council may make regulations for or with respect to the maintenance and use of breath analysing instruments used for the purposes of this section and the methods to be employed for ensuring that such breath analysing instruments give accurate results.

(b) All such regulations shall be published in the *Government Gazette* and shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen days after the making thereof if Parliament is then sitting and if Parliament is not then sitting then within fourteen days after the next meeting of Parliament; and a copy of all such regulations shall be posted to each member of Parliament."

-(Mr. Rylah.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put. Committee divided.

(Chairman.—Mr. RAFFERTY.)

	A	yes, 36.	
Mr.	Balfour	Mr.	\mathbf{Reid}
Mr.	Birrell		(Box Hill)
Mr.	Bloomfield	Mr.	Reid
Mr.	Bolte		(Dandenong)
Mr.	Borthwick	Mr.	Rylah
Mr.	Brose	Mr.	Scanlan
Mr.	Cochrane	Mr.	Scott
Mr.	Darcy	Mr.	Snider
	$\mathbf{Dunstan}$	Mr.	Stirling
Mr.	Fraser	Mr.	Tanner
	Gainey	Mr.	Trewin
	Garrisson	Mr.	Turnbull
	Gillett		(Kara Kara)
Mr.	Holden		Wheeler
	Herbert Hyland	$\mathbf{Mr.}$	Wiltshire
Mr.	Kane		
	Loxton		
	MacDonald		Tellers.
	Mibus		
	Mitchell	Mr.	$\mathbf{E}\mathbf{vans}$
	Moss		(Ballaarat North)
Mr.	Petty	Mr.	$\mathbf{E}\mathbf{vans}$
			(Gippsland East)

Mr. Clarey Mr. Crick Mr. Fennessy Mr. Floyd Mr. Galvin Mr. Lovegrove Mr. Ring

Mr. Stoneham

Mr. Sutton

Noes, 14. Mr. Towers Mr. Turnbull (Brunswick West) Mr. Wilkes

> Tellers. Mr. Divers Dr. Jenkins

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1961.

No. 3.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 9TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

WEDNESDAY, 8TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

No. 1.-The Constitution Act Amendment Bill-Clause 3, as amended.

(1) After section two hundred and sixty-one of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :—

"261A. (1) Every person who or the directors of any body corporate which on or after the date of issue and before the return of the writ for any election for the Council or the Assembly *wilfully* prints publishes issues circulates or distributes—

- (a) an electoral advertisement notice handbill pamphlet or card (other than an advertisement in a newspaper) unless the name and address of the person authorizing the same appears at the end thereof;
- (b) a printed electoral advertisement notice handbill pamphlet or card (other than an advertisement in a newspaper) without the name and place of business of the printer being printed at the foot of it;
- (c) any electoral advertisement notice handbill pamphlet or card containing any representation of a ballot-paper or any representation apparently intended to represent a ballot-paper and having thereon any directions intended or likely to mislead or improperly interfere with any elector in or in relation to the casting of his vote; or
- (d) any electoral advertisement notice handbill pamphlet or card containing any untrue or incorrect statement intended or likely to mislead or improperly interfere with any elector in or in relation to the casting of his vote—

shall be guilty of an illegal practice :

Provided that nothing in paragraphs (c) and (d) of this section shall prevent the printing publishing or distribution of any card not otherwise illegal which contains instructions how to vote for any particular candidate or *candidates* so long as those instructions are not intended or likely to mislead any elector in or in relation to the casting of his vote.

(2) Every person who, on or after the date of issue and before the return of the writ for any election for the Council or the Assembly, inscribes any electoral advertisement or notice or posts any electoral advertisement notice handbill or card---

- (a) on any property belonging to the Crown or to any public statutory authority or on any structure on any public highway; or
- (b) on any house or building or any wall fence lamp-post or gate without the consent of the occupier, or without the consent of the owner if there is no person in actual occupation thereof—

shall be guilty of illegal practice.

(3) Any member of the police force may destroy remove or deface or cause to be destroyed removed or defaced any poster containing electoral matter which contravenes the provisions of sub-section (2) of this section."

(2) In paragraph (a) of sub-section (2) of section two hundred and sixty-seven of the Principal Act the words "circular pamphlet 'dodger' or other printed matter" (where twice occurring) shall be repealed.

Further amendment proposed—That the following sub-section be inserted to follow sub-section (1) of the proposed new section 261a :---

"() Where any leading article or other article or paragraph purporting to express the political policy or views of the newspaper or of the proprietor thereof or any advertisement is published in a newspaper and contains any untrue statement intended to mislead any elector in or in relation to the casting of his vote for any election the printer publisher and proprietor of such newspaper shall be guilty of an illegal practice."

-(Mr. Turnbull, Brunswick West.)

Question-That the sub-section proposed to be inserted be so inserted-put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman-MR. RAFFERTY.)

	Ayes, 14.	Noe	s, 35.
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Towers	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Moss
Mr. Crick	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Birrell Mr. Bloomfield	Mr. Porter Mr. Reid
Mr. Divers	(Brunswick West)	Mr. Borthwick	(Box Hill)
Mr. Fennessy	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Brose	Mr. Rylah
Mr. Holland		Mr. Christie	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Lovegrove	/T-11	Mr. Cochrane	Mr. Scattan Mr. Scott
Mr. Ring	Tellers.		Mr. Scott Mr. Snider
Mr. Stoneham	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Darcy Mr. Dunstan	
Mr. Sutton	Dr. Jenkins	Mr. Evans	Mr. Stirling
			Mr. Suggett
		(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Tanner
		Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
		(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Gainey	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Gibbs	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Gillett	
		Sir Herbert Hyland	
		Mr. Kane	
		Mr. Loxton	Tellers.
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Garrisson
		Mr. Mibus	Mr. Reid
And so it passed in	the negative.		(Dandenong)

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1961.

No. 4.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 30TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

THURSDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1961.

No. 1.—Marine (Amendment) Bill—Clause 4.

The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows :---

(a) In section twenty-two-

- (i) for the words "Three shall be appointed by the Governor in Council" there shall be substituted the words "Five shall be appointed by the Governor in Council, of whom—
 - (a) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Australasian Steamship Owners Federation; and
 - (b) one shall be selected from a panel containing the names of three persons who have been resident in Victoria for at least five years submitted by the Oversea Shipping Representatives' Association after consultation with every person who is the proprietor of a refinery in Australia and is engaged in shipping to or from or to and from ports in Victoria petroleum products in excess of one hundred thousand tons per annum;
- (ii) the words "Two shall be elected by the registered owners of ships registered at any port in Victoria whose names appear upon the roll of shipowners for the time being in force" shall be repealed.
- (b) In section twenty-seven for the word "January" there shall be substituted the word "March".
- (c) Sections twenty-eight and twenty-nine shall be repealed.
- (d) In section thirty after the words "in any port of Victoria" there shall be inserted the words "and who have applied to the secretary to be enrolled on the roll of certificated engineers".
- (e) In section thirty-one after the words "in any port in Victoria" (where first occurring) there shall be inserted the words "and who have applied to the secretary to be enrolled on the roll of masters or of seamen respectively".
- (f) For section forty-six there shall be substituted the following section :—
 - "46. The president and members of the Board shall severally be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue (which is hereby appropriated accordingly) such remuneration as is from time to time fixed by Order of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette.*"

(150 copies.)

- (g) In paragraph (j) of section fifty-three for the words "in any port" there shall be substituted the words "in or on any Victorian coastal or inland waters".
- (h) Section fifty-four is hereby amended as follows :---
 - (i) For paragraph (g) there shall be substituted the following paragraph :----
 - '(g) For the conduct of the examination of persons desiring to obtain certificate of competency as masters or mates of river and bay ships or as third-class engine drivers and as to the qualifications to be possessed by such persons, and prescribing fees to be paid by applicants for examinations not exceeding Ten pounds ";
 - (ii) For paragraph (t) there shall be substituted the following paragraph :----
 - "(t) for requiring and regulating the use of wireless and radio telephony within any port;".

-(Mr. Petty.)

Amendment proposed—That the following sub-paragraph be inserted to follow sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (a) :=

"() For the words 'Two shall be elected by the persons whose names appear upon the Roll of Merchants and Traders for the time being in force 'there shall be substituted the words 'Two shall be appointed by the Governor in Council, one from a panel of three names submitted to the Minister by the Trades Hall Council of Melbourne and one from panels of three names submitted by such organizations as the Minister selects as representing primary producers who are principally engaged in primary production for export '."

-(Mr. Floyd.)

Question—That the sub-paragraph proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put. Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman-MR. MACDONALD.)

		(Temporary	Chairman	-MR.	MACDONALD.)			
	Ayes	, 15.				Noes,	26.	
Mr. (Mr. Sutton			Balfour		Mr.	Reid
	Divers Fennessy	Mr. Towers Mr. Turnbull			Birrell Borthwick		Mr.	(Dandenong) Rylah
	Floyd Holland	(Brunswick Mr. Wilkes	West)		Christie Darcy			Stirling Stokes
	Jenkins Lovegrove	Tellers.		Mr.	Dunstan Fraser			Tanner Taylor
Mr. 1	Ring	Mr. Clarey		Mr.	Garrisson		Mr.	Wheeler
Mr. a	Stoneham	Mr. Schintler		Mr.	Gibbs Gillett Kane		Mr.	Wiltshire
• • • • •				Mr.	Loxton Moss		T	ellers.
••••••••					Petty Porter		Mr.	Evans (Ballaarat North)
				Mr.	Reid (<i>Box Hill</i>)		Mr.	Holden

And so it passed in the negative.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1961–1962.

No. 5.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 12TH APRIL, 1962.

WEDNESDAY, 11TH APRIL, 1962.

No. 1.—Courts (Jurisdiction) Bill—Clause 2.

(1) For section thirty-seven of the County Court Act 1958 there shall be substituted the following section :—

" 37. The court shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine---

- (a) any personal action arising out of any accident in which any vehicle is involved, whatever may be the amount value or damages sought to be recovered;
- (b) any other personal action (including any action of detinue), whether commenced in the county court or in the Supreme Court—
 - (i) where the amount value or damages or the value of the chattel sought to be recovered is or are not more than Two thousand pounds, whether on balance of account or otherwise; or
 - (ii) where the amount value or damages or the value of the chattel sought to be recovered is or are more than Two thousand pounds and both parties or their respective solicitors consent in writing to the jurisdiction of the court; and
- (c) any other action in respect of which jurisdiction is given to the court by this or any other Act."
- (2) The County Court Act 1958 shall be amended as follows :----
 - (a) In sub-section (1) of section thirty-nine for the words "One thousand pounds" there shall be substituted the words "Two thousand pounds";
 - (b) In section forty for the words "Two hundred and fifty pounds" (wherever occurring) there shall be substituted the words "Five hundred pounds";
 - (c) In section forty-one for the words "One thousand pounds" (wherever occurring) there shall be substituted the words "Two thousand pounds";
 - (d) In sub-section (1) of section forty-four for the words "One thousand pounds" there shall be substituted the words "Two thousand pounds";
 (a) In section forty of the section of the
 - (e) In section fifty-seven after paragraph (b) there shall be inserted the following expression :— "; or
 - (c) could have been brought in the county court because the jurisdiction of that court in respect of actions of the kind in question is unlimited ";
 - (f) In section sixty-one after the words "One hundred pounds" there shall be inserted the expression "or in any action under paragraph (a) of section thirty-seven of this Act where the amount claimed is unspecified,"; and
 - (g) In sub-section (1) of section sixty-two for the words "Two hundred and fifty pounds" there shall be substituted the words "Five hundred pounds".
- (3) In section four hundred and forty-six of the *Health Act* 1958 for the words "One thousand pounds" there shall be substituted the words "Two thousand pounds".

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(4) In section two hundred and thirty-four of the Property Law Act 1958 for the words "One thousand pounds" there shall be substituted the words "Two thousand pounds".

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put. Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman-MR. STOKES.)

Ayes,	29.

Noes. 15.

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Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr.	Balfour Birrell Bolte Borthwick Brose Christie Cochrane Darcy Dunstan Evans (<i>Ballaarat North</i>) Gillett Loxton Mibus Mitchell Petty Porter Reid (<i>Box Hill</i>)	Mr. Reid (Dandenong) Mr. Rossiter Mr. Rylah Mr. Scanlan Mr. Suggett Mr. Tanner Mr. Taylor Mr. Turnbull (Kara Kara) Mr. Wheeler Mr. Wiltshire Tellers. Mr. Scott Mr. Snider	Mr. Clarey Mr. Crick Mr. Divers Mr. Fennessy Mr. Galvin Mr. Holland Mr. Lovegrove Mr. Mutton Mr. Ring	Mr. Stoneham Mr. Sutton Mr. Turnbull (Brunswick West) Mr. Wilkes Tellers. Dr. Jenkins Mr. Schintler

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

-(Mr. Rylah.)

