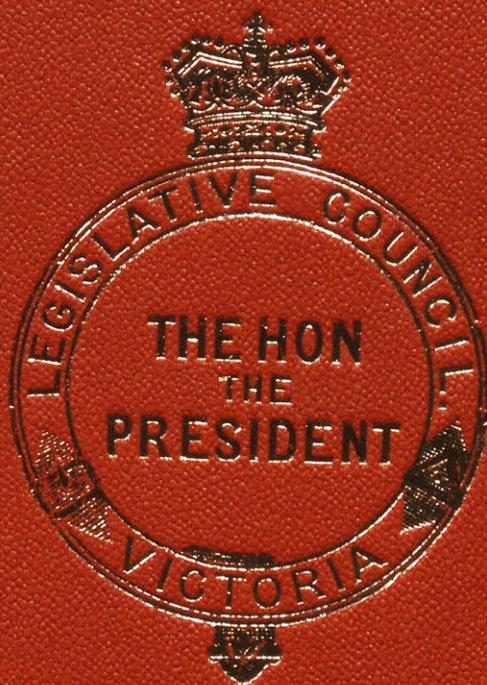


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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 14TH SEPTEMBER, 1965.

1. The Council met pursuant to the Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of August, 1965, which Proclamation was read by the Clerk and is as follows:—

PROROGUING PARLIAMENT AND FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE SECOND
SESSION OF THE FORTY-THIRD PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS the Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until such day and hour as may be fixed by the President of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly respectively: Now I, the Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue the said Parliament of Victoria until Tuesday, the fourteenth day of September, 1965, and I do hereby fix Tuesday the fourteenth day of September, 1965, aforesaid, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the said Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne: And the 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 seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five, and in the fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY E. BOLTE,
Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

2. DEATH OF THE PRESIDENT.—The Clerk announced, with deep regret, the death, on the 10th August last, of the Honorable the President.
3. The Honorable Mr. Justice Winneke, the Commissioner from His Excellency the Governor appointed to open the Parliament, having been introduced to the Council Chamber by the Usher of the Black Rod, His Honour desired the Usher of the Black Rod to request the presence of Mr. Speaker and the Members of the Legislative Assembly to hear the Commission read for the commencement and holding of this present Session of the Parliament.

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

HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

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

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

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

WHEREAS by Proclamation issued the twenty-fourth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five, by His Excellency Major-General SIR ROHAN DELACOMBE, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Governor of Our State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c., Tuesday, the fourteenth day of September, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five, was fixed as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of Our Parliament of Victoria, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne : AND forasmuch as for certain causes the said SIR ROHAN DELACOMBE cannot conveniently be present in person in Our said Parliament at that time : NOW KNOW YE THAT WE, trusting in the discretion, fidelity, and care of Our trusty and well-beloved the Honorable SIR HENRY ARTHUR WINNEKE, Chief Justice of Our Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, do give and grant by the tenor of these presents unto you the said HENRY ARTHUR WINNEKE, full power in Our name to begin and hold the said Session of Our said Parliament, and to do everything which for and by Us, or the said SIR ROHAN DELACOMBE shall be there to be done ; commanding also by the tenor of these presents all whom it may concern to meet Our said Parliament, and the said HENRY ARTHUR WINNEKE, that he diligently attends in the premises and form aforesaid. In testimony whereof We have caused the seal of Our said State to be hereunto affixed.

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

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

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book No. 34,
page 74, this tenth day of September, One thousand nine
hundred and sixty-five.

J. V. DILLON, Under-Secretary.

Then the Honorable Mr. Justice Winneke said—

HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

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

The Speaker and the Members of the Legislative Assembly then withdrew.

The Honorable Mr. Justice Winneke withdrew.

4. ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.—The Clerk announced that the time had arrived for proceeding to the election of a President of the Council.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler, addressing the Clerk, proposed to the Council for their President the Honorable Ronald William Mack and moved, That the Honorable Ronald William Mack do take the Chair of the Council as President, which motion was seconded by the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson.

The Honorable Ronald William Mack, addressing the Clerk, expressed the high sense he had of the honour proposed to be conferred upon him, and submitted himself to the Council.

The Council then unanimously calling the Honorable Ronald William Mack to the Chair, he was taken out of his place by the Honorable G. L. Chandler and the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson and conducted to the Chair ; and, standing on the dais, he returned his acknowledgments to the Council for the great honour that had been conferred upon him, and thereupon he took the Chair of the President.

Then the Honorables G. L. Chandler, J. W. Galbally, Sir Percy Byrnes, P. V. Feltham, and W. R. Garrett congratulated the Honorable the President-elect.

The President-elect responded.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler announced that His Excellency the Governor would be pleased to receive the Honorable the President-elect and Members of the Council at a quarter-past Two o'clock this afternoon in the Library of the Parliament House.

[Sitting suspended from 12.26 p.m. until 2.30 p.m.]

5. APPROACH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The approach of His Excellency the Governor was announced by the Usher of the Black Rod.

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

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

You have been summoned to meet to-day to give consideration to important business of concern to the citizens of the State.

Indeed the Parliament is meeting at a time of great expectation arising from the discovery of reserves of natural gas off our coastline, and you will shortly be called upon to consider legislation relating to the development of this new source of fuel and power, and moreover of wealth. This discovery is possibly of as great economic importance to this State as was the discovery of gold over one hundred years ago.

My advisers, recognizing the implications of this discovery, have deemed it advisable to prepare legislation which will provide for the establishment of an office of Minister for Fuel and Power. It will be the duty of this Minister to co-ordinate the development and best use of all the resources of fuel and power available to Victoria.

At present officers of the Public Service are overseas examining problems associated with the development of natural gas resources in other countries so that we may be properly equipped to exploit our own gas fields with a minimum of delay and the maximum efficiency.

During the Parliamentary recess, Ministers of the Crown and other Members of this Parliament visited overseas countries and so extended their knowledge of trends in those countries and of the action being taken to resolve problems akin to our own.

Since the beginning of the previous Session we, in turn, have been honoured by a visit from Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester and I am proud to record that the people of Victoria again demonstrated their abiding loyalty to the Throne and their affection for the Royal Family by the warmth of the welcome given to Their Royal Highnesses.

It is with profound regret that I refer to the passing of the Honorable Sir Gordon McArthur, M.L.C., and the Honorable A. J. Fraser, M.C., M.L.A., each of whom rendered valuable service as a Member of this Parliament and as a Minister of the Crown. Sir Gordon McArthur will be remembered particularly for his service as the President of the Legislative Council.

It should be a matter of great pride to all Victorians that the people of this State contributed so generously to alleviate the distress and hardship caused by drought conditions in Queensland, New South Wales and East Gippsland. The Government records its gratitude to the people for this gesture and particularly to those who organized and contributed to "Operation Goodwill".

Fortunately, Victoria escaped the worst ravages of the drought and milk production for the year was again at record levels. Stock populations also increased and at the 31st March of this year, the number of grazing animals in this State was at the all-time record of 30,437,000 sheep and 3,316,000 cattle. These figures reflect improvements in stock and pasture management as well as the adoption of fodder conservation policies fostered by the Department of Agriculture.

An expansion of the research and extension work in these important aspects of our economy is planned.

Wheat production in 1964-65 was approximately 78 million bushels. This eclipsed the previous record of 76.3 million bushels established in the 1963-64 season.

Rainfall in the cereal districts although late has been satisfactory. The planned area of crop, some 3.3 million acres, has been sown and another high yield is possible if reasonable spring rains are received.

Good progress has been made on the Government's ten year dam construction programme and the Buffalo River Dam, commenced in May, 1964, is nearing completion and will be fully operative in the coming summer. Bellfield Dam in the Grampians will be completed early next year.

Completion of the Devilbend Dam in the Mornington Peninsula will enable the very large summer demand for water in the bayside towns from Dromana to Portsea to be met without the need for restrictions.

During the last financial year sixteen new town water supplies came into operation and the Geelong Waterworks Trust completed the West Barwon Dam which will provide additional water for the rapidly growing Geelong area.

My advisers are aware of the considerable demand which still exists for rural Crown Lands. While having regard to requirements for forests, water supply and other public purposes, the Government will continue to investigate the release of Crown Land which, for various reasons, has not been considered suitable for settlement in the past.

In continuance of the policy of ensuring that home seekers are assisted in every way, building blocks are being made available by the Housing Commission to young couples and to private builders on such terms and conditions as offer a real assistance to a low-income purchaser.

There is a continuing demand for the sale of Housing Commission houses and up to the 30th June last 20,500 houses had been sold.

The Commission has, in recent years, concentrated its metropolitan activity on slum reclamation. In the redevelopment of slum areas special emphasis is placed on the provision of open spaces to ensure that adequate recreational facilities are available for the younger generation.

The number of full-time pupils in all types of State schools this year has for the first time passed the half million mark. The increase in enrolments is being more than matched by the increase in the number of teachers, and staffing ratios to class sizes are improving each year.

Despite our heavy commitments at home, Victoria continues to provide teachers on loan to the Territory of Papua and New Guinea, and to Nauru, and to provide experts on teacher training to Commonwealth States in Africa. Each year groups of educationists from these States come to Australia for special courses and for tours of observation. In this, too, Victoria is doing her full share.

The Victoria Institute of Colleges has been established and the Interim Council is meeting regularly in its work of co-ordinating the work at tertiary level of technical colleges and other non-university tertiary institutions.

Extensions to Monash University are under construction and planning is well advanced for the early buildings at La Trobe University.

Works to meet the needs of education are again foremost in the current building programme, with major new schools in course of construction or to be built at Brunswick, Prahran, Flemington and Bendigo. Science laboratories are being erected at numerous centres.

Other building projects in hand include the erection of new wards and extension of existing buildings for the Mental Health Authority, a proposed new Civil and Criminal Court building, a Fish and Wildlife Research Institute at Heidelberg, the Institute of Dairy Technology at Werribee and a new office block at the Police Headquarters.

The Government has approved of the building of State Public Offices at Bairnsdale.

Work on the State Public Offices in the Treasury Reserve is proceeding according to programme. A combined laboratory and car-park building to accommodate approximately 200 vehicles will be erected within the same area.

The development of the port at Westernport for the accommodation of tankers of up to 100,000 tons is on schedule.

The demand for electric power continues to increase rapidly and the State Electricity Commission is involved in an immense programme of capital works designed to keep pace with the demand. Along with these major power developments there will naturally be considerable expansion of the main transmission and transformation grid. This will include the construction within the next five years of two 500,000 volt transmission lines between the Hazelwood power station and the metropolitan area.

Work on the second 330,000 volt transmission line linking Victoria's supply system with the Snowy Mountains Hydro-Electric Scheme has now commenced. It is scheduled for completion in 1967.

Over the past twelve months some 4,000 farms were connected to the State electricity supply system.

Railway traffic in the last financial year was a record. Interstate rail traffic was particularly buoyant. The total traffic carried on the Melbourne-Albury standard-gauge line amounted to nearly 1½ million tons, compared with just under one million tons in the first year of operation of the line. On the Melbourne-Adelaide line, it was necessary during the year, to introduce a second daily express freight train to handle the tonnage offering.

That portion of the Princes Gate Project comprising the rearrangement and lowering of Princes Bridge Station and construction of the concrete deck and plaza, will be completed this financial year.

In pursuance of the Government's policy of expanding the electrified rail service as housing development proceeds, the one mile section of line between Lalor and Epping was re-opened and electrified and service to Epping was provided in November, 1964.

Outstanding devotion to duty was displayed by permanent and volunteer fire fighters last summer. They were untiring in their efforts and my Government desires to place on record its appreciation of the valuable services they rendered to the State in a time of emergency.

The Government is currently examining ways and means of providing better equipment and better organizational procedures to improve fire fighting techniques in this State.

A permanent Chairman of the Country Fire Authority has now been appointed.

To reduce the considerable loss of timber sustained in forest fires, the Forests Commission is investigating and implementing modern techniques in forest fire fighting.

Pine plantations will be increased by nearly 6,000 acres this year. These plantations at present provide over 9 per cent. of the total output of saw logs from State Forests.

To combat the heavy toll of the road in Victoria, the State-wide law enforcement drives now being conducted regularly will be intensified.

The new system of "on-the-spot" Traffic Infringement Notices will enable members of the Police Force to devote more time to road traffic duties.

Special road projects to be constructed in both the metropolitan area and on State Highways will also contribute to greater safety in motoring.

Grade separation work at busy level crossings will be continued by the Railways Department in conjunction with the Country Roads Board. Of the four principal projects expected to be completed during the year, three are located in the country and one in the metropolitan area. Work will be commenced or land acquired at seven other crossings during the year.

Whilst the Government is doing its utmost to promote safer motoring it nevertheless acknowledges that fundamentally the solution of the problem of road safety rests with the people themselves; in their attitude towards driving and in their observance of the laws of this Parliament.

The Government is planning to bring the Adoption Act into operation on 15th January, 1966. New regulations have been prepared and training of personnel is proceeding to enable this to be done.

All sections of the *Social Welfare Act* 1960 became operative as from 1st July, 1965. This signifies great progress in the provision of facilities for treatment of youthful offenders in youth training centres.

The Malmsbury Youth Training Centre is under construction and staff and some trainees have moved in.

The expansion of mental health services is continuing. Work will proceed on an early treatment centre at Bendigo; a building at Shepparton has been purchased for the establishment of a Goulburn Valley regional service and additional accommodation at Stawell, Kew Cottages and Janefield is being provided for mentally retarded children.

Treatment facilities for tuberculosis will be extended by the opening of a new Tuberculosis Clinic in Coburg.

Facilities for the training of medical practitioners are being increased. Extensions at the Royal Melbourne Hospital and the Queen Victoria Memorial Hospital will be followed by the provision of lecture rooms and other facilities at Prince Henry's Hospital and the establishment of a medical school at the Austin Hospital.

The hospital needs of country districts are being met by additional building works at various centres.

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

Detailed Estimates of Revenue for the financial year 1965-66 will be presented to you, together with the Supply Bill to make further provision for the Services for the year 1965-66.

Supplementary Estimates for the year 1964-65 will be submitted to you.

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

Legislation covering a wide range of subjects will be submitted for your consideration.

Decimal Currency legislation complementary with that of the Commonwealth and the other States will be presented to provide for the introduction of decimal currency on the 14th February, 1966.

A Bill increasing the membership of the Apprenticeship Commission so as to afford wider representation of the various industrial interests to which apprenticeship is a matter of vital concern will be introduced.

You will be asked to consider amendments to the Motor Car Act to remove the limit of £2,000 under Third Party Insurance contracts in relation to passengers injured by the use of a motor car.

The Government proposes, this session, to begin a comprehensive revision of the Local Government Act. In addition, there will be a Bill incorporating further amendments to the Act to make it a more effective instrument in the expanding field of local government.

The Government intends to submit legislation to authorize the design and construction by a non-profit company, of a crossing over the Yarra River at Spotswood to link the western suburbs with the Melbourne area.

It is proposed to submit a Bill to amend the Melbourne Harbor Trust Act. This Bill will incorporate amendments arising from the recommendations of the Public Accounts Committee report of September, 1964.

The Government will place before you legislation to amend the Police Offences Act by creating a number of separate Acts dealing with the provisions of the present Act.

Other legislation to be submitted will relate to:—

petroleum prices; the activities of commercial agents, debt collectors and business agents; third party insurance; breaches of the Motor Car Act and the Road Traffic Act; appeals under the Town Planning Act; valuation of land; and the naming of places in Victoria.

In leaving you to the consideration of the matters I have outlined and others which will be placed before you I pray that the guidance of Almighty God will attend upon your deliberations.

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

The Legislative Assembly then withdrew.

[Sitting suspended from 2.59 p.m. until 4.53 p.m.]

6. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.

7. RECEPTION OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT BY THE GOVERNOR.—The President reported that, accompanied by Honorable Members, he had presented himself to His Excellency the Governor, who had been pleased to approve of the choice made by the Council, and had addressed him in the following terms:—

MR. PRESIDENT :

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

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 Honorable Members of the Legislative Council in choosing you as their President.

I have every confidence that you will fulfil the duties of that high and important office by holding fast to its age-old traditions and customs.

8. THE LATE HONORABLE SIR GORDON STEWART McARTHUR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That this House place on record its deep regret at the death of the Honorable Sir Gordon Stewart McArthur, one of the Members for the South-Western Province for a period of thirty-four years, a former Minister of the Crown and President of the Legislative Council; its acknowledgment of the dignity, impartiality and wisdom which characterized his occupancy of the high office of President; and its keen appreciation of the long and valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria.

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

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

9. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House, out of respect to the memory of the late Honorable Sir Gordon Stewart McArthur, do now adjourn until to-morrow at Four o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-five minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow at Four o'clock

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

No. 2.

WEDNESDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER OATH TO MEMBERS.—The President announced that he had received from His Excellency the Governor a Commission, which was read by the Clerk, and is as follows:—

By His Excellency Major-General SIR ROHAN DELACOMBE, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

To the Honorable RONALD WILLIAM MACK, M.L.C., President of the Legislative Council 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 Governor 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 Council as have not already taken and subscribed the same to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second since their election to the said Legislative Council.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said State at Melbourne in the said State this (L.S.) 14th day of September, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five, and in the fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY E. BOLTE,

Premier.

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book No. 34, page 75, this fourteenth day of September, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five.

J. V. DILLON, Under-Secretary.

3. PRIVILEGE BILL—JUSTICES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Sections Ninety-four and One hundred and forty-one of the *Justices Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. HOUSE COMMITTEE—The Honorable G. L. Chandler, moved, by leave, That the Honorables D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd be members of the House Committee.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
5. LIBRARY COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, A. J. Hunt, S. Merrifield, and J. M. Walton be members of the Joint Committee to manage the Library.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
6. PRINTING COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President, A. K. Bradbury, W. M. Campbell, T. H. Grigg, H. A. Hewson, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and A. Todd be members of the Printing Committee; three to be the quorum.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
7. STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President, Murray Byrne, Sir Percy Byrnes, J. W. Galbally, W. R. Garrett, F. J. Granter, K. S. Gross, S. Merrifield, and I. A. Swinburne be members of the Select Committee on the Standing Orders of the House; three to be the quorum.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
8. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables M. A. Clarke, R. W. May, G. J. Nicol, G. W. Thom, J. M. Tripovich, and J. M. Walton be members of the Statute Law Revision Committee, and that the said Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

10. DAYS OF BUSINESS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in each week be the days on which the Council shall meet for the despatch of business during the present Session, and that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays be half-past Four o'clock, on Wednesdays Four o'clock, and on Thursdays Eleven o'clock; that on Tuesday and Thursday in each week the transaction of Government business shall take precedence of all other business; that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business; and that no new business be taken after half-past Ten o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

11. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to prohibit the Teaching and Practice of Scientology for Fee or Reward and the Use in relation to such Teaching or Practice of any Apparatus or Device for recording or measuring Personal Reactions Impulses or Characteristics, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
12. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section Forty-six of the *Motor Car Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
13. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Labour and Industry Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
14. TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.—The President laid upon the Table the following Warrant nominating the Temporary Chairmen of Committees:—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

VICTORIA.

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

The Honorable Percy Victor Feltham,
The Honorable Thomas Henry Grigg, and
The Honorable Archibald Todd—

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

Given under my hand this fifteenth day of September, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five.

R. W. MACK,
President of the Legislative Council.

15. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Report of the Board of Inquiry into certain questions arising out of the carrying out of operations under mineral leases on land owned by one Percival Drever of Enfield.
Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—Agricultural Colleges Advisory Committee (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 112/1965).

Agricultural Education Act 1958—Agricultural Education (Cadets in Training) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 128/1965).

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Carpentry and Joinery Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 158/1965).

Apprenticeship (Carpentry and Joinery Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 124/1965).

Apprenticeship (Engineering Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 171/1965).

Apprenticeship (Fibrous Plastering Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 105/1965).

Apprenticeship (Moulding Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 126/1965).

Apprenticeship (Printing Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 89/1965).

Apprenticeship (Silver Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 175/1965).

Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958—Transport (Tow Truck Driver—Consumption of Intoxicating Liquor) Regulation 1965 (S.R. No. 119/1965).

Consumers Protection Act 1964—Consumers Protection (Fees) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 159/1965).

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—

Country Fire Authority (Duties and Conduct of Officers and Employees) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 83/1965).

Country Fire Authority (Groups of Brigades Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 77/1965).

County Court Act 1958—Amendment of County Court Rules 1964 (S.R. No. 79/1965).

Crimes Act 1958—

Criminal Appeal Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 144/1965).

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Report of the Victorian Dried Fruits Board for the year 1964.

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Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958—Accounts and Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Geelong Harbor Trust for the year 1964.

Health Act 1958—

Bedding, Upholstery, Second-hand Clothing, &c. (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 179/1965).

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Labour and Industry (Factories, Shops, Offices and Warehouses) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 176/1965).

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Report of the Department of Labour and Industry for the year 1964.

Land Act 1958—

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Report of the Department of Crown Lands and Survey for the year 1963-1964.

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

Lands Compensation Act 1958—Return under section 37 showing particulars of purchases and sales of land and the creation of easements by the State Electricity Commission for the year 1964-65.

Land Surveyors Act 1958—Land Surveyors (Amending) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 135/1965).

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Local Government (Subdivisional Fees) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 163/1965).

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Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board (Egg Grades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 136/1965).

Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board (Egg Quality) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 173/1965).

Marketing Boards (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 110/1965).

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Melbourne Harbor Trust (Amendment of Special Berth Charges) Regulations No. 61 (S.R. No. 82/1965).

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Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 74/1965).

Mental Health (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 134/1965).

Mental Health (Salary Revision) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 156/1965).

Report of the Mental Health Authority for the year 1963.

Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—

Dairy Produce (Further Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 127/1965).

Dairy Produce Board (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 113/1965).

Milk Board Act 1958—Statements and accounts of the Milk Board for the year 1964-65 (four papers).

Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—

Milk Pasteurization Committee (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 111/1965).

Regulations prescribing portions of the Shires of Bacchus Marsh and Lillydale as Districts (S.R. Nos. 141 and 177/1965) (two papers).

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Motor Car (Affixing of Registration Labels) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 130/1965).

Motor Car (Equipment No. 1) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 160/1965).

Motor Car (Fees) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 95/1965).

Motor Car (Third Party Insurance) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 146/1965).

Motor Car (Transfer and Roadworthiness Testing Fees) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 161/1965).

National Parks Act 1958—National Park (Mileage Allowances Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 123/1965).

- Petrol Pumps Act 1958—Petrol Pumps Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 88/1965).
- Poisons Act 1962—
 Proclamations amending certain Schedules to the Act (four papers).
 Special Poisons (Prohibition) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 106/1965).
- Police Regulation Act 1958—Determinations Nos. 116 and 117 of the Police Service Board (two papers).
- Public Service Act 1958—
 Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations No. 30 (S.R. No. 147/1965).
 Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
 Part III.—Promotions and Transfers (two papers).
 Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (thirty-three papers).
 Part V.—Allowances.
 Part VI.—Travelling and other Expenses (three papers).
 Part X.—Leave of Absence (three papers).
 Report of the Public Service Board for the year 1964–65.
- Railways Act 1958—
 Reports of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarters ended 31st March and 30th June, 1965 (two papers).
 Statement of equipment or materials which the Commissioners intend to remove from railways closed to traffic.
- Road Traffic Act 1958—
 Road Traffic (Clearways) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 96/1965).
 Road Traffic (Marked Lanes) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 145/1965).
 Road Traffic (Portable Lamps Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 117/1965).
 Road Traffic (Sale of Newspapers) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 109/1965).
 Road Traffic (Traffic Infringements) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 152/1965).
- Sale of Land Act 1962—Sale of Land Act (Amendment) Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 168/1965).
- Seeds Act 1958—Onion Seed Certification (Extension of Operation) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 149/1965).
- Sheep Owners Protection Act 1961—Sheep Owners Protection (Sheep Carrier's Licence) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 107/1965).
- Social Welfare Act 1960—
 Report of the Social Welfare Department for the year 1963–64.
 Social Welfare (Cadetships) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 169/1965).
 Social Welfare (Trainees Rates) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 116/1965).
- Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act 1958—Soil Conservation (Notices and Appeals) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 148/1965).
- Stamps Act 1958—
 Stamps (Cheques) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 102/1965).
 Stamps (Mortgage) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 71/1965).
- State Electricity Commission Act 1958—State Electricity Commission Wiring (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 101/1965).
- Superannuation Act 1958—Reports of the State Superannuation Board for the years 1961–62, 1962–63 and 1963–64 (three papers).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—
 Supreme Court (Amendment) Rules 1965 Nos. 2 and 3 (S.R. Nos. 93 and 138/1965) (two papers).
 Supreme Court (Probate and Administration) Rules 1965 No. 2 (S.R. No. 133/1965).
- Teaching Service Act 1958—
 Education Department Regulations 1962 (Amendment No. 5) (S.R. No. 81/1965).
 Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (three papers).
 Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations (three papers).
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 Planning Schemes—
 City of Broadmeadows Planning Scheme—Amendment No. 13, 1964.
 City of Brunswick Planning Scheme 1956—Amendment No. 10, 1964.
 City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendments No. 3, 1961, No. 14, 1964, and No. 21, 1965 (three papers).
 City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme 1952—Amendments Nos. 11 and 16, 1964 (two papers).
 Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendments No. 3, 1963 (City of Geelong West), No. 2, 1964 (City of Geelong), No. 2, 1964 (City of Newtown and Chilwell) and No. 6, 1964 (Shire of Corio) (four papers).
 Moe–Newborough Planning Schemes 1951—Amendment No. 6, 1964.
 Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955—Amendment No. 4, 1964 (Shire of Barrabool).
 Warragul Planning Scheme 1954—Amendments No. 5, 1963, and No. 6, 1964 (two papers).
 Town and Country Planning Board (Staff) Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 3 (S.R. No. 90/1965).

University Act 1958—University of Melbourne—

Report for the year 1964.

Statutes and Regulations and Amendments allowed by His Excellency the Governor, Nos. 691 to 699, inclusive (nine papers).

Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Mileage Allowance) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 114/1965).

Zoological Gardens Act 1936—Zoological Gardens Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 165/1965).

16. SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The President reported the Speech of His Excellency the Governor on the Opening of Parliament.

The Honorable B. D. Snider moved, That the Council agree to the following Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech :—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY—

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

Debate ensued.

The Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes, for the Honorable A. R. Mansell, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

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

17. PETROLEUM PRODUCTS SUBSIDY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to subsidize the Distribution of certain Petroleum Products in certain Country Areas*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave and after debate, was read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

18. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
 - (a) Who are the members of the Decentralization Advisory Committee, what remuneration is provided for each member, when were they appointed, and for what period.
 - (b) How many meetings have been held to date, and when and where were they held.
 - (c) Has the Committee power to initiate its own inquiries or surveys and make recommendations; if so, will copies of evidence collected and recommendations made to the Government be made available to other Members of Parliament upon request, following consideration by Cabinet.
2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) When did taxi and hire car operators make application for an increase in fares.
 - (b) When did the Transport Regulation Board make its decision with regard to this application.
 - (c) Why has the decision not been made public and acted upon.
3. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the strength and composition of the Victoria Police company squad.
 - (b) How many of its members have legal or accountancy qualifications.
4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) When will the Government call for applications for the post of Chief Librarian at the State Library.
 - (b) What salary will be offered.
 - (c) What was the turnover in staff of the Library over the last five years.
 - (d) How many positions are unfilled.
5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it the intention of the Totalizator Agency Board to establish an agency at Burnley; if so, when, and at what location.
6. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What were the first and second class rail fares, respectively, charged to passengers between Chewton and Melbourne in each of the years from 1960 to date.
 - (b) How many passengers travelled by the morning and evening trains to and from Melbourne in respect of each class during each such year.
 - (c) What is the service offered today to passengers desiring to travel from Chewton to Melbourne and vice versa.
 - (d) When did the present reduced service come into operation.
 - (e) What was the revenue obtained from inwards and outwards goods traffic during each of the years from 1960 to date.
7. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What quantity of water will be available yearly from the proposed Nillahcootie storage—(i) for stock, domestic and town supply; and (ii) for irrigation in the Broken Valley.
 - (b) Will the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission adopt the recommendation of the Public Works Committee as to the use of the proposed Broken Valley area for irrigation purposes.
 - (c) For what period of the year is it proposed to release water for irrigation purposes, and on what basis.
 - (d) Will creeks be used to distribute irrigation water throughout the Broken Valley; if so, which creeks; if not, by what means will distribution be made.

8. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Is the Government aware that, through the implementation of automation, increasing numbers of workers are becoming almost unemployable.
 - What steps has the Government taken in the field of vocational re-education similar to that being practised in England and the United States of America.
9. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many prisoners are engaged in work outside prisons in Gippsland, and what is the nature of such employment.
 - How many prisoners in such areas are serving sentences of five years or more.
 - Are such prisoners regarded as minimum security risks.
 - What terms of imprisonment were being served by prisoners who escaped recently from the Sale area, and were such prisoners regarded as minimum security risks.
10. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many police stations were—(i) built; and (ii) rebuilt or reconstructed, during each of the periods 1st July, 1964, to 30th June, 1965, and 1st July, 1965, to date.
 - At what locations did the work take place, and what was the cost involved in each case.
 - What police personnel is stationed at each of the afore-mentioned police stations, and what are their respective ranks.
11. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Has the Victorian Tobacco Marketing Board allocated quotas to Victorian tobacco growers.
 - Do these quotas attach to the grower as an individual or do they attach to the grower's land.
 - Is a grower able to retain his quota if he sells a tobacco farm for dairying, &c., purposes and buys a new farm on which he intends to grow tobacco.
12. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What was the cause of the structural failure of the Sunshine court house.
 - When was this court house built and occupied.
 - What is the estimated cost of the repairs to the court house.
 - When will the repairs be completed.
13. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many psychiatric social workers are employed by the Health Department.
 - At what hospitals or other institutions are they employed.
 - How many positions, if any, are unfilled.
14. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What extensions to the Rochester High School have been approved.
 - When will these extensions be—(i) started; and (ii) finished.
15. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What is the value per week of a bursary paid to a kindergarten teacher-trainee.
 - Does the Government consider that this pay is sufficient to recruit enough trainees.
 - How many positions are unfilled by trained kindergarten teachers.
 - How does the Government intend to meet the increasing demand for trained teachers in the next decade.
16. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Have any professional officers resigned from the Department of Agriculture during the year 1964-65; if so, what were their respective classifications at the time of resignation, and what reason was stated in each case.
17. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What are the names of the irrigators situated between the Rochester and Dingee Irrigation Districts who have received sales water from the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission during the last five irrigation seasons.
 - What were the individual sales to these irrigators during these seasons.
 - Will the Minister of Water Supply give favourable consideration to granting these irrigators water rights.
18. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it a fact that work carried out at Nos. 1, 2, and 3 Docks, Victoria Dock, has had to be done again; if so—(i) why; and (ii) what will be the cost of this work.

19. The Hon. J. W. GALBALLY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Government appointed a Commissioner to investigate certain aspects of workers compensation; if so—(i) when; (ii) will the Government make available the terms of reference; and (iii) will the Government make available any recommendations which have been received.
20. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When is the Government's scheduled date for construction commencement of the projected Richmond High School.
21. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) On what date was the *Juries (Women Jurors) Act* 1964 passed.
 (b) Has it been proclaimed; if not, what has caused the delay.
22. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it proposed to clover leaf the approaches to Shepherd's Bridge on the western side; if so, when will such work be carried out.
23. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—How many applications for loans for the establishment of pine plantations on farm properties were received during the period 1st July, 1964 to 30th June, 1965, how many were granted, what was the total amount of the loans involved, and how many trees were planted as the result of such loans.
24. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) When was the Consumers Protection Council established, how was the representation arranged, and who are the respective appointees.
 (b) What is the duration of each appointment and at what remuneration.
 (c) Does the Council have power—(i) to initiate its own inquiries; (ii) to investigate written or oral complaints; and (iii) to meet at regular intervals.
 (d) How many meetings have been held to date, and with what result.
 (e) Will the Council submit annual reports to Parliament.
25. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) When will work commence on the third railway track at Newport railway station.
 (b) Will the Minister provide plans of this project, so that the Williamstown City Council can determine how land involved affects road re-making now in progress.
26. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will the Minister lay on the table of the Library the file in connexion with the sale of the Colac abattoirs.
27. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many applications have been received by the Housing Commission for the purchase of homes under purchase-lease agreement during the year 1964-65, how many have been finalized, and at what locations.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence):—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. R. Mansell).*

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION:—

1. The Hon. L. H. S. THOMPSON: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Forests Act* 1958.
2. The Hon. L. H. S. THOMPSON: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Patriotic Funds Act* 1958 and for other purposes.
3. The Hon. V. O. DICKIE: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Gas Regulation Act* 1958 and for other purposes.
4. The Hon. R. J. HAMER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to re-enact Part II. of the *Local Government Act* 1958 and for other purposes.
5. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give effect to an Arrangement between the Minister of Primary Industry of the Commonwealth and the Minister of Agriculture of the State of Victoria with respect to the Collection of Poultry Levy in the said State, to empower the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board to take all necessary steps to carry out the Arrangement, and for other purposes.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. JUSTICES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

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

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
2. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 3.

TUESDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Petroleum Products Subsidy Act.
3. FLINDERS-LANE ALIGNMENTS BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make provision with respect to Alignments and proposed Alignments of Flinders-lane between Spencer-street and William-street in the City of Melbourne, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Footwear Manufacturing Industry Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 180/1965).
Poisons Act 1962—Proclamation amending certain Schedules to the Act.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
Part II.—Appointments to the Public Service.
Part V.—Allowances.
Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).
Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations.
5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
6. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Forests Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Patriotic Funds Act* 1958 and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
8. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Gas Regulation Act* 1958 and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
9. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to re-enact Part II. of the *Local Government Act* 1958 and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

10. POULTRY LEVY (COLLECTION ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give effect to an Arrangement between the Minister of Primary Industry of the Commonwealth and the Minister of Agriculture of the State of Victoria with respect to the Collection of Poultry Levy in the said State, to empower the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board to take all necessary steps to carry out the Arrangement, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
11. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. JUSTICES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. FLINDERS-LANE ALIGNMENTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. POULTRY LEVY (COLLECTION ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Valuation of Land Act 1960*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
16. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL.—The Order of the day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, the 5th October next.
17. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 12 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable G. W. Thom moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
18. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many people were employed by the Apprenticeship Commission in each respective classification or grade during each of the periods from 1st July, 1964, to 30th June, 1965, and from 1st July, 1965, to date.
 - What amount of subsidy was paid to country apprentices for travel and expenses during each such period.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Were the annual and extraordinary elections for the East Riding of the Werrabee Shire on Thursday, 20th August, 1965, held in conformity with the *Local Government Act 1958*; if not—(i) who authorized the elections to be conducted; (ii) what action does the Minister propose to correct the position; and (iii) are the councillors who have been sworn in legally entitled to sit as such.
- *3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Who are the members of the Old People's Welfare Council.
 - What full-time staff does the Council employ, and what are the qualifications of each member of the staff.
 - What research has been undertaken by the Council in the past five years.
 - What research papers have been compiled and published by the Council.
- *4. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE; To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many prosecutions have been launched during the past three years against sheep owners under the *Stock Diseases Act 1958*, Part IV., for having sheep infected with foot rot in saleyards and on properties, respectively, and how many such prosecutions were successful.
 - In what areas of the State were such prosecutions.
 - Where any prosecutions have been made how many properties of such persons have been inspected.
 - How many orders have been issued by the Chief Inspector of Stock during the past three years to treat sheep affected by foot rot.
 - How many appeals against such orders have been lodged with the Minister, and have been allowed.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—When does the Housing Commission intend to commence the erection of Darby and Joan and lone-person units, respectively, in Murphy-street, Richmond.
- *6. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- In spite of the fact that there is a larger number of positions vacant in Victoria and most other States than positions wanted, is the Government aware that an alarmingly high percentage of semi-skilled and unskilled job seekers is, through automation and semi-automation, becoming almost unemployable; if so, what steps is it taking to subsidize and underwrite vocational re-education for Victorian workers in industrial undertakings, trade and technical colleges, similar to that being practised in England and the United States of America.
 - When may we expect a report and survey by the Department of Labour and Industry on automation to be made available to industry, workers, and the Trade Union movement.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *7. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Minister of Education lay on the table of the Library all files relating to the Neerim South High School.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Owing to the structural failure of the Sunshine court house, has any inspection been carried out by the Public Works Department on the Sunshine police station to see if this building is structurally safe.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 (a) How many applications have been received and dealt with by the Home Ownership Advisory Bureau during each of the months from October, 1964, to date.
 (b) Where is the Bureau now situated, and what staff is employed.
- *10. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 (a) What is the total allocation of housing units in Victoria for the financial year 1965–66.
 (b) How many are allocated within the metropolitan area, giving details of each estate.
 (c) How many are allocated to country areas, giving details of each estate.
- *11. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—How many dwellings will be demolished in Jolimont for the Government's proposed ring road.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Have any complaints been received concerning delay in the finalization of payments for work carried out on police premises during the past twelve months.
- *13. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) How many fishermen held licences to fish in Port Phillip Bay in the years 1963, 1964, and 1965, respectively.
 (b) In the last twelve months, how many fishermen have been refused renewal of licences to fish in Port Phillip Bay and for what reasons have they been refused.
- *14. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What is the present authorized strength of the Victoria Police Force, and what is the actual strength.
- *15. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—Are prisoners of the Crown still being used in re-forestation work; if so—(i) how many; (ii) what remuneration is now paid to them; (iii) at what locations are they employed; and (iv) what total amount of re-forestation work has been completed in each of the financial years 1963–64 and 1964–65.
- *16. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What railway stations are still unmanned in the metropolitan area and at what times are they left unmanned.
- *17. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) What facilities are there for the treatment of alcoholism in Victoria.
 (b) Do any hospitals contemplate a separate unit for the treatment of alcoholism; if so, what hospitals and what staff is involved.
- *18. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) Has a special committee been set up to examine police widows' pensions; if so—(i) who are the members of the committee; (ii) when was it set up; (iii) when did it hold its first meeting, and how many meetings have been held to date; and (iv) has it finalized its report.
 (b) How many widows were receiving pensions under the police pensions scheme as at 15th August, 1962, as at 8th December, 1964, and at present, and what rates of pension are being paid.
- *19. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many applications for homes were held by the Housing Commission at 31st August, 1965.
- *20. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) How many resignations have been received from personnel of the Victoria Police Force in each of the months from July, 1964, to date.
 (b) How many of these were from personnel with less than twelve months service, and what were the reasons offered.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence):—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom).*

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. R. J. HAMER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Three of *The Metropolitan Transportation Committee Act 1963*.
- *2. The Hon. R. J. HAMER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Motor Car Act 1958* to facilitate Proof of the Speed of Motor Cars as determined by the Use of Portable Speed-measuring Devices.
- *3. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to make Provision with respect to the Supply of Electricity in Victoria by Local Government Authorities and other Corporate Bodies in New South Wales and South Australia.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *2. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
- *3. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
- *4. POULTRY LEVY (COLLECTION ARRANGEMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
- *5. FLINDERS-LANE ALIGNMENTS BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
- *6. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
- *7. JUSTICES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

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

TUESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

- 1. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)*.

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 3.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What load limit is there on vehicles using Kings Bridge.
 - When was such limit placed on vehicles.
 - What is the reason for the limit.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Government considered the opinion of the Legislative Council as expressed by its Resolution of 19th May, 1965, that the proposals contained in the Glenroy to Tullamarine Railway Construction Bill should be referred to the Public Works Committee for consideration and report; if so, with what result.
- *3. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many applications were received for appointment as a Justice of the Peace in the Melbourne Province during each of the years 1963 and 1964, and to date in 1965.
 - How many applicants were appointed in each of those years and in what Legislative Assembly District.
- *4. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Does the Government agree with the statements by Senator Gorton to the effect that “there was no education crisis in Australia” and “It was not enough for every student who passed matriculation at any level to gain entry to a university. I do not think we will ever reach that stage”; if so, will such determine the formulation of Government policy.
- *5. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many properties are affected by the first stage of the construction of Lake Buffalo.
 - How many owners of such properties have received final settlement for compensation, and how many have yet to receive settlement.
 - How many properties will be affected by the second stage of the construction of Lake Buffalo.
 - How many owners of such properties have received final settlement for compensation, how many have lodged claims which have not yet been settled, and how many have not yet lodged claims.
- *6. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What secondary schools have received Government grants towards assembly halls.
 - What secondary schools have had their applications approved.
 - What secondary schools have not yet taken advantage of this subsidy scheme.
- *7. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Country Fire Authority authorized the sale of certain motor fire units; if so—(i) are such units being sold because of obsolescence or for what cause; (ii) what is the age of such units, and how many are involved; and (iii) what conditions (if any) apply to their sale or purchase.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Do the oil companies' vehicles which deliver heating fuel to residences have to comply with the same weights and measures regulations as those imposed upon the vehicle selling petrol on Geelong-road; if not, why are they free from these regulations.

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- *9. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Has a municipal council any legal power to require the Victorian Railways Commissioners to carry out works on or across municipal streets or roads in a particular manner.
 - Can a council require the Commissioners to submit appropriate plans or consult with the council before proceeding with such works.
 - If the answer to either of parts (a) or (b) of this question is in the negative, will the Minister consider an amendment to section 79 of the *Railways Act* 1958 in order to protect council streets and roads against unilateral action by the Commissioners.
- *10. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What matters are to be referred to the Consumers Protection Council for investigation.
 - In what ways will this Council protect consumers from the habit of manufacturers of printing "money off" statements on pre-packaged goods.
 - What steps will be taken to prevent fraudulent labelling of packages.
 - If neither of these matters is being investigated, why not.
- *11. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Has the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission finally decided the exact location of the dam on the Tarago River at Neerim South, if so, how many farms will have to be acquired, and how many will be completely under water.
 - Will the whole property be acquired where it is to be only partially under water.
 - When will the landholders be notified officially of the decision to acquire their land.
 - Will compensation be paid immediately after acceptance of the valuation by both parties; if not, when.
 - When does the Commission expect the construction to commence.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Have any lenders of money for private home construction made application for and been granted Government guarantees in order to make high-percentage loans of up to 95 per cent in each of the years from 1960 to date; if so—(i) who were the applicants; and (ii) what was the total guarantee sought by, granted to, and ultimately taken up by each.
- *13. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—How many separate municipal authorities have control over the street parking of motor vehicles within a radius of three miles of the post office at the corner of Elizabeth and Bourke streets, Melbourne.
- *14. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—What are the names, locations, and dates of approval of industries declared to be decentralized industries under the *Commercial Goods Vehicles Act* 1958 since 24th November, 1964, to date, and which of these industries have been established at their present location since 1st January, 1960, with the help or assistance of the Division of State Development.
- *15. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—By what method is it intended to register Justices of the Peace.
- *16. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Minister of Public Works lay on the table of the Library all files relating to the footbridge linking the Esplanade, Princes Highway, with the ocean over Cunninghame Arm, together with proposals for its replacement.
- *17. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- When is it proposed to build the police station at North Altona.
 - Will it be a central station.
- *18. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many free library service groups were established from 1st July, 1963, to 30th June, 1965, and what amount of subsidy was allocated during that period.
- *19. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many university cadetships were granted by the Department of Agriculture in the years 1964 and 1965, respectively.
 - Are the cadetships subject to any bond or agreement; if so, what are the terms and for how long do they operate.
 - Can the bond be broken or bought out during the period of its operation; if so, in how many instances has this taken place during each of these years.
 - In what year will the first batch of graduates from the Veterinary College become available, and what is the number expected to graduate in each of the first five years.

*20. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

- (a) In each of the past five years how many Housing Commission homes or flats have been—
 - (i) publicly offered by the Minister; and/or (ii) allocated at his direction to necessitous families and/or families in urgent need, following publicity of their plights in the Melbourne daily press.
- (b) Have any of the people concerned made previous requests or application to the Commission for accommodation, and been rejected by the Commission's officers.
- (c) Is it part of Government policy that such cases featured in the daily press shall receive extra or special consideration by the Minister over those equally in need but unable to secure newspaper publicity.

*21. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Are any books of reference or advice issued to Justices of the Peace on or after their appointment to assist them to become acquainted with and to efficiently carry out the responsibilities of their appointment; if not, would the Government consider the provision of such information to Justices on registration under the *Justices (Registration) Act 1965*.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence):—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
3. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.
- *4. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- *5. WRONGS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER (INTERSTATE SUPPLIES) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *3. ACTS INTERPRETATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *4. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *5. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (SURVIVING ACTIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *6. MINES (REGULATIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
7. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *8. MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
9. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
11. POULTRY LEVY (COLLECTION ARRANGEMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
12. FLINDERS-LANE ALIGNMENTS BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
13. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
14. JUSTICES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.

10. **WRONGS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Wrongs Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
11. **STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Firearms (Amendment) Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
12. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
Electoral Provinces and Districts Act 1965—Report by the Commissioners appointed for the purpose of the proposed redivision of the “southern area” into Electoral Provinces for the Legislative Council and of the whole of Victoria into Electoral Districts for the Legislative Assembly, together with maps.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (three papers).
Part V.—Allowances.
13. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
14. **METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section Three of *The Metropolitan Transportation Committee Act* 1963, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
15. **MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL.**—On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Motor Car Act* 1958 to facilitate Proof of the Speed of Motor Cars as determined by the Use of Portable Speed-measuring Devices, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
16. **ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER (INTERSTATE SUPPLIES) BILL.**—On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make Provision with respect to the Supply of Electricity in Victoria by Local Government Authorities and other Corporate Bodies in New South Wales and South Australia, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
17. **CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

And then the Council, at forty-three minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **VETERINARY SURGEONS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to further amend the *Veterinary Surgeons Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

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

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—

Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 48) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 186/1965).

Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 49) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 185/1965).

Grain Elevators Act 1958—Report of the Grain Elevators Board, together with balance-sheet and statements of accounts, for the year ended 31st October, 1964 (four papers)

Justices Act 1958—Justices Act Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 183/1965).

Liquified Petroleum Gas Act 1958—Liquified Petroleum Gas (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 181/1965).

Poisons Act 1962—Poisons (Organic Phosphonates) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 184/1965).

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

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Town and Country Planning Board (Staff) Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 4 (S.R. No. 182/1965).

4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—

Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.

Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next day of meeting.

5. METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

6. ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER (INTERSTATE SUPPLIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

8. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

9. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (SURVIVING ACTIONS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 9 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

12. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable S. Merrifield, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 13th October next.
13. POULTRY LEVY (COLLECTION ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
14. VETERINARY SURGEONS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. M. Tripovich, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
15. FLINDERS-LANE ALIGNMENTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 13, be postponed until later this day.
17. JUSTICES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
18. MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Has a municipal council any legal power to require the Victorian Railways Commissioners to carry out works on or across municipal streets or roads in a particular manner.
 - (b) Can a council require the Commissioners to submit appropriate plans or consult with the council before proceeding with such works.
 - (c) If the answer to either of parts (a) or (b) of this question is in the negative, will the Minister consider an amendment to section 79 of the *Railways Act* 1958 in order to protect council streets and roads against unilateral action by the Commissioners.

- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—As the following resolution regarding the Glenroy to Tullamarine Railway Construction Bill namely “ That in the opinion of this House the proposals contained in this Bill should be referred to the Public Works Committee for consideration and report ” was carried in the Legislative Council on division on 19th May, 1965 (see *Hansard*, page 4364), has the Government considered this expressed opinion and, if so, with what result.

- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What load limit restrictions were there on traffic using Kings Bridge prior to its failure.

- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many high and technical schools, respectively, send in annual requisition forms for standard equipment for the teaching of science.
 - (b) How many requested items are disapproved or not supplied by the stores branch.
 - (c) On what principles are items—(i) disapproved ; or (ii) not supplied, by the Education Department to these schools.

- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—Is any distinction made by the Commonwealth Government in the payment of Commonwealth pensions to the inmates of Victorian benevolent homes and Victorian mental hospitals, respectively ; if so—(i) has the attention of the Commonwealth Government been drawn to this matter ; (ii) what reason does it offer for its action ; and (iii) what extra revenue would result to the Mental Hygiene Branch of the Department of Health if the distinction was removed.

- *6. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—What action does the Government intend to take to supply more doctors to relieve the acute shortage in Victorian country towns and districts.

- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Did a Mr. H. Jackson of Murtoa perform any contract electrical work during 1963 at the Murtoa police station, the Rainbow police station and court house, and the Glenorchy police station ; if so—(i) was the work performed satisfactorily ; (ii) what was the amount involved in each contract ; and (iii) has Mr. Jackson been paid, and if not, why.
 - (b) Has Mr. Jackson tendered for any further similar work in the area during the years 1964 and 1965.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *8. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—As Neerim South High School is a new school which was opened on 24th September last, will the Honorable the Minister lay on the table of the Library all files relating to its establishment.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Have any veterinary diagnostic centres been established in grazing or dairying districts since 1st July, 1964; if so, at what locations.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence):—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom).*

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
2. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
3. METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
4. ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER (INTERSTATE SUPPLIES) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
5. ACTS INTERPRETATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).*
6. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
7. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (SURVIVING ACTIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*
8. MINES (REGULATIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).*
9. MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*
10. POULTRY LEVY (COLLECTION ARRANGEMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—To be further considered in Committee.
11. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).*

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

- *1. The Hon. P. V. FELTHAM: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Indecent Publications.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).*
2. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.
5. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
6. WRONGS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

- *1. VETERINARY SURGEONS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—
Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, on 30th September last, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Consolidated Revenue Act.
3. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Tomato Processing Industry (Uniform Agreement) Act 1964*, and for purposes connected therewith, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Scientology—Report of Board of Inquiry.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Explosives Act 1960—Explosives (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 188/1965).
Justices Act 1958—Justices (Registration) Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 189/1965).
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part V.—Allowances (two papers).
State Savings Bank Act 1958—Statements and Returns of the State Savings Bank for the year 1964–65.
Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulation No. 4 (S.R. No. 187/1965).
5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor and Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until later this day.
6. METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
7. ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER (INTERSTATE SUPPLIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 6, be postponed until later this day.

10. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (SURVIVING ACTIONS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9, be postponed until later this day.

13. POULTRY LEVY (COLLECTION ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

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

15. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

16. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address, see page 12 *ante*), having been read—Debate resumed.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

17. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

18. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable P. V. Feltham, leave was given to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Indecent Publications, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Wednesday, the 13th instant.

19. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

L. G. McDONALD,
Clerk of Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 5.

TUESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) On what date is it proposed to call tenders for construction of the new high school in the Pines Forest Estate at Frankston.
 - (b) Is it the intention of the Government to open this school in February, 1966; if so—(i) on what site will it open; (ii) is it proposed to open it in temporary accommodation; (iii) what sort of temporary accommodation (if any) will be used; and (iv) how many children will be affected by these arrangements.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Have any alterations been made recently and confirmed by the Government affecting the route of the first section of the Tullamarine freeway; if so, what are the details of such alterations and what properties have been released from, or brought into the ambit of the plan.
 - (b) Will there be any traffic exit from the freeway at Dean-street, Moonee Ponds.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) In view of the school population growth in the North Altona area what provision has been made by the Education Department for—(i) further primary schools; and (ii) secondary schools.
 - (b) When is it proposed to build these schools.
- *4. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) Under which Act of Parliament were bailiwicks constituted in Victoria.
 - (b) What are the boundaries of these bailiwicks.
 - (c) What purposes do bailiwicks now serve.
 - (d) Will the Government consider abolishing bailiwicks.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) How many applications were received for appointment as a Justice of the Peace in the Legislative Assembly Districts of Fitzroy, Richmond, and Melbourne, respectively, during each of the years 1963, 1964, and 1965 (to date).
 - (b) How many applicants were appointed in each of those years in respect of each District.
- *6. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) Is the Minister of Water Supply aware that water from the Cairn Curran Reservoir and Loddon River is to be diverted to the Murray system to supply the South Australian irrigation system; if so, why is water to be taken from this area when most farms require extra water.
 - (b) Will irrigators on the Loddon irrigation system be allowed to retain the full supply they are at present receiving.
- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Have annual reports of the yearly accounts of the State Library been presented to the Government for the years 1959–60 to 1963–64; if so, why have not the 1963–64 Library accounts been presented to Parliament.

* *Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.*

- *8. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- By Government standards, what factors are taken into consideration prior to the erection of a high school.
 - What high schools are scheduled to be built during the next twelve months, and what areas will they serve.
 - What will be the estimated number of students primarily enrolled at each of these schools.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many veterinary surgeons were registered in Victoria in each of the years from 1960 to date and how many of these are practising within the metropolitan area.
 - How many of these veterinary surgeons were, or are in private practice.
- *10. The Hon. A. J. HUNT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What was the total expenditure (other than capital expenditure and interest on capital) in Victoria in each of the past three years on—(i) university education; and (ii) other tertiary education.
 - During the same periods, what sums towards that total expenditure were met—(i) by the State Government; (ii) by the Federal Government; (iii) from students' fees; (iv) from benefactions; and (v) from other sources.
 - What is the total estimated present capital value of land, buildings and equipment used for the purposes of tertiary education in Victoria.
- *11. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- On what date is it proposed to call tenders for the new junior technical school on the Mornington Peninsula.
 - If it is the intention of the Government to open this school in February, 1966—(i) on what site will it open; (ii) is it proposed to open it in temporary accommodation; and (iii) what sort of temporary accommodation (if any) will be used.
 - What is the actual site of this school.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Has any alteration to the route proposed for the Melbourne ring road been made this year and confirmed by the Government; if so, what are the details of such alteration.
 - What are the details of the present route, and will this be subject to further alterations following the consideration of the findings and report on the traffic survey now being taken; if so—(i) why were the recent alterations undertaken and confirmed; (ii) will properties affected by the new route be acquired in the meantime; and (iii) will properties previously acquired but not now required be sold.
 - When is it anticipated that the ring road will be completed, and what is the anticipated number of motor vehicle registrations as at that date.
- *13. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has a definite plan for the completion of the second stage of the South-Eastern freeway been approved; if so, what is the total estimated cost, and the terminal point of the second stage.
- *14. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—During the years 1963-64, and 1964-65, respectively—(i) how many Housing Commission homes and flats were completed and available for allocation to applicants with families; (ii) how many homes and flats previously tenanted by applicants with families were vacated and re-allocated; (iii) how many such units were re-allocated for rental, and how many were sold; and (iv) how many housing units are let on a rental basis within the metropolitan area, including estates within a 25-mile radius of the G.P.O., Melbourne, and in the rest of the State, respectively.
- *15. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Minister of Water Supply made a decision, promised to the Kyneton Shire Waterworks Trust by 30th September, 1965, as to whether Kyneton is to receive surface or underground water; if so, has the Trust been given authority to proceed.
- *16. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What is the name of the manufacturer of the portable speed-measuring device known as the amphotometer.
 - How many cases are pending as the result of excessive automobile speed detected by the amphotometer.
 - Does the amphotometer automatically cancel a speed reading or must it be manually adjusted before the next reading can be registered.
- *17. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Have plans for the Tuaggra-street under-pass or over-pass at Maryborough been finalized; if so—(i) will these plans be forwarded to the Council without delay; and (ii) has a commencement date been fixed.

*18. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—

- (a) When was work commenced on the Maribyrnong-road-Raleigh-street bridge over the Maribyrnong River at Ascot Vale.
- (b) What work has been completed to date, and when is it anticipated the bridge will be open for traffic.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence):—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. K. Bradbury).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
2. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
3. VETERINARY SURGEONS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
4. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
5. MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *6. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

- *1. The Hon. J. W. GALBALLY: To move, That the Legislative Council disapprove the redivision of the "southern area" into Electoral Provinces for the Legislative Council and of the whole of Victoria into Electoral Districts for the Legislative Assembly as proposed by the Commissioners appointed under the *Electoral Provinces and Districts Act 1965* in their Report and Maps laid before both Houses of Parliament on the 28th day of September, 1965.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).
2. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.
5. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
6. WRONGS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

- *1. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 6.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What area of the Yallourn township is to be utilized for the extraction of brown coal, and what are the boundaries of such area.
 - What repairs are being effected to the Yallourn Technical School, and what is the cost of such repairs.
 - What further repairs, additions or alterations are envisaged in respect of this building.
 - Is it intended to occupy the whole of the building; if so, for what purpose; if not, why.
- *2. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- When will the new court house at Elmore be opened.
 - When will a new police station be built at Elmore.
- *3. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many teachers are employed by the Education Department in the Morwell township area in each branch of the service.
 - How many teachers houses and flats are owned by the Department in the area.
 - Does the Department own any hostels in the area; if so, what accommodation do they provide.
 - How many Housing Commission houses are set aside for the use of Education Department teachers in Morwell.
 - How many building blocks does the Department own in the Morwell area, and where is each located.
 - How many residences and flats does the Department propose to build in the area in each of the next two financial years.
- *4. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- In what saleyards in Gippsland did an officer of the R.S.P.C.A. recently shoot calves.
 - How were the bodies in each case dealt with after the shooting.
 - What is the name of the officer, what is his private address, and is he a veterinary surgeon.
 - Has the officer the power to shoot calves in the pens at saleyards; if so, under which Act and which section of the Act is he so authorized.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Under what rule or regulation are school committees, advisory councils, canteen committees and/or other similar voluntary bodies permitted to—(i) call tenders, sign and complete contracts for work to be done at State schools; (ii) administer canteens at State schools and/or employ labour to conduct such canteens; and (iii) conduct any other form of service to benefit scholars at a fee or charge or conduct fund-raising activities on behalf of the school.
 - Are the office bearers and/or members of such committees in carrying out any or all of the duties associated with the aforementioned activities deemed to be acting as agents of the Education Department; if not, what legal protection is made available to them in the event of any legal action arising out of the carrying out of their duties.
 - What amounts of money were raised and spent during the year 1964-65 as the result of the work of such committees at Glenroy High School, Glenroy Technical School, Glenroy State School, Essendon High School, Essendon Technical School, and Essendon State School, respectively.
 - Does the Department keep any record of the amounts of money raised by various voluntary bodies such as the committees mentioned; if so, what total amounts of money have been raised in each of the years from 1960 to date.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Honorable the Premier obtained a report from the Commissioners of the State Savings Bank on the proposition that the bank should continue to carry insurance on houses financed by the bank after repayments have been completed; if so, has he considered the report and will he now make a statement.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Are any plans current or in the process of development involving the removal of the railway gates at Puckle-street, Moonee Ponds; if so, what work is proposed and has any priority been allotted.
 - Has any priority been allotted to the scheme proposed by the Abolition of Level Crossings Committee to eliminate the level crossing at Buckley-street, Essendon, by means of a road underpass; if not, why.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence):—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. W. M. Campbell).

General Business.

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1. The Hon. J. W. GALBALLY: To move, That the Legislative Council disapprove the redivision of the "southern area" into Electoral Provinces for the Legislative Council and of the whole of Victoria into Electoral Districts for the Legislative Assembly as proposed by the Commissioners appointed under the *Electoral Provinces and Districts Act 1965* in their Report and Maps laid before both Houses of Parliament on the 28th day of September, 1965.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

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- SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).
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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- SUPREME COURT (JUDGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BRIGHTON LAND RECLAMATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
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- LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).

TUESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER.

Questions.

1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—On what date is it proposed to call tenders for construction of the new high school in the Pines Forest Estate at Frankston.
2. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What high schools are scheduled to be built during the next twelve months, and what areas will they serve.
 - (b) What will be the estimated number of students primarily enrolled at each of these schools.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 7.

TUESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Acts Interpretation Act.*
 - Administration and Probate (Surviving Actions) Act.*
 - Mines (Regulations) Act.*
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—Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at White Hills, Bendigo.
 - Fisheries Act 1958—Notice of intention to prescribe the minimum legal length of Scallops.
 - Health Act 1958—Labelling of Hazardous Household Substances Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 194/1965).
 - Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works By-law No. 89 relating to Water Supply (S.R. No. 192/1965).
 - Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—Regulations prescribing a portion of the Shire of Kyneton and a portion of the Shire of Whittlesea as Districts (S.R. No. 195/1965).
 - Petroleum Products Subsidy Act 1965—Petroleum Products Subsidy Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 193/1965).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
 - Part II.—Appointments to the Public Service.
 - Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.
 - Part V.—Allowances.
 - Railways Act 1958—Regulations for the Guidance of Employees—Working of Trains, &c. (S.R. No. 196/1965).
 - River Murray Waters Acts—River Murray Waters Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 190/1965).
 - Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Act 1961—Rural Finance and Settlement (Service of Documents) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 191/1965).
4. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 12 *ante*), having been read—
 - Debate resumed.
 - The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Debate ensued.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and negatived.
 - Debate on main question continued.
 - The Honorable W. M. Campbell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Debate ensued.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

5. **ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER (INTERSTATE SUPPLIES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
6. **RACING (TOTALIZATOR PERCENTAGES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Part V. of the ‘ Racing Act 1958 ’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

7. **SUPREME COURT (JUDGES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make Provision for increasing the Number of Judges in the Supreme Court*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

8. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BRIGHTON LAND RECLAMATION) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to validate certain Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the City of Brighton and the Payment into that Fund of certain Fees and Charges received by the Council of the said City, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

And then the Council, at Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

No. 8.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (CHAIRMAN) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Division 1 of Part II. of the ‘ State Electricity Commission Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Cancer Act 1958—Report of the Anti-Cancer Council for the year 1964–65.

4. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.

5. REDIVISION OF VICTORIA INTO ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Legislative Council disapprove the redivision of the "southern area" into Electoral Provinces for the Legislative Council and of the whole of Victoria into Electoral Districts for the Legislative Assembly as proposed by the Commissioners appointed under the *Electoral Provinces and Districts Act 1965* in their Report and Maps laid before both Houses of Parliament on the 28th day of September, 1965.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

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

Noes, 23.

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

And so it passed in the negative.

6. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable P. V. Feltham moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable P. V. Feltham moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
8. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. W. Thom moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 27th instant.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 6 and 7, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
10. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 12 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
11. SUPREME COURT (JUDGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

12. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
13. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BRIGHTON LAND RECLAMATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
14. RACING (TOTALIZATOR PERCENTAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
15. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 12 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. M. Tripovich, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
16. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 7.

TUESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—On what date is it proposed to call tenders for construction of the new high school in the Pines Forest Estate at Frankston.
2. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What high schools are scheduled to be built during the next twelve months, and what areas will they serve.
 - (b) What will be the estimated number of students primarily enrolled at each of these schools.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What is the area defined in the Municipal Directory as Altona North.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the answer given to Question No. 11 in the House on 12th October, 1965, about the opening of a new junior technical school on the Mornington Peninsula—(i) when will a decision be made about the site; (ii) when will a decision be made about the sort of temporary accommodation to be used; and (iii) when will local primary and technical school headmasters be informed of these decisions.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What progress has been made by the Fisheries and Wildlife Department in eradicating European carp from the inland waters of Gippsland.
- *6. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) How many contractors to the Housing Commission have failed to complete their contracts in each of the years from 1962 to 1965 (to date).
 - (b) How many tenants and purchasers of Commission homes have been affected by these failures.
- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What provision is to be made for further primary and secondary schools in the West Newport and Altona areas.
- *8. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the answer given to Question No. 1 in the House on 12th October, 1965, that a new high school will open in February, 1966, on the Pines Forest Estate—(i) when will a decision be made about the site of this school; and (ii) when will the position of headmaster be advertised.
- *9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it intended to proceed with the proposed over-pass at Blackshaws-road, Newport, or is grade separation proposed.
- *10. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it proposed to repair the fences on both sides of the railway line between Yarraville and Spotswood.
- *11. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Minister of Transport provide a copy of the plan for the third rail track east of Melbourne-road, Newport, at Blackshaws-road crossing.

** Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.*

ORDER OF THE DAY (*to take precedence*):—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Tripovich*).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (CHAIRMAN) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
2. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
3. SUPREME COURT (JUDGES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).
4. VETERINARY SURGEONS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Tripovich*).
5. RACING (TOTALIZATOR PERCENTAGES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. J. O'Connell*).
6. MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).
7. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. D. G. Elliot*).
8. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BRIGHTON LAND RECLAMATION) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).
9. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Tripovich*).
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. P. V. Feltham*).
2. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*).
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
5. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
6. WRONGS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. J. O'Connell*).

WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. W. Thom*).

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 8.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) In respect of the Aberfeldie, Essendon, Essendon North, Glenroy, Glenroy North, Glenroy West, Oak Park, Strathmore, Strathmore North, Westbreen, Moonee Ponds, Moonee Ponds Central, Ascot Vale, and Ascot Vale West State primary schools, respectively, what is—
 - (i) the present enrolment; (ii) the present maximum capacity in the existing buildings; and (iii) the anticipated 1966 enrolment.
 - (b) Is the Minister of Education aware of an anticipated enrolment of children who would normally be enrolled at denominational primary schools; if so, will every effort be made to ensure their admission to State primary schools.
- *2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) In view of strong public opposition, does the Government still propose to proceed with the establishment of the water ski zones at Park Lane, Aspendale, and in the area immediately north of the Patterson River.
 - (b) Does the Chelsea Council still request the establishment of these zones at the sites mentioned.
 - (c) Could the Minister indicate the nature of police powers likely to be conferred on nominated members of boating and skiing clubs for the purpose of controlling and policing the regulations.
- *3. The Hon. S. MERRIFIELD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) What is the cost per kilowatt hour of power (ex works) produced by the State Electricity Commission's works at—(i) Yallourn; (ii) Richmond; (iii) Spotswood; (iv) Geelong; (v) other thermal and combustion stations; and (vi) hydro stations.
 - (b) What are the approximate load factors of each such station.
 - (c) What is the cost of the power supplied by the Snowy Mountains Hydro-electric Authority.
- *4. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) Is the Department of Agriculture aware that there have been heavy losses in calves as the result of sporadic bovine encephalitis.
 - (b) What steps have been taken by the Department to establish a treatment cure for sporadic bovine encephalitis.
 - (c) If there is no known cure, will the Department classify it as a notifiable disease so that compensation is available.
 - (d) What amount of money has been spent on research into calf diseases during 1964 and 1965 (to date).
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) How many nominations were received for appointment as a Justice of the Peace for each of the cities of Richmond, Fitzroy, and Collingwood during the years 1963, 1964, and 1965 (to date), and how many appointments were made.
 - (b) What are the names and addresses of the Justices appointed, and by whom were they nominated.

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- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
- (a) Have any Crown lands been made available for factory sites during the years 1963-64 and 1964-65, respectively; if so—(i) what was the area and location of each such site; (ii) to whom was each made available; and (iii) for what duration and on what terms.
 - (b) Was any financial assistance made available in any instance; if so, to whom was it made, and in what amounts.
- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What provision is being made by the Education Department for extra permanent or temporary classrooms at Avondale Heights State School No. 4812 for the 1966 school year.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) What are the anticipated 1966 enrolments for the Broadmeadows, Buckley Park, Essendon, Glenroy, Hadfield, Maribyrnong, Niddrie, Oak Park, and Strathmore high schools, respectively.
 - (b) What additional buildings have been planned in the 1965-66 building program for each of the above schools.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. P. V. Feltham).
2. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
5. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
6. WRONGS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- *7. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
2. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *3. SAN REMO-NEWHAVEN LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *4. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (CADETSHIPS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
5. RACING (TOTALIZATOR PERCENTAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
6. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
7. MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
9. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (CHAIRMAN) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).

WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. W. Thom*).

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Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 9.

TUESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Electric Light and Power (Interstate Supplies) Act.
3. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section Nineteen of the *Wrongs Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

4. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Police Department—Report for the year 1964.
Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Flat Glass Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 199/1965).

Apprenticeship (Vehicle Trades) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 200/1965).

Justices Act 1958—Justices Act Amending Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 201/1965).

Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (General Safety) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 198/1965).

Marine Act 1958—The Pilot (Pilotage Exemption) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 197/1965).

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

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 19, 1965.

Corryong Planning Scheme 1960—Amendment No. 1, 1965.

Eildon Reservoir Planning Scheme 1959 (Shire of Mansfield), together with Maps and reference sheet thereto (thirteen papers).

Hazelwood Joint Planning Scheme 1963.

Morwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 9, 1962 and Amendment No. 10, 1964 (two papers).

Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955—Amendment No. 3, 1965 (Shire of South Barwon).

Warragul Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 7, 1964.

Yallourn North Planning Scheme 1951—Amendment No. 1, 1964 (Shire of Narracan).

5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
6. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (CHAIRMAN) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until later this day.
8. **SUPREME COURT (JUDGES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
9. **VETERINARY SURGEONS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
10. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5, be postponed until later this day.
11. **MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved on the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
12. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.
13. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BRIGHTON LAND RECLAMATION) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
14. **GEELONG HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to revoke the Permanent Reservation of certain Land in the Parish of Moorpanyal, to vest the said Land and certain other Land in the said Parish upon the Surrender of a Crown Lease thereof in the Geelong Harbor Trust Commissioners, to repeal Section 26 of the 'Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958' and the Fifth Schedule to that Act, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
15. **SAN REMO-NEWHAVEN LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to certain Lands in the Parishes of Woolamai and Phillip Island and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

16. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 12 *ante*), having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

17. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (CADETSHIPS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Agricultural Colleges Act 1958’ with respect to the Provision of Cadetships for certain Students, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

18. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-one minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until tomorrow.

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

No. 10.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act with respect to the Naming of Places in Victoria, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Mordialloc, Seymour and Traralgon (three papers).
4. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 3rd November next.
5. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That the debate be adjourned for six months.
Debate ensued.
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That the debate be adjourned for fourteen days.
Debate ensued.
Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 21.

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

Noes, 9.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 3 to 5 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
7. WRONGS (AMENDMENT) BILL—DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read—
 The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the said Order be discharged.
 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.
8. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 3rd November next.
9. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable S. Merrifield, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
11. SAN REMO-NEWHAVEN LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (CADETSHIPS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

13. RACING (TOTALIZATOR PERCENTAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 Sir Percy Byrnes,
 W. M. Campbell,
 V. O. Dickie,
 P. V. Feltham,
 W. R. Garrett,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 T. H. Grigg,
 K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
 R. J. Hamer,
 A. J. Hunt,
 A. R. Mansell,
 G. J. Nicol,
 B. D. Snider (*Teller*),
 I. A. Swinburne,
 G. W. Thom,
 L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 8.

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

14. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 9.

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Are any discussions or plans current for the re-development of Flinders-street railway station; if so—(i) with whom; (ii) how long have the discussions been taking place; and (iii) is any early finalization probable.
- *2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Do any plans exist for the establishment of a post-graduate school for librarians in Victoria; if so, does the Government propose to assist with these plans.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) On what dates and at what locations was land owned by the Housing Commission made available for sale to—(i) private home builders; and (ii) building contractors.
 - (b) How many blocks have been disposed of to—(i) private home builders; and (ii) building contractors building homes for sale.
 - (c) How many homes have now been constructed by—(i) private home builders; and (ii) building contractors building homes for sale, and at what estates have they been built.
 - (d) Has the Commission reserved any right to fix or supervise the final selling price charged by the builders concerned; if so, what is the average sale price and what terms are available for the purchase of such homes.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Education Department made any progress in its negotiations to purchase the private home in Wheatsheaf-street, Glenroy, at present existing in the playground of the Glenroy State School; if so, with what result.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
2. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
3. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
4. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (CADETSHIPS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
5. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (CHAIRMAN) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).
6. MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
- *7. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).
8. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
9. SAN REMO-NEWHAVEN LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
3. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. W. Thom*).

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. I. R. Cathie*).

WEDNESDAY, 3RD NOVEMBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
2. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. V. O. Dickie*).
3. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 10.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 1965.

Questions.

*1. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) What is the number of new technical schools planned for construction during the present financial year.
- (b) Where will they be located.
- (c) In what order of priority will tenders be called and when is it anticipated tenders will be called for each school.
- (d) What is the present enrolment at each technical school.
- (e) What is the anticipated enrolment as at February next year for each school.
- (f) What is the number of forms catered for at each school and what forms will be catered for next year.
- (g) What temporary accommodation will be provided at each school next year.
- (h) On what sites will such temporary accommodation be placed, stating the distance from the present main school if on new sites.
- (i) What type of transport will be provided for students and teachers travelling from present main schools to such temporary accommodation.
- (j) If transport is to be privately arranged, will the Education Department subsidize the cost; if so, on what basis.
- (k) When was each school commenced.

*2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) How many motor cycles and motor cars, respectively, were in use by the Victoria Police for road law enforcement duties as at 31st August, 1965, and of these how many were—(i) owned by the Police Department; and (ii) owned privately by policemen and used by them in the execution of their duty.
- (b) Have any motor vehicles been added to the fleet since 1st September, 1965, or are any proposed to be added; if so, are these vehicles to be in excess of the number in use prior to 31st August, 1965, or are they merely to replace the private cars owned and used by the police in the execution of their duties.

*3. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) What water conservation projects were constructed or were in the course of being constructed during each of the years 1962, 1963, 1964, and 1965 (to date)—(i) solely for irrigation purposes; (ii) for dual purposes—domestic and rural; and (iii) solely for town water supply.
- (b) What was the cost or proposed cost of each respective scheme.

*4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—

- (a) Was a copy of resolutions passed at a regional conference of elderly citizens' clubs on the Mornington Peninsula sent to the Health Department.
- (b) Did the Department issue any advice to the Mornington Shire Council and other councils on the peninsula to oppose the holding of such regional conferences; if so, what are the reasons for this advice.

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- *5. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Who are the personnel of the Co-operative Societies Advisory Council.
 - When were they appointed.
 - Are there any vacant positions; if so, when did such vacancies occur, and when is it intended to fill them.
 - How often does the Advisory Council meet.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Has the Broadmeadows City Council sought the approval or opinion of the Traffic Commission in respect of a proposal included in its town plan to develop a connecting road between Park-street and Railway-parade, Oak Park, running parallel to the railway line; if so, with what result.
 - If no decision has yet been made, is it possible to indicate when same will be available.
- *7. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Which municipalities have now been valued under the new system of valuations in addition to those enumerated in answer to a Question in the House on 23rd March, 1965.
 - What was the previous valuation of each such municipality under the old system.
 - What new valuations have been approved in each case by the Valuer-General.
 - What are the relevant increases under the new valuations.
- *8. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has a tender for the reconstruction of Queens-road been accepted by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works; if so—(i) what is the name of the successful tenderer, and what is the amount of the tender; and (ii) what other tenders were received, what were the names of the tenderers, and what was the amount of their respective tenders.
- *9. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many motor vehicles were registered in Victoria from 1st July, 1964, to 30th June, 1965, and what revenue was received during that period from registration fees.
- *10. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What irrigation storages have been built in the last twenty years.
 - When was planning commenced for each storage.
 - When was construction of each storage commenced and when was construction completed.
 - What is the capacity of each storage and its cost.
 - When was the ceremony of completion held in each case, and by whom was the ceremony performed.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In respect of the Aberfeldie, Essendon, Essendon North, Glenroy, Glenroy North, Glenroy West, Oak Park, Strathmore, Strathmore North, Westbreen, Moonee Ponds, Moonee Ponds Central, Ascot Vale and Ascot Vale West State primary schools, respectively, what is—(i) the present enrolment; (ii) the present maximum capacity in the existing buildings; and (iii) the anticipated 1966 enrolment.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. WALTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of a statement that "all papers and proof supporting the scientologists are no longer in the jurisdiction of this State", will the Government take immediate action to implement suggestions in the Report of the Board of Inquiry into Scientology that the files relating to personal matters of Victorian residents be seized and destroyed.
- *13. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How much money has the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works spent on the foreshore at Mordialloc from Cromer-road to the creek for capital works and maintenance, respectively, during each of the years from 1960 to 1965 (to date).
 - What are the areas of responsibility for maintenance as between the Mordialloc City Council and the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.
 - Has any other State Government department or instrumentality any responsibility on the foreshore.
- *14. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Following a recent deputation to the Minister of Electrical Undertakings from the Peninsula Aero Club, did the Minister or an officer of his department authorize the transcript of evidence to be copied; if not, why are copies circulating publicly around the Shire of Hastings.

*15. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) Under what rule or regulation are school committees, advisory councils, canteen committees and/or other similar voluntary bodies permitted to—(i) call tenders, sign and complete contracts for work to be done at State schools; (ii) administer canteens at State schools and/or employ labour to conduct such canteens; and (iii) conduct any other form of service to benefit scholars at a fee or charge or conduct fund-raising activities on behalf of the school.
- (b) Are the office bearers and/or members of such committees in carrying out any or all of the duties associated with the aforementioned activities deemed to be acting as agents of the Education Department; if not, what legal protection is made available to them in the event of any legal action arising out of the carrying out of their duties.
- (c) What amounts of money were raised and spent during the year 1964–65 as the result of the work of such committees at Glenroy High School, Glenroy Technical School, Glenroy State School, Essendon High School, Essendon Technical School, and Essendon State School, respectively.
- (d) Does the Department keep any record of the amounts of money raised by various voluntary bodies such as the committees mentioned; if so, what total amounts of money have been raised in each of the years from 1960 to date.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. W. Thom*).
2. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
4. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER: To move, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 9th November next.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
- *2. DECIMAL CURRENCY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
- *3. VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *4. TOURIST RESORTS BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
5. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. I. R. Cathie*).
6. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. J. O'Connell*).
7. SAN REMO-NEWHAVEN LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. I. R. Cathie*).
8. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).

WEDNESDAY, 3RD NOVEMBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
2. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. V. O. Dickie*).
3. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).

TUESDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. ALBERT PARK LANDS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
2. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—To be further considered in Committee.

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 11.

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
 - Supreme Court (Judges) Act.*
 - Local Government (Brighton Land Reclamation) Act.*
 - Racing (Totalizator Percentages) Act.*
3. ALBERT PARK LANDS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to certain Lands at Albert Park in the Cities of South Melbourne and St. Kilda* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Valuation of Land Act 1960* and the *Local Government Act 1958* with respect to Valuations and Supplementary Valuations of Land and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
5. TOURIST RESORTS BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Tourist Act 1958* and the *Local Government Act 1958* with respect to Tourist Resorts and Tourist Facilities, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
6. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Fibrous Plastering Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 202/1965).
 - Apprenticeship (Silver Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 203/1965).
 - Co-operation Act 1958—Report of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies for the year 1963–64.
 - Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958—Report of the Registrar of Co-operative Housing Societies for the year 1963–64.
 - Education Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Mount Waverley.
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determinations Nos. 118 to 121, inclusive, of the Police Service Board.
 - Transport Regulation Act 1958—Report of the Transport Regulation Board for the year 1964–65.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
8. ALBERT PARK LANDS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 9th November next.

9. PAPER.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—

Liquor—Report of the Royal Commission into the sale, supply, disposal or consumption of liquor in the State of Victoria—Part III.—Some economic aspects of the liquor industry and miscellaneous topics.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

11. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

Resolved—That the Council will, on Tuesday, 9th November next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

13. DECIMAL CURRENCY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the Law of Victoria in consequence of the Adoption of Decimal Currency in Australia, to make Provision for carrying the Adoption thereof into effect in Victoria, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

15. MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

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

16. **GEELONG HARBOR TRUST LANDS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.

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

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

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

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

No. 12.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - Education Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Caulfield North.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
 - Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).
 - Part V.—Allowances.
3. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—
 - Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 1, be postponed until Wednesday, 10th November next.
 - Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until later this day.
4. **ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable G. J. Nicol moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 10th November next.
5. **MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 10th November next.
6. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 9th November next.
 - Debate ensued.
 - Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
7. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until later this day.
8. **VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

9. DECIMAL CURRENCY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
10. TOURIST RESORTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell, for the Honorable D. G. Elliot, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
11. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
12. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at seventeen minutes past Eight o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 9th November next.

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 11.

TUESDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the number of new technical schools planned for construction during the present financial year.
 - (b) Where will they be located.
 - (c) In what order of priority will tenders be called and when is it anticipated tenders will be called for each school.
 - (d) What is the present enrolment at each technical school.
 - (e) What is the anticipated enrolment as at February next year for each school.
 - (f) What is the number of forms catered for at each school and what forms will be catered for next year.
 - (g) What temporary accommodation will be provided at each school next year.
 - (h) On what sites will such temporary accommodation be placed, stating the distance from the present main school if on new sites.
 - (i) What type of transport will be provided for students and teachers travelling from present main schools to such temporary accommodation.
 - (j) If transport is to be privately arranged, will the Education Department subsidize the cost; if so, on what basis.
 - (k) When was each school commenced.

2. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Which municipalities have now been valued under the new system of valuations in addition to those enumerated in answer to a Question in the House on 23rd March, 1965.
 - (b) What was the previous valuation of each such municipality under the old system.
 - (c) What new valuations have been approved in each case by the Valuer-General.
 - (d) What are the relevant increases under the new valuations.

3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) How much money has the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works spent on the foreshore at Mordialloc from Cromer-road to the creek for capital works and maintenance, respectively, during each of the years from 1960 to 1965 (to date).
 - (b) What are the areas of responsibility for maintenance as between the Mordialloc City Council and the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.
 - (c) Has any other State Government department or instrumentality any responsibility on the foreshore.

- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will he obtain the following information concerning rail concessions in Queensland for aged pensioners—(i) what fare concessions are granted for normal rail travel; (ii) is a requisition authorizing free travel to any part of Queensland obtainable once a year; (iii) are delegates attending the annual State conference of pensioners granted travel concessions; if so, what are the details; and (iv) are blankets and pillows made available for their use when travelling long distances.

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- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) What plans has the Education Department for the land it owns at the corner of Ross-road and Mills-street, Altona.
 - (b) Is it proposed to proceed with the erection of a school on the area; if so, what type of school will be built.
- *6. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) In respect of the Wonthaggi Technical School—(i) are four classrooms used at the primary school a third of a mile away; (ii) are there four portable classrooms in a tiny school yard; (iii) are small senior classes taken in a janitor's basement and locker rooms; (iv) does the headmistress use a broom cupboard for an office; (v) is the senior assistant teacher's room the switch room; (vi) is the fire danger frightening in the old wooden structure; and (vii) has the head teacher been instructed to get details about church halls for further temporary accommodation.
 - (b) When will a new secondary school be built on the site reserved.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) During the years 1963-64 and 1964-65, respectively—(i) how many employees died as a result of industrial accidents and/or disease; (ii) how many were injured in industrial accidents; (iii) how many workers compensation cases were finalized by the two workers compensation boards; and (iv) how many new cases were originated.
 - (b) How many workers compensation cases are at present listed and awaiting hearing.
 - (c) Can he inform the House as to how many workers compensation boards are now functioning in New South Wales.
- *8. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What progress, to date, has been made in the construction of a scientific laboratory for senior form students at Warragul Technical School.
- *9. The Hon. P. V. FELTHAM: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When water is not measured by meter what do the State Rivers and Water Supply Commissioners regard as a reasonable scale to prescribe for diversions during the continuous watering of land within the meaning of the proposed Water Licences and Permits Act.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. SAN REMO-NEWHAVEN LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
2. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
3. ALBERT PARK LANDS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
4. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
5. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
8. DECIMAL CURRENCY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
9. TOURIST RESORTS BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
2. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. V. O. Dickie).
3. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne).
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom)*.
2. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. Nicol)*.
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt)*.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 12.

WEDNESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- When was the Strathmore over-pass—(i) planned; and (ii) completed; and were proposals for the widening of Pascoe Vale-road south of Woodland-street included in the plan.
 - Following the completion of the over-pass, was any official communication received by the Traffic Commission making reference, on behalf of the Essendon City Council, to the potential danger to pedestrians and school children crossing Pascoe Vale-road between the southern end of the over-pass and Bridge-street; if so, what action has been taken, and when was such action taken.
 - When were the pedestrian-operated signals north of Woodland-street planned and completed.
 - When was the pedestrian crossing opposite Bridge-street planned and completed.
 - How many accidents have occurred at each of these pedestrian crossings, and with what consequences.
- *2. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will he lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the water supply at Mallacoota.
- *3. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Is he aware that the Commonwealth Bank, private banks, and co-operative housing societies, lend on residence area titles.
 - In view of the attitude of the Commonwealth and other banks, what are the reasons for the State Savings Bank failing to lend on residence area titles in Victoria.
 - What are the results of the undertakings which were given to this House on the 10th October, 1961, and again on the 18th September, 1963, on behalf of the State Savings Bank to investigate the possibility of the bank lending on residence area titles.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What is the expected new enrolment and total enrolment, respectively, in February, 1966, of both girls and boys at—(i) Mornington High School; (ii) Rosebud High School; and (iii) Frankston Technical School.
 - How will these enrolments be affected by the recent decision not to open a technical school on the Mornington Peninsula in 1966.
 - What were the equivalent enrolments at these schools in 1964 and 1965, respectively.
- *5. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What are the numbers of pupils and teachers, respectively, at—(i) the Victorian School for Deaf Children, St. Kilda-road, Melbourne; (ii) Glendonald School for the Deaf, Kew; (iii) Ewing House for the Deaf, Ballarat; and (iv) Princess Elizabeth Kindergarten for the Deaf, Burwood.
 - How many Victorian students will be completing the course of training as teachers of the deaf at the Glendonald Training Centre, Kew, this year.
 - To which schools will these teachers be posted in 1966.
- *6. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
- In what districts of the State are there pine plantations under the control of the Forests Commission, giving the area of each such plantation.
 - Are these areas within the declared forest area; if not, by which State department are the lands held, giving the area so held in each case.

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- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it proposed to widen the pavement of Pascoe Vale-road in a southerly direction from Woodland-street; if so—(i) when was the project planned; (ii) what money has been allocated and what work has been completed in each subsequent financial year; (iii) what safety precautions have been provided in the plans for pedestrians and school children crossing Pascoe Vale-road between Woodland and Bridge-streets; (iv) is any substantial safety or guard rail included in the plans for the protection of pedestrians using the footpath on the east side of Pascoe Vale-road between Woodland and Bridge-streets; and (v) what is the anticipated construction time schedule of the project.
- *8. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What is the cost of—(i) the land; (ii) the office building; and (iii) the furniture and fittings, of the new Country Roads Board offices at present being built in Sturt-street, Ballarat.
 - How many people it is expected to be employed in the new offices.
 - Has provision been made for the parking of cars.
 - Were other sites investigated in the City of Ballarat before this site was chosen.
- *9. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
- What monies were paid to the Forests Commission during the financial years 1963–64, and 1964–65, respectively, for the use of forest roads maintained by the Commission.
 - What amounts were paid during each such year by the following, and what rate was charged in each case—(i) Australian Paper Manufacturers Ltd., or its subsidiary companies; (ii) Colonial Sugar Refining Co. Ltd., or its subsidiary companies; (iii) sawmillers and logging companies licensed to obtain logs from forest areas; (iv) farmers and graziers transporting farm produce and live stock over forest roads; and (v) other users.
 - To what account does the Commission pay such charges in each case.
 - Are all sawmillers and logging companies charged; if not, why are some charged and others not.
 - Under what section or sections of the *Forests Act* 1958 are such charges made.
- *10. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What facilities exist in Victoria for education of epileptic children.
 - How many epileptic children are rejected by State primary schools.
 - In each case of rejection, what alternative arrangements are made with the parents for the education of their children.
 - Are any children in Victoria not attending any school because they are epileptic.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Further to Question No. 7 asked in the House on 5th October last, concerning accounts owing to Mr. H. Jackson of Murtoa, for contract work performed for the Public Works Department during 1963—(i) on what date were the payments made for work performed at the Rainbow court house and the Rainbow police station amounting to £4 5s. and £29 12s., respectively, what were the cheque numbers, and when were they cashed; and (ii) were the outstanding payments due for work completed during 1963 listed by Mr. Jackson in a statement of accounts outstanding, and re-submitted to the Department on two or three occasions during the past two years; if so, what has been the reason for the delay in settlement.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- On what date was work commenced on the reconstruction of that portion of the Maroondah Highway between Anderson's-road and the Acheron Bridge.
 - How much of the work has been completed.
 - Why has the work been delayed over the past three months.
 - When is it anticipated that the project will be finished.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. W. Thom).
- ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. Nicol).
- MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt).
- INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. V. O. Dickie).
- WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne).
- LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. L. H. S. THOMPSON : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to revise the Statute Law.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
 *2. FUEL AND POWER BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
 *3. COUNTRY ROADS (COLLECTION COSTS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
 *4. JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (DRAINAGE) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
 *5. MOTOR CAR BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
 *6. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
 *7. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
 *8. PRESBYTERIAN TRUSTS (COMMON FUND) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
 *9. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
 *10. EVIDENCE (REPRODUCTIONS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
 11. GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
 12. ALBERT PARK LANDS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
 13. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—To be further considered in Committee.
 14. VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
 15. TOURIST RESORTS BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
 16. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.

 TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.
Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

- *1. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 13.

TUESDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, on the 3rd instant, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
 - Agricultural Colleges (Cadetships) Act.*
 - State Electricity Commission (Chairman) Act.*
 - Geelong Harbor Trust Lands Act.*
3. FUEL AND POWER BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to establish a Ministry of Fuel and Power and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
4. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to prohibit certain Trade Practices and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—FALSE AND MISLEADING ADVERTISING.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon False and Misleading Advertising, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix to be printed.
6. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Weights and Measures Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
7. DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Dried Fruits Act* 1958 to determine and clarify the Interpretation of certain Dried Fruits, to refix certain Penalties and for purposes consequential thereto, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
8. JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (DRAINAGE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to provide for the Appointment of a Joint Select Committee of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to inquire into and report upon certain Questions relating to the Drainage of Land and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

9. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Traffic Commission of Victoria—Road Traffic—Analysis of Victorian casualty accidents, 1963.
Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

- Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Plumbing and Gasfitting Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 205/1965).
Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 50) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 206/1965).
Education Act 1958—Education Department Regulations 1962 (Amendment No. 8) (S.R. No. 204/1965).
Forests Act 1958—Report of the Forests Commission for the year 1964–65.
Health Act 1958—
Harmful Gases, Vapours, Fumes, Mists, Smokes and Dusts (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 211/1965).
Labelling of Hazardous Household Substances (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 208/1965).
Land Tax Act 1958—Land Tax (Valuation Fees) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 212/1965).
Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Onion Marketing (Accounting Period) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 207/1965).
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (four papers).
Part V.—Allowances.
Water Act 1958—Report of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission for the year 1964–65.
Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 210/1965).

10. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, the 23rd instant.
11. COUNTRY ROADS (COLLECTION COSTS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend Section Thirty-nine of the 'Country Roads Act 1958' and Section Forty-one of the 'Transport Regulation Act 1958'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
12. SAN REMO-NEWHAVEN LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until later this day.
14. PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
15. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Apprenticeship Act 1958', and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

16. **MOTOR CAR BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Motor Car Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
17. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
18. **DECIMAL CURRENCY BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
19. **SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
- Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
20. **EVIDENCE (REPRODUCTIONS) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Evidence Act 1958’ to facilitate the Use of Reproductions of Documents as Evidence and for purposes connected therewith*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
21. **PRESBYTERIAN TRUSTS (COMMON FUND) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Presbyterian Trusts Act 1890’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.
- The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
22. **ECHUCA STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
23. **MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
3. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Protection of Animals Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
4. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
5. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—
Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 4, be postponed until Wednesday next.
Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 5, be postponed until Wednesday next.
8. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL.—The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, by leave, That the proposals contained in this Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.
11. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, leave was given to bring in a Bill to revise the Statute Law, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

12. **DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
13. **FUEL AND POWER BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. **COUNTRY ROADS (COLLECTION COSTS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
15. **JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (DRAINAGE) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
16. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5, be postponed until later this day.
17. **APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. M. Tripovich, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
18. **MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
19. **PRESBYTERIAN TRUSTS (COMMON FUND) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
20. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9, be postponed until later this day.
21. **EVIDENCE (REPRODUCTIONS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

22. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

L. G. McDONALD,
Clerk of the Legislative Council

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 13.

TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it proposed to widen the pavement of Pascoe Vale-road in a southerly direction from Woodland-street; if so—(i) when was the project planned; (ii) what money has been allocated and what work has been completed in each subsequent financial year; (iii) what safety precautions have been provided in the plans for pedestrians and school children crossing Pascoe Vale-road between Woodland and Bridge-streets; (iv) is any substantial safety or guard rail included in the plans for the protection of pedestrians using the footpath on the east side of Pascoe Vale-road between Woodland and Bridge-streets; and (v) what is the anticipated construction time schedule of the project.
2. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Further to Question No. 7 asked in the House on 5th October last, concerning accounts owing to Mr. H. Jackson of Murtoa for contract work performed for the Public Works Department during 1963—(i) on what date were the payments made for work performed at the Rainbow court house and the Rainbow police station amounting to £4 5s. and £29 12s., respectively, what were the cheque numbers, and when were they cashed; and (ii) were the outstanding payments due for work completed during 1963 listed by Mr. Jackson in a statement of accounts outstanding, and re-submitted to the Department on two or three occasions during the past two years; if so, what has been the reason for the delay in settlement.
3. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) On what date was work commenced on the reconstruction of that portion of the Maroondah Highway between Anderson's-road and the Acheron Bridge.
 - (b) How much of the work has been completed.
 - (c) Why has the work been delayed over the past three months.
 - (d) When is it anticipated that the project will be finished.
- *4. The Hon. A. TODD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—What are the names of the persons or organizations recently granted timber extraction rights in the Errinundra area, and what was the annual quota allotted to each.
- *5. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What amount of revenue was received by the Railways Department in each of the last three years from Warragul and each station east of Warragul from passenger fares and general freight, respectively.
 - (b) How many railway trucks of live stock were despatched from Warragul and each station east of Warragul at which loading facilities are available in each of the last three years.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) On what date was J. H. K. Pty. Ltd., of 430 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, granted the option over the re-development of the Flinders-street railway station, and what were the terms of such option.
 - (b) Have any extensions to the option been granted; if so, when.
 - (c) Is a further extension of the option likely.
 - (d) What are the current terms of the option now held by J. H. K. Pty. Ltd.
 - (e) Who are the directors of the company and what is its paid-up capital.
 - (f) Is the Government aware that other developers are interested in the project.

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- *7. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has the Planning and Highway Section of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works decided on the route of the proposed extension of the South-Eastern freeway; if so—(i) have the local and other authorities concerned been notified; and (ii) when will objections be heard.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Were the Chief Architect and the Chief Mechanical and Electrical Engineer of the Public Works Department requested to inquire into the noise level in the class-rooms of the Strathmore High School fronting Pascoe Vale-road during March, 1965; if so—(i) has the inquiry been completed; and (ii) has a report been considered by the Minister of Education, and with what result.
- *9. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Was a “betterment tax” collected in connexion with the construction of the Lilydale–Warburton railway; if so, how much money was collected and over what period.
- *10. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many teachers for the deaf are on the visiting teachers staff, how many students are visited by them, and at what intervals.
 - From which towns did the pupils who passed the recent examinations come.
 - To what known vacancies will these new teachers be posted.
- *11. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many accidents have occurred and how many people have been killed in the last two years at Green's-lane level crossing near Hallam.
 - Is it proposed to install flashing lights or wig-wag signals at the crossing; if not, what safety precautions will be taken by the Railways Commissioners to prevent further accidents at this crossing.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958* with respect to the Granting of Licences for the Manufacture of Cheese and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *2. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- MOTOR CAR BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- FUEL AND POWER BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- PRESBYTERIAN TRUSTS (COMMON FUND) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- ALBERT PARK LANDS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. Todd).
- MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. Todd).
- COUNTRY ROADS (COLLECTION COSTS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (DRAINAGE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- EVIDENCE (REPRODUCTIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. Todd).
- SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—To be further considered in Committee.
- TOURIST RESORTS BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

- LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).
2. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*).
4. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
5. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. V. O. Dickie*).
6. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 14.

WEDNESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What amount of revenue was received by the Railway Department in each of the last three years from Warragul and each station east of Warragul from passenger fares and general freight, respectively.
 - (b) How many railway trucks of live stock were despatched from Warragul and each station east of Warragul at which loading facilities are available in each of the last three years.
- *2. The Hon. SIR PERCY BYRNES: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it the practice of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission to use special weedicides in irrigation channels during irrigation seasons to poison weeds in irrigation districts on the River Murray and other northern districts; if so—(i) are these weedicides dangerous to livestock and poisonous to fish, yabbies, and birds, as well as to pastures; (ii) is irrigation suspended during the period in which these weedicides are being used; (iii) are irrigators given notice, in writing, of intention to use these weedicides; (iv) have the Department of Agriculture and the Fisheries and Wildlife Department approved the use of these weedicides; (v) is it a fact that the water in these channels after treatment is run into the River Murray and to various lakes in the Kerang district; and (vi) is it a fact that the ibis rookeries in these lakes are drastically reduced in population and that the eggs in these hatcheries are proving sterile.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Concerning the recent public announcement that contracts had been let to a private firm in New South Wales for the construction of one hundred aluminium hopper wagons for the Victorian Railways—(i) were public tenders called for the construction of these wagons and, if so, when; (ii) to whom has the contract been let, and at what price; and (iii) was any tender submitted by the Victorian Railways' own Newport Workshops.
- *4. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—Did the Minister ask the Department of Health for a report on the case of sick marching girls aboard the Mildura train on 20th September, 1965; if so—(i) was an inquiry made by the Department; (ii) was a report made to the Minister; (iii) will the Minister make the report (if any) available to the House; and (iv) is the Minister or the Department aware that some of the girls are still affected from their experiences.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What authority is responsible for the maintenance and cleanliness of and removal of weeds and rubbish on the over-passes situated at Hampshire-road and Ballarat-road, Sunshine.
 - (b) Will the authority take immediate and permanent action to keep these areas in a reasonable condition.
- *6. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has the Minister read the comments of His Honour Mr. Justice Else-Mitchell of the New South Wales Land and Valuation Court regarding the provisions of the Victorian land valuation legislation made at the Second Triennial Congress of the Commonwealth Institute of Valuers; if so, will he delay the implementation of the provisions regarding costs to enable amendments to be made to protect the rights of owners whose lands have been or are to be acquired for public purposes.
- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of His Excellency the Governor's remarks at the Lord Mayor's Dinner last week concerning the development of Westernport, what steps has the Government planned to implement the growth of a second Melbourne on Westernport Bay.

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- *8. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- From where did the information come regarding the postings of the nineteen newly-trained teachers of the deaf in answer to Question No. 10 asked in the House on the 16th instant.
 - Have these vacancies been advertised in the *Education Gazette*.
 - How many Victorian primary teachers will be taking special extension courses at Kew in 1966.
- *9. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Has the access track been completed at the Betka River at Mallacoota ; if so, has the gauging station been set up on the river and in that case when was it set up.
 - How long will it take before sufficient recordings have been made to establish certainty as to the flow of the river.
 - Will the commencement of the water supply works have to await these results.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has any action been taken by the Government on the recommendations of the State Development Committee following its inquiry into extractive industries ; if so, what has been done.
- *11. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Does the Country Roads Board intend to submit evidence to the inquiry into Westernport development by the State Development Committee ; if not, why not.
- *12. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Did the Minister of Transport call for a report by the Railways Commissioners on the case of the sick marching girls on the Mildura train on 20th September, 1965 ; if so, will the Minister make this report available to the House.
 - Who ordered the sick girls to hospital, and to which hospital were they taken.
 - Is the Minister aware that some of these girls are still affected by their illness.
- *13. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Did the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board take legal action in the High Court against the registration of the United Firemans' Union as a Federal union organization ; if so—(i) what was the result of the action ; and (ii) what were the legal costs of such action.

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. J. W. GALBALLY : To move, That the proposals contained in the Abolition of Capital Punishment Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes).
- INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. V. O. Dickie).
- WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne).
- LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER : To move, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business, and that no new business be taken after half-past Ten o'clock, be suspended until the end of December next, and until the end of December next Government business shall take precedence of all other business, and new business may be taken at any hour.
- *2. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER : To move, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Four o'clock be suspended until the end of December next, and that until the end of December next the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be Four o'clock, and on Wednesdays half-past Two o'clock.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (CHEESE FACTORY LICENCES) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
- *2. LICENSING BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
- *3. MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
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9. COUNTRY ROADS (COLLECTION COSTS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
10. VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
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12. EVIDENCE (REPRODUCTIONS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
13. TOURIST RESORTS BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
14. JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (DRAINAGE) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
15. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—To be further considered in Committee.
16. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
17. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)*.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
2. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
3. MOTOR CAR BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 15.

TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the prayer.

2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

San Remo-Newhaven Land Act.

Echuca Stockyards Railway Construction Act.

Metropolitan Transportation Committee (Amendment) Act.

3. LICENSING BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Licensing Act 1958’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

4. MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act relating to the Driving of Motor Cars by Persons who have consumed Intoxicating Liquor, to amend the ‘Crimes Act 1958’, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

5. PRESENTATION OF ADDRESS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The President reported that, accompanied by Honorable Members, he had, this day, waited upon His Excellency the Governor and had presented to him the Address of the Legislative Council, adopted on the 19th October last, in reply to His Excellency’s Speech at the Opening of Parliament, and that His Excellency the Governor had been pleased to make the following reply:—

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen I thank you for your expressions of loyalty to Our Most Gracious Sovereign contained in the Address you have just presented to me.

I fully rely on your wisdom in deliberating upon the important measures to be brought under your consideration, and I earnestly hope that the results of your labours will be conducive to the advancement and prosperity of this State.

6. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—VAGRANCY BILL.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Vagrancy Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

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

7. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
- Gas and Fuel Corporation Act 1958—Report of the Gas and Fuel Corporation for the year 1964–65.
Housing Act 1958—Housing (Tenancy) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 213/1965).
Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 209/1965).
Motor Car Act 1958—Report, Balance-sheets and Statements of Accounts for the year 1964–65 of the State Accident Insurance Office and the State Motor Car Insurance Office.
National Fitness Council of Victoria Act 1960—General Report of Activities, Account of Receipts and Expenditure and Balance-sheet of the National Fitness Council of Victoria for the year 1964–65 (two papers).
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.
Supreme Court Act 1958—Solicitors' Remuneration (Interim) Order 1965.
8. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (CHEESE FACTORY LICENCES) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Milk and Dairy Supervision Act* 1958 with respect to the Granting of Licences for the Manufacture of Cheese and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
10. FUEL AND POWER BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
11. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
13. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, by leave, That the proposals contained in the Statute Law Revision Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
14. MOTOR CAR BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Two o'clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

No. 16.

WEDNESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Public Works, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. COUNTRY ROADS (CADETSHIPS) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Country Roads Act 1958* by making provision with respect to the Granting of Cadetships to certain Students, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Victorian Licensing Court and Licences Reduction Board—Report for the year 1964–65.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
The following Papers, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Eltham East and Reservoir (two papers).
5. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the proposals contained in the Abolition of Capital Punishment Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report.
Debate ensued.
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 1, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
7. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable G. W. Thom moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 3 and 4, be postponed until Wednesday next.
9. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—
Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 6, be postponed until Wednesday, the 1st December next.
Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 7, be postponed until Wednesday next.

11. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government Business, and that no new business be taken after half-past Ten o'clock, be suspended until the end of December next, and that until the end of December next Government Business shall take precedence of all other business, and new business may be taken at any hour.
- Debate ensued.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Four o'clock be suspended until the end of December next, and that until the end of December next the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be Four o'clock, and on Wednesdays half-past Two o'clock.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
12. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (CHEESE FACTORY LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. STAMPS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Stamps Act 1958' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
14. LICENSING BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Debate ensued.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, the 30th instant.
15. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 3, be postponed until later this day.
17. ALBERT PARK LANDS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
18. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SERVICE OF NOTICES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend Section Forty-one of the 'Country Fire Authority Act 1958' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
19. PRESBYTERIAN TRUSTS (COMMON FUND) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

20. **DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
21. **GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
22. **LAND SETTLEMENT AND RURAL FINANCE BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to Land Settlement and Rural Finance and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
23. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 and 9, be postponed until later this day.
24. **VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
25. **MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
26. **RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend Section One hundred and forty-nine of the 'Railways Act 1958'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
27. **MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
28. **STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and other Purposes relating to State Forests*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
29. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9, be postponed until the next day of meeting.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

31. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

L. G. McDONALD,
Clerk of the Legislative Council

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 15.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What amount of revenue was received by the Railways Department in each of the last three years from Warragul and each station east of Warragul from passenger fares and general freight, respectively.
 - (b) How many railway trucks of live stock were despatched from Warragul and each station east of Warragul at which loading facilities are available in each of the last three years.
2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What authority is responsible for the maintenance and cleanliness of and removal of weeds and rubbish on the over-passes situated at Hampshire-road and Ballarat-road, Sunshine.
 - (b) Will the authority take immediate and permanent action to keep these areas in a reasonable condition.
3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Does the Country Roads Board intend to submit evidence to the inquiry into Westernport development by the State Development Committee; if not, why not.
4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Did the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board take legal action in the High Court against the registration of the United Firemans' Union as a Federal union organization; if so—(i) what was the result of the action; and (ii) what were the legal costs of such action.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many breathalyzers are now in use by the Police Department, and at what locations are they used.
 - (b) Is it proposed to extend their use; if so—(i) by how many breathalyzers; and (ii) when.
 - (c) What number of police personnel is now being used in connexion with the use of breathalyzers.
 - (d) From what centres is it proposed that breathalyzers shall operate.
- *6. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What was the reason behind the decision of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board to impose the increased fare charges recently announced in the daily press.
- *7. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Have the Railways Commissioners reconsidered the requests for a buffet car on the Mildura-Spencer-street train; if so, what is their decision.
 - (b) If a car is to be put into service, on what section of the journey will it operate, and on which days.
 - (c) If the Commissioners have not made a decision, will they now give further consideration to providing this service.

** Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.*

- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) How many workshops catering for the construction and/or repair of railway rolling stock were operated by the Victorian Railways, and how many workers were employed at each, during the years 1954–55 and 1964–65, respectively.
 - (b) Are any of these workshops capable of competitive tendering for the construction of any form of railway rolling stock, and have any such tenders ever been submitted with or without success during the past five years; if so, what are the details of same; if not, what reason or reasons preclude such action.
 - (c) Is any new construction work involving railway rolling stock being undertaken at any of the Victorian Railways' workshops; if so, what work was completed during the last complete financial year, and at what workshop.
- *9. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In each of the last three years—(i) how many permits have been issued under the *Licensing Act* 1958 to licensed restaurants for the sale of liquor on Sundays and Good Fridays, respectively; and (ii) for what periods were such permits issued, to whom, and where.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. STAMPS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SERVICE OF NOTICES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *3. LAND SETTLEMENT AND RURAL FINANCE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *4. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *5. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *6. COUNTRY ROADS (CADETSHIPS) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
7. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
8. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
9. TOURIST RESORTS BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
10. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (CHEESE FACTORY LICENCES) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
11. VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes).
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General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER.*General Business.*

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. W. Thom*).
2. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
4. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*).
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER.*Government Business.*

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. LICENSING BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER.*General Business.*

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 16.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it a fact that the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board buses do not operate before 2.00 p.m. on Sundays on the Fishermen's Bend route; if so, will the Minister bring the matter to the notice of the Minister of Transport in order that consideration can be given to the travelling needs of the families quartered at the Commonwealth Hostel, Lorimer-street, Port Melbourne.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What were the total amounts of money allocated during the current financial year for—(i) the construction of new school buildings; and (ii) the maintenance of buildings constituting the primary, high, and technical schools of Victoria.
 - What are the total amounts of money obligated for the contracts let, and what is the actual expenditure as at 31st October, 1965.
 - What were the corresponding figures for the financial years 1962-63, 1963-64, and 1964-65, respectively.
- *3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
- What was the cost of maintenance per bed in training hospitals for the years 1963, 1964, and 1965 (to date).
 - What was the cost of maintenance per bed in public hospitals for the years 1963, 1964, and 1965 (to date).
 - For the years 1963, 1964, and 1965 (to date), how much finance for hospitals came from—(i) Government grants; (ii) hospitals fees; and (iii) donations.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Has the Government considered the need for the provision of a more prominent warning sign to drivers of motor vehicles approaching pedestrian crossings than the "walking legs" sign; if so, have the zig-zag lines painted on the roads as used in other States been considered, and with what result.
 - If such signs have not been considered, will the Traffic Commission make an investigation, including the conduct of a test period, for this type of warning sign to be used over a test area to measure what potential advantages may be evident.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it the intention of the Totalizator Agency Board to establish an agency at Ocean Grove; if so, when.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. WATER LICENCES AND PERMITS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *3. CUL-DE-SAC APPLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *4. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.

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6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
7. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (CHEESE FACTORY LICENCES) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie)*.
8. TOURIST RESORTS BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
9. VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)*.
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6. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LICENSING BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
2. STAMPS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
3. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SERVICE OF NOTICES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
4. LAND SETTLEMENT AND RURAL FINANCE BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
5. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
6. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 17.

THURSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
- Has a lease been prepared involving a portion of Wilson's Promontory for the erection of a licensed motel; if so—(i) has the lease been signed or when will it be signed; (ii) by whom has the lease been taken up; (iii) who are the directors or principals of the lessees; (iv) what is the paid-up capital of any company involved; and (v) what are the terms and conditions of the lease.
 - What reasons did the Government have in rejecting the recommendation of the National Parks Authority "that it was strongly opposed to the leasing of land in National Parks for private enterprise".
 - Has the Government overlooked the promise made by the Minister of Agriculture on 18th May, 1965 (see *Hansard*, vol 278, page 4218) that he would make a copy of the lease when available to be forwarded to the Wilson's Promontory Committee; if not, will the promise be honoured, and when.
- *2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Education Department prepared a document entitled "In-Service Training and In-Service Education"; if so—
- to what groups and individuals has this document been circulated; (ii) what relationship is it proposed will exist between In-Service Education and subject associations and teachers in private schools, respectively; (iii) do the proposals in this document extend employer control of teacher education; and (iv) does the Department intend to call a general meeting of all interested parties to discuss this document more fully.
- *3. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What period is covered by the last report of the State Library submitted to Parliament.
 - If this was 1963, what has happened to subsequent reports.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
- What revenue was received by the Forests Commission during each of the years from 1958 to 1962 inclusive from—(i) consolidated revenue; and (ii) royalties, leases, licences, permits, and royalty equivalents, &c., for the sale of forest produce under the *Forests Act* 1958.
 - What was the gross amount received by the Commission from the sale of forest produce for the years 1963-64 and 1964-65, respectively, and what portion of this was retained by the Commission as revenue.
 - How many timber mills were operating on Crown land in each of the years 1960 to date, and has the allegation "that mills were closing down because of a shortage of logs" any substance in fact.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- HOME FINANCE (SECOND MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes).
- COUNTRY ROADS (COLLECTION COSTS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—To be further considered in Committee.

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11. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

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2. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)*.
3. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER.

Question.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What were the total amounts of money allocated during the current financial year for—(i) the construction of new school buildings; and (ii) the maintenance of buildings constituting the primary, high, and technical schools of Victoria.
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10. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. WATER LICENCES AND PERMITS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 17.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, as Deputy for the Governor, informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Fuel and Power Act.*
 - Albert Park Lands Act.*
 - Presbyterian Trust (Common Fund) Act.*
 - Melbourne Harbor Trust (Amendment) Act.*
 - Apprenticeship (Amendment) Act.*
3. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and other Purposes relating to Irrigation Water Supply Drainage Sewerage Flood Protection and River Improvement, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
4. CUL-DE-SAC APPLICATIONS BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make Provision with respect to Applications under Division Six of Part IV. of the *Transfer of Land Act 1958* and Matters arising out of those Applications, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Summary Offences Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence, and an Appendix. Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
6. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Automotive Machinist Trade) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 215/1965).
 - Apprenticeship (Cooking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 216/1965).
 - Apprenticeship (Instrument Trade) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 214/1965).
 - Apprenticeship (Pastrycooking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 218/1965).
 - Apprenticeship (Plastering Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 217/1965).
 - Apprenticeship (Refrigeration Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 221/1965).
 - Crimes Act 1958—Criminal Appeal (Amendment) Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 223/1965).
 - Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Solicitors (Professional Conduct and Practice) Rules 1965.
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Report of the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board for the pool year ended 3rd July, 1965.
 - Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Regulations prescribing Premises as a Milk Depot (S.R. No. 220/1965).
 - Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—Regulations prescribing the Town of Stawell as a District (S.R. No. 219/1965).
 - Poisons Act 1962—Poisons (Labelling) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 222/1965).
 - Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Act 1961—Report of the Rural Finance and Settlement Commission, together with Balance-sheets and Profit and Loss Accounts, for the year 1964–65 (twelve papers).
 - Supreme Court Act 1958—Supreme Court (Amendment) Rules 1965 No. 4 (S.R. No. 224/1965).

7. STAMPS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SERVICE OF NOTICES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
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The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. COUNTRY ROADS (CADETSHIPS) BILL—DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read—
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the said Order be discharged.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.
13. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
14. WATER LICENCES AND PERMITS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Water Act 1958' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
15. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of Loan Money for Works and Purposes relating to Railways, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 11 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

17. COUNTRY ROADS (COLLECTION COSTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

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

19. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Labour and Industry Act 1958’, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

No. 18.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. HOME FINANCE (SECOND MORTGAGES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Home Finance Act 1962’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, for the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. 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.—
 - Statements of Appointments and Alterations of Classifications in the Departments of the Legislative Council, the Legislative Assembly, the Library, and the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee (four papers).
 - Statements of persons temporarily employed in the Departments of the Legislative Council, the Legislative Assembly, and the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee (three papers).
 - Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the year 1964–65.
4. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

5. WATER LICENCES AND PERMITS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. CUL-DE-SAC APPLICATIONS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. M. Tripovich, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—
Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 18 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 to 4 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
10. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable W. M. Campbell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
11. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
12. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (CHEESE FACTORY LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
13. TOURIST RESORTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

14. **ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
Debate continued on question, That this Bill be now read a second time.
Question—put and negatived.
15. **MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
The Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
16. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

No. 19.

THURSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to provide for the Registration of Psychologists, the Protection of the Public from Unqualified Persons and certain Harmful Practices and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
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—Report of the Minister of Education for the year 1963–64.
Milk Board Act 1958—Statements and Accounts of the Milk Board for the year 1964–65 (four papers).
Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Statement of guarantee given to the Reserve Bank of Australia by the Treasurer of Victoria.
4. **HOME FINANCE (SECOND MORTGAGES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
5. **VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

6. COUNTRY ROADS (COLLECTION COSTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the Whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

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

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

7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 7, be postponed until later this day.

10. JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (DRAINAGE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable T. H. Grigg having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

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

State Electricity Commission Act 1958—Report of the State Electricity Commission for the year 1964–65.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 18.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What were the total amounts of money allocated during the current financial year for—(i) the construction of new school buildings; and (ii) the maintenance of buildings constituting the primary, high, and technical schools of Victoria.
 - (b) What are the total amounts of money obligated for the contracts let, and what is the actual expenditure as at 31st October, 1965.
 - (c) What were the corresponding figures for the financial years 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, respectively.

2. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
 - (a) Has a lease been prepared involving a portion of Wilson's Promontory for the erection of a licensed motel; if so—(i) has the lease been signed or when will it be signed; (ii) by whom has the lease been taken up; (iii) who are the directors or principals of the lessees; (iv) what is the paid-up capital of any company involved; and (v) what are the terms and conditions of the lease.
 - (b) What reasons did the Government have in rejecting the recommendation of the National Parks Authority "that it was strongly opposed to the leasing of land in National Parks for private enterprise".
 - (c) Has the Government overlooked the promise made by the Minister of Agriculture on 18th May, 1965 (see *Hansard*, vol. 278, page 4218) that he would make a copy of the lease available to be forwarded to the Wilson's Promontory Committee; if not, will the promise be honoured, and when.

3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Education Department prepared a document entitled "In-Service Training and In-Service Education"; if so—(i) to what groups and individuals has this document been circulated; (ii) what relationship is it proposed will exist between In-Service Education and subject associations and teachers in private schools, respectively; (iii) do the proposals in this document extend employer control of teacher education; and (iv) does the Department intend to call a general meeting of all interested parties to discuss this document more fully.

4. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
 - (a) What revenue was received by the Forests Commission during each of the years from 1958 to 1962 inclusive from—(i) consolidated revenue; and (ii) royalties, leases, licences, permits, and royalty equivalents, &c., for the sale of forest produce under the *Forests Act* 1958.
 - (b) What was the gross amount received by the Commission from the sale of forest produce for the years 1963–64 and 1964–65, respectively, and what portion of this was retained by the Commission as revenue.
 - (c) How many timber mills were operating on Crown land in each of the years 1960 to date, and has the allegation "that mills were closing down because of a shortage of logs" any substance in fact.

- *5. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many social workers have been employed in each division of the Social Welfare Department for each year from 1961 to 1965, inclusive.
 - (b) How many social workers have resigned in each division during the same period.
 - (c) What reasons were given for these resignations.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *6. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What action does the Education Department intend to take to bring the Sunshine Technical School up to standard in respect of the buildings and class-rooms.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—Has any classification yet been made by regulation or proclamation under the powers contained in section 8 of the *National Parks Act 1958* as amended by section 5 of the *National Parks (Amendment) Act 1965*; if so, what regulations or proclamations affect Wilson's Promontory; if not, are regulations or any proclamation now under consideration, and when are they likely to be gazetted.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—What are the names, locations, and dates of approval of the 350 industries approved as decentralized industries as at 30th June, 1965, which were referred to in the current report of the Railways Commissioners.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
2. CUL-DE-SAC APPLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
3. VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. LICENSING BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
6. STAMPS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
7. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
8. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SERVICE OF NOTICES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
9. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
10. LAND SETTLEMENT AND RURAL FINANCE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
11. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
12. MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
13. EVIDENCE (REPRODUCTIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
14. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
15. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
16. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
17. HOME FINANCE (SECOND MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
18. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).
19. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
2. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes).
3. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. WATER LICENCES AND PERMITS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne).*
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell).*
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes).*

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 19.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—What are the names, locations, and dates of approval of the 350 industries approved as decentralized industries as at 30th June, 1965, which were referred to in the current report of the Railways Commissioners.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) How many housing units normally available to eligible applicants with families were occupied on a rental basis in each of the years from 1960 to 1964, and to date in the present year, in Housing Commission estates—(i) within a thirty mile radius of Melbourne; (ii) in each of the provincial cities of Bendigo, Ballarat, and Geelong; and (iii) in the rest of the State.
 - (b) What was the total number of unsatisfied applications in each of such years.
 - (c) What is the present waiting period for rental of two-bedroom and three-bedroom units, respectively, in each of those areas.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What control (if any) has the Williamstown City Council over the marina situated in The Strand, Williamstown, as to—
 - (i) the *Weights and Measures Act* 1958; (ii) the Health Regulations; and (iii) registration of the shop at the marina.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Does the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission have an obligation to advise water users of shut downs by water mains being turned off.
 - (b) Why, in a recent case at Somerville, were some users advised and not others.
 - (c) What is the Commission's responsibility regarding damage to pumps caused by a shut down.
 - (d) Is it a fact that pumps may now be connected direct to the trunk line.
 - (e) On what basis would a user store water in anticipation of a shut down.
 - (f) Is the supply of water for which consumers are rated a right or a privilege.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Minister ascertain if the chain store firm of Woolworths has any Australian share content and, if so, to what extent.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many houses have been provided since 1st July, 1963, for persons of aboriginal descent, stating when, and in what towns.
- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 - (a) How many children entering a public hospital are suffering from—(i) malnutrition; and (ii) anaemia.
 - (b) On the basis of these figures, what is the Department's estimate of the general incidence of malnutrition and anaemia in the Victorian community.
 - (c) What assistance can the Department offer to families in maintaining a balanced diet where the wage earner gets £20 a week or less.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—Further to the answer to Question No. 2 asked in the House on 30th November, 1965—(i) who are the signatories to the bond of £100,000 taken out in connexion with the erection of a licensed motel at Wilson's Promontory; (ii) are the signatories the guarantors; and (iii) will the Minister lay on the table of the Library a copy of the bond referred to.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. LOWER YARRA CROSSING AUTHORITY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *2. LAND TAX (RATES) BILL.—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
- *3. ST. KILDA LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *4. UNIVERSITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
- *5. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *6. ROAD TRANSPORT BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—second reading.
- *7. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
8. LAND SETTLEMENT AND RURAL FINANCE BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
9. WATER LICENCES AND PERMITS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
10. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
11. EVIDENCE (REPRODUCTIONS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
12. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—To be further considered in Committee.
13. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
14. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
15. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
16. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
17. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
18. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—To be further considered in Committee.
19. MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
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21. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne)*.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell)*.
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)*.
4. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.
5. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*) Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)*.
6. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.

TUESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 20.

THURSDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What are the names, locations, and dates of approval of the 350 industries approved as decentralized industries as at 30th June, 1965, which were referred to in the current report of the Railways Commissioners.
2. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) How many housing units normally available to eligible applicants with families were occupied on a rental basis in each of the years from 1960 to 1964, and to date in the present year, in Housing Commission estates—(i) within a thirty mile radius of Melbourne; (ii) in each of the provincial cities of Bendigo, Ballarat, and Geelong; and (iii) in the rest of the State.
 - (b) What was the total number of unsatisfied applications in each of such years.
 - (c) What is the present waiting period for rental of two-bedroom and three-bedroom units, respectively, in each of those areas.
3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What control (if any) has the Williamstown City Council over the marina situated in The Strand, Williamstown, as to—
 - (i) the *Weights and Measures Act* 1958; (ii) the Health Regulations; and (iii) registration of the shop at the marina.
4. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many houses have been provided since 1st July, 1963, for persons of aboriginal descent, stating when, and in what towns.
- *5. The Hon. J. W. GALBALLY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the estimated cost to date of the investigation of the Korman group of companies and the criminal proceedings against the directors, such estimate to include provision for Counsel and other legal fees, accountancy fees, shorthand writers' fees, and the estimated cost of the time spent by police including the Company Fraud Squad, Crown prosecutors, the Solicitor-General, law officers and other items.
 - (b) If a generalized estimate is not available, will the Minister agree that approximately £200,000 of public money has already been spent on such investigations with no tangible benefit to shareholders or the community as a result of failure to pass appropriate legislation.
- *6. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How much money was collected in fees for the registration of motor boats in Victoria during the last financial year.
 - (b) How has such money been spent.
 - (c) What amount has been spent on the building of ramps and the provision of other facilities for motor boats in the Ballarat Province during that period.
- *7. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Will the Minister ascertain whether the Attorney-General's attention has been directed to an article in the *Australian* newspaper of 27th November last, headed "The role of auditors: those watchdogs are failing to bark", and also to a letter on the same subject in the *Australian* newspaper of 1st instant.
 - (b) Will the Attorney-General give urgent consideration to amending the *Companies Act* 1961 to make the role of company auditors more effective in protecting shareholders and other investors from the financial collapse of public companies.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

*8. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

- (a) What agreement has the State Government and the Housing Commission made with the construction company at Crib Point refinery.
- (b) What are the terms of this agreement, and with what company or companies has it been offered.
- (c) How many Commission homes in the two estates at Frankston have been affected by this agreement.
- (d) Under the terms of this agreement, are migrants who are recruited overseas offered homes almost upon arrival.

*9. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Concerning the renaming of the town Hazelwood—(i) when, why, and by whom was the decision made; (ii) was the proposal discussed with any members of the local council; if so, at what level did the discussions take place, and was any attempt made or requested to have public opinion tested before any firm decision was made; (iii) were any of the members of the Legislative Assembly or the Legislative Council consulted as to their opinion, and with what result, (iv) is the Government irrevocably committed to the change of name; if so, why; and (v) is the Government aware of the considerable weight of local opinion against the name of the district being changed.

*10. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In relation to the removal of the trucking yards at Henty railway station—(i) what was the labour cost; (ii) what was the plant hire cost of dismantling and removing; and (iii) what became of the material salvaged, and if sold, what revenue was received for it.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. PUBLIC OFFICERS SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. LIBRARY COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *3. RACING (DOG RACING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *4. COMMITTEES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *5. JUDGES' SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *6. HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *7. SUPERANNUATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *8. COUNTRY ROADS (CADETSHIPS) BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *9. PUBLIC OFFICERS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
10. ROAD TRANSPORT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
11. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).*
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6. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).

TUESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER.
Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).
2. LOWER YARRA CROSSING AUTHORITY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. Todd*).
3. ST. KILDA LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. D. G. Elliot*).
4. UNIVERSITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).
5. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. W. Knight*).
6. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. Todd*).

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 20.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—
Country Roads (Collection Costs) Act.
Motor Car Act.
Decimal Currency Act.
3. UNIVERSITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend Section Seven of the 'La Trobe University Act 1964', the 'Monash University Act 1958' and the Short Title and Section Five of the 'University Act 1958' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. LOWER YARRA CROSSING AUTHORITY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to confer certain Powers on the Lower Yarra Crossing Authority, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, for the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (DRAINAGE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
6. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol 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 and an Appendix.
 Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
7. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
 Parole Boards (Youth)—Reports for the year 1964-65 (two papers).
 Severally ordered to lie on the Table.

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

- Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Watch Making Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 228/1965).
- Dairy Products Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 30th June, 1965.
- Local Government Act 1958—Uniform Building Regulations Amending Regulations No. 8 (S.R. No. 225/1965).
- Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (three papers).
- Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 226/1965).
- State Electricity Commission Act 1958—State Electricity Commission Works Protection Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 227/1965).
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Broadmeadows Planning Scheme, Amendment No. 14, 1965.
- Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Inland Meat Authority for the year 1964-65.
- Workers Compensation Act 1958—Workers Compensation Board (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 229/1965).

8. **PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. **CUL-DE-SAC APPLICATIONS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
10. **ST. KILDA LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to Certain Lands at St. Kilda and at Elwood in the Parishes of Melbourne South and Prahran and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
11. **EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Evidence Act 1958' and Sections Twenty-nine and Thirty-five of the 'Coroners Act 1958'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
12. **VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
13. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.
14. **STAMPS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
15. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.
16. **COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SERVICE OF NOTICES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

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

Debate resumed.

The Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes moved, as an amendment, That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof the words “ consideration of this Bill be deferred until a majority of the persons who are qualified to vote at elections for the Legislative Council have voted at a referendum in favour of the extension of hotel trading hours on week-days until ten o'clock in the evening ”.

Debate ensued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
I. R. Cathie (*Teller*),
V. O. Dickie,
D. G. Elliot,
P. V. Feltham,
J. W. Galbally,
C. S. Gawith,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
A. J. Hunt (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. Nicol,
G. J. O'Connell,
B. D. Snider,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson,
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 10.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
Sir Percy Byrnes,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
W. R. Garrett,
T. H. Grigg,
H. A. Hewson,
A. R. Mansell (*Teller*),
R. W. May,
I. A. Swinburne.

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

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
I. R. Cathie,
V. O. Dickie,
D. G. Elliot,
P. V. Feltham,
J. W. Galbally,
C. S. Gawith,
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G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson,
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

Noes, 10.

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G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
W. R. Garrett,
T. H. Grigg,
H. A. Hewson,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne.

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

House in Committee.

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

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1965.

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

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

18. ROAD TRANSPORT BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make Further Provision with respect to the Regulation of Road Transport, to amend the ‘ Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958 ’, the ‘ Transport Regulation Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes ’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

19. LAND TAX (RATES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act relating to the Assessment of 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-six and for other purposes ’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

20. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Parts I., III. and IV. of and the Sixth Schedule to the ‘ Marine Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes ’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

21. ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until this day at Eleven o’clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-two minutes past Twelve o’clock in the morning, adjourned until Eleven o’clock this day.

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

No. 21.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—ACTIONS IN TORT BETWEEN HUSBAND AND WIFE.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon Actions in Tort between Husband and Wife, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
3. LOWER YARRA CROSSING AUTHORITY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until later this day.
5. ST. KILDA LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
6. UNIVERSITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 6, be postponed until later this day.
9. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. RACING (DOG RACING) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the ' Racing Act 1958 '*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
11. PUBLIC OFFICERS SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to the Salaries Allowances and Fees of certain Public Officers*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
12. LAND TAX (RATES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 and 9, be postponed until later this day.
14. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 to 18 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
16. MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
17. COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

18. JUDGES' SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to the Remuneration of Judges of the Supreme Court and County Court*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

19. PUBLIC OFFICERS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to make Provision for Payment in respect of Recreation Leave outstanding at the Death of certain Public Officers, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

20. LIBRARY COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to constitute a Library Council of Victoria and to transfer thereto the Powers Functions and Duties of the Trustees of the State Library of Victoria and the Free Library Service Board, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

21. COUNTRY ROADS (CADETSHIPS) BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Country Roads Act 1958' by making Provision with respect to the Granting of Cadetships to certain Students, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

22. SUPERANNUATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Superannuation Act 1958' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

23. WATER LICENCES AND PERMITS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

25. HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to constitute a Hospitals Superannuation Board, to make Provision for the Establishment of a Hospitals Superannuation Fund, to provide for the Transfer of certain Funds and the Responsibility for the Administration of those Funds to the Board, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

27. **MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
28. **WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
29. **COMMITTEES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to authorize the Public Works Committee and the State Development Committee to sit in Places outside Victoria*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
30. **WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be now taken into consideration.
And the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 7, page 5, line 18, omit "(3)" and insert "(4)".
2. Clause 19, page 8, line 2, omit "central" and insert "cental".
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, and after debate, the Council agreed to the amendments made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
31. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
32. **MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
33. **LAND SETTLEMENT AND RURAL FINANCE BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
34. **MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (CHEESE FACTORY LICENCES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
35. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

No. 22.

THURSDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PUBLIC OFFICERS SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
3. LIBRARY COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
4. RACING (DOG RACING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
5. COMMITTEES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett, having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
6. JUDGES' SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
7. HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 and 8, be postponed until later this day.
9. PUBLIC OFFICERS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. SUPERANNUATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

11. COUNTRY ROADS (CADETSHIPS) BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
12. ROAD TRANSPORT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of One million five hundred and sixty-one thousand six hundred and eleven pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
14. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
15. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
16. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
17. ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Two o'clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 21.

TUESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What are the names, locations, and dates of approval of the 350 industries approved as decentralized industries as at 30th June, 1965, which were referred to in the current report of the Railways Commissioners.
2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) How many housing units normally available to eligible applicants with families were occupied on a rental basis in each of the financial years from 1959–60 to 1964–65, inclusive, in Housing Commission estates—(i) within a thirty mile radius of Melbourne; (ii) in each of the provincial cities of Bendigo, Ballarat, and Geelong; and (iii) in the rest of the State.
 - (b) What was the total number of unsatisfied applications in each of such years.
 - (c) What is the present waiting period for rental of two-bedroom and three-bedroom units, respectively, in each of those areas.
3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What control (if any) has the Williamstown City Council over the marina situated in The Strand, Williamstown, as to—(i) the *Weights and Measures Act* 1958; (ii) the Health Regulations; and (iii) registration of the shop at the marina.
4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In relation to the removal of the trucking yards at Henty railway station—(i) what was the labour cost; (ii) what was the plant hire cost of dismantling and removing; and (iii) what became of the material salvaged, and if sold, what revenue was received for it.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Concerning the collection of data in connexion with the current metropolitan traffic survey—(i) has the survey been completed; if not, when is completion anticipated; (ii) have any copies of the data so collected been made available to Government or semi-Government authorities for their information in forward planning; if so, could such copies be made available for the information of Members of Parliament; and (iii) if it is not practicable to supply Honorable Members with this data, will the Minister lay on the table of the Library such information as is now available.
- *6. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How long has the former girls' school in Hopetoun-street, Ballarat, been unoccupied by the Education Department.
 - (b) Is the Department aware of the destruction of property and vandalism which have occurred on the school premises.
 - (c) Did the Minister of Education consider the representations made by him (the Hon. Murray Byrne) in October last on behalf of the Ballarat scouting organizations for the use of this unoccupied building for scouting purposes.
 - (d) Why has the Minister delayed in replying and in giving a decision in this matter.
 - (e) If the Minister is not prepared to allow the scouts the use of the building, for what purpose is it going to be used.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

*7. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) Is "Paterson's Curse" a declared noxious weed in the State of Victoria.
- (b) Is the seed of this plant available to home gardeners in packets sold by seed merchants; if so, what steps are being taken to curtail the sale of such seeds.

*8. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

- (a) How much money has been lent to home purchasers by way of second mortgage under the *Home Finance Act 1962* in—(i) Ballarat and district; (ii) Ararat and district; and (iii) Stawell and district.
- (b) Is there any possibility of further finance for home purchasers under second mortgage, and is any preference given in respect of the financing of homes in country areas under this scheme.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. JUDGES' SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
2. COUNTRY ROADS (CADETSHIPS) BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
3. ST. KILDA LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
4. SUPERANNUATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
5. PUBLIC OFFICERS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
6. RACING (DOG RACING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
7. MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
8. PUBLIC OFFICERS SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
9. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
10. LIBRARY COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
11. LAND TAX (RATES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
12. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
13. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- *14. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
15. HOME FINANCE (SECOND MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
16. PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
17. LOWER YARRA CROSSING AUTHORITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
18. UNIVERSITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
19. ROAD TRANSPORT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
20. HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
21. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. W. M. Campbell*).
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*).
4. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
5. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*).
6. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 22.

WEDNESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Are both portable class-rooms to be moved from the Morwell High School; if so—(i) where are they being moved and for what reason; (ii) what will be the cost involved in their removal and re-siting; and (iii) what total distance is involved.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
- Did the Minister communicate during the past six months with the Commonwealth Minister of Housing seeking the release of extra finance for housing; if so—(i) when did he take the action; (ii) how much extra finance was sought, and in what form; (iii) what was the reply (if any); and (iv) was the current announcement by the Commonwealth Reserve Bank authorizing the reduction of the statutory deposit ratio of the private trading banks by one per cent. associated in any way with the request.
 - What portion of the amount of money available to be released by the private trading banks is anticipated to reach the Victorian home building programme, and at what levels.
 - Is the statement reported of the Commonwealth Minister that “the savings banks will lend more for housing” an instruction or just a request to do so.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What authority (if any) has control over the marina situated in The Strand, Williamstown, as to—(i) the *Weights and Measures Act 1958*; (ii) the Health Regulations; and (iii) registration of the shop at the marina.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Is the Minister of Education aware that the Prime Minister has authorized the circulation of a Liberal Party propaganda document on Vietnam in our State schools.
 - Does this act contravene regulations which forbid the circulation of political pamphlets in State schools; if not, why.
- *5. The Hon. K. S. GROSS: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the suspected introduction to Queensland of the stock disease known as “Blue Tongue”, will the Minister list for discussion at the next Agricultural Ministers Conference that this disease be included in the “exotic group”, and that penalties for the introduction of this disease be substantially increased.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many individual applicants are concerned with the issue of 588 licences (including 81 discretionary licences) issued by the Transport Regulation Board pursuant to the amendments to the *Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958* and referred to in the introductory remarks shown on page five of the Board's 1965 report.
- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
- What are the aims and activities of the Bayside Regional Group which go far beyond elderly citizen club activities.
 - Will the Minister give details of these activities and explain why they go beyond the role of elderly citizens' clubs in our community.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

- *1. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER: To move, That the Council shall meet for the despatch of business on Friday next and that Eleven o'clock shall be the hour of meeting.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. PUBLIC OFFICERS SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
2. RACING (DOG RACING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- *3. MOTOR CAR (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
4. SUPERANNUATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
5. LAND TAX (RATES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
6. HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
7. UNIVERSITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
8. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
9. HOME FINANCE (SECOND MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
10. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
11. ROAD TRANSPORT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
12. LOWER YARRA CROSSING AUTHORITY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
13. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
14. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
15. LIBRARY COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- *16. JUSTICES (SENTENCING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
- *17. STAMPS (BILLS OF EXCHANGE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
18. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—To be further considered in Committee.
- *19. APPROPRIATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell).
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes).
4. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
5. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes).
6. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 23.

THURSDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1965.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. S. MERRIFIELD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What was the number of Commonwealth Secondary Scholarships recently awarded to pupils of registered schools and State schools, respectively.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Education Department acquired any properties in Leith-avenue, Sunshine, for technical school purposes; if so, what are the properties.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- 1. HOME FINANCE (SECOND MORTGAGES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. I. A. Swinburne)*.
- 2. LOWER YARRA CROSSING AUTHORITY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
- 3. EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
- 4. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2)—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
- 5. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
- 6. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
- 7. JUSTICES (SENTENCING) BILL—*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
- 8. APPROPRIATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- 1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne)*.
- 2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell)*.
- 3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)*.
- 4. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.
- 5. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)*.
- 6. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 23.

TUESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, 1965.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. APPROPRIATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue to the service of the year ending on the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and sixty-six and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

3. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of "The necessity for maintaining standards of probity in public companies and the grave public disquiet at the failure of the Government to take action to recover investors' funds in the Stanhill group of companies"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

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

Noes, 22.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne (*Teller*),
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
V. O. Dickie,
W. R. Garrett,
C. S. Gawith,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it passed in the negative.

4. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

Joint Select Committee (Drainage) Act.
Stamps (Amendment) Act.
Country Fire Authority (Service of Notices) Act.
Licensing Act.
Railway Loan Application Act.
Water Licences and Permits Act.
Railways (Amendment) Act.
Local Government (Constitution of Municipalities) Act.
Evidence (Reproductions) Act.
Milk and Dairy Supervision (Cheese Factory Licences) Act.
Water Supply Loan Application Act.
Motor Car (Driving Offence) Act.
Land Settlement and Rural Finance Act.
Committees (Amendment) Act.
Public Works Loan Application Act.

5. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

6. MOTOR CAR (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to further amend the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’ to extend the Time within which Expired Registration of a Motor Car may be renewed, to extend the Period a Contract of Insurance remains in Force in relation to a Motor Car and to make further Provision with respect to the Recovery by Authorized Insurers of Moneys paid under Contracts of Insurance in Discharge of Liabilities created by Persons convicted of certain Offences*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

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

Adoption of Children Act 1964—Adoption of Children Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 232/1965).
 Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Hairdressing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 230/1965).
 Coal Mines Act 1958—Report of the General Manager of the State Coal Mines, including the State Coal Mines Balance-sheet and Statement of Accounts, for the year 1964–65.
 Fisheries Act 1958—Proclamation—Minimum legal length of scallops (S.R. No. 231/1965).
 Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1958—Accounts of the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust for the year 1964–65.
 Hospitals and Charities Act 1958—Report of the Hospitals and Charities Commission for the year 1964–65.
 Public Works Committee Act 1958—Twenty-seventh General Report of the Public Works Committee.
 Railways Act 1958—
 Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 30th September, 1965.
 Statement of equipment proposed to be removed from a railway closed to traffic.
 Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act 1958—Report of the Soil Conservation Authority for the year 1964–65.
 State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—Reports of the Trustees of the State Library for the years 1963–64 and 1964–65 (two papers).

8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 15 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

9. **PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable A. Todd moved, as an amendment, That all the words after “That” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof “in the opinion of this House the proposals contained in this Bill (excluding clauses 30, 31 and 32) should be referred to a Select Committee of this House for examination and report”.

Debate ensued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 22.

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

Noes, 9.

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

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

Question—That this Bill be now read a second time—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

10. **VALUATION OF LAND (GENERAL AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
11. **CUL-DE-SAC APPLICATIONS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
12. **TOURIST RESORTS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
13. **GAS REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
14. **DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
15. **PATRIOTIC FUNDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
16. **FLINDERS-LANE ALIGNMENTS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
17. **FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
18. **POULTRY LEVY (COLLECTION ARRANGEMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

19. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

20. JUSTICES (SENTENCING) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Justices Act 1958’ with respect to the Sentencing of Young Persons convicted of Indictable Offences*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

21. STAMPS (BILLS OF EXCHANGE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the Third Schedule of the ‘Stamps Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be now taken into consideration.

And the said amendment was read and is as follows:—

Clause 3, line 21, after “forty-one” insert “of the Principal Act.”

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Council agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly and ordered the Bill to be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

23. JUDGES’ SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

24. COUNTRY ROADS (CADETSHIPS) BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

25. ST. KILDA LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

27. **MARINE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
28. **PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
29. **VETERINARY SURGEONS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
30. **MOTOR CAR (PORTABLE SPEED-MEASURING DEVICES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
31. **APPROPRIATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
32. **JUSTICES (SENTENCING) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
33. **MOTOR CAR (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
34. **STAMPS (BILLS OF EXCHANGE) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
35. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until tomorrow at Eleven o'clock.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
- Debate ensued.

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

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Debate continued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

No. 24.

WEDNESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1965.

1. The President 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:—
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.
3. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the Council shall meet for the despatch of business on Friday next, and that Eleven o'clock shall be the hour of meeting.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
4. PUBLIC OFFICERS SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
5. RACING (DOG RACING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 and 4, be postponed until later this day.
7. LAND TAX (RATES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That This Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
8. SUPERANNUATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put, was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

9. **HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

10. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 10 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

12. **COLLUSIVE PRACTICES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

13. **SUPERANNUATION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.

14. **PUBLIC OFFICERS SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.

15. **PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.

16. **DRAINAGE COMMITTEE.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the following Members of this House be appointed members of the Drainage Committee, viz. :—the Honorables I. R. Cathie, F. J. Granter, and I. A. Swinburne.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

17. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 12 to 14 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

18. **LIBRARY COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

19. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 16, be postponed until later this day.

20. **STAMPS (BILLS OF EXCHANGE) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

21. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

24. HOME FINANCE (SECOND MORTGAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time having been read—

Debate resumed.

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

THURSDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1965.

Debate continued.

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

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

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

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

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

No. 25.

THURSDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1965.

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

3. **LOWER YARRA CROSSING AUTHORITY BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.
The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Debate resumed on question, That this Bill be now read a second time, and the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
4. **EVIDENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
5. **LIBRARY COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made in such Bill by the Council.
6. **PAPERS.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Supreme Court—Report of the Judges of the Supreme Court for the year 1964.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
Housing Act 1958—Report of the Housing Commission for the year 1964–65.
7. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
8. **STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
9. **LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
10. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—
Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 and 8, be postponed until later this day.
Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

11. **INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
12. **JUSTICES (SENTENCING) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
13. **CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2).**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
14. **APPROPRIATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
15. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the Council, at six minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 24.

TUESDAY, 15TH MARCH, 1966.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. W. M. Campbell*).
3. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*).
4. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
5. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*).
6. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

DRAINAGE (JOINT).—The Honorables I. R. Cathie, F. J. Granter, and I. A. Swinburne.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 25.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH MARCH, 1966.

- *1. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Does the Government endorse the reported statement in the *Morwell Advertiser* of 8th instant, attributed to the Minister of Lands, the Hon. J. C. M. Balfour, M.L.A., at a conference of municipalities convened by the Shire of Morwell, where in reply to the question "Who owns the natural gas?", he answered, "The State and the Government".
 - Does the Government intend to make available the easements used by the Gas and Fuel Corporation and the Latrobe Valley Water and Sewerage Board for its outfall sewer for purposes of piping natural gas by private companies to Melbourne.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Has any extension of time been granted to H.J.K. Pty. Ltd. regarding the development of the area at Flinders-street, west of Swanston-street; if so—(i) when was the application made, and by whom; (ii) when was the extension granted, and for what period; and (iii) was any opportunity given to other persons interested to take up the option to develop the site, and if not, why.
 - Has the Minister received or requested from the Railways Commissioners any suggestions concerning the future development of Flinders-street Railway Station to be co-ordinated with plans now under consideration by private air developers such as H.J.K. Pty. Ltd.
- *3. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
- What sums has the Government expended on the dental health of school children during each of the past five years.
 - What dental treatment is provided by the Government for children at primary and secondary schools, respectively.
 - Is any free dental treatment available to children attending pre-school centres.
 - What is the Government doing to educate children in dental care.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many teachers have resigned from the secondary school service over the periods 1960-61, 1961-62, 1962-63, 1963-64, and 1964-65, respectively.
 - How many such teachers were teachers of mathematics and science, and of these, how many hold a university degree in mathematics or science.
- *5. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Has the disease known as "Newcastle disease" in poultry been found in Victoria; if so, where.
 - What is being done to detect it in Victoria.
 - Have any regulations been proclaimed.
 - Can eggs and poultry flesh be brought into Victoria on any condition.
 - Is an effective control being maintained at possible points of entrance to Victoria from New South Wales.
 - Is "Newcastle disease" being treated seriously by the departmental officers.
 - Have poultry producers been circularized as to its dangers and control.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *6. The Hon. J. M. WALTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many children are cared for under the "cottage mother system".
 - How many of these homes are in existence, and where are they situated.
 - At what age are children placed in these homes, and at what age are they required to leave.
 - Does the Government maintain an interest in those children required to leave; if so, to what extent.
 - Is it a fact that in at least one of these homes children regarded as problem children or mentally retarded are cared for; if so, is any special interest given to the welfare of these children when required to leave.
- *7. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- When was re-alignment of the Princes Highway at Yarragon and Trafalgar commenced.
 - When is it considered the final straightening of the Princes Highway at Yarragon and Trafalgar will be completed.
 - Is the delay being experienced caused by payment of compensation for businesses which will have to be closed.
 - Will the value of such businesses depreciate because of the blanket over the area; if so, will compensation be paid on the reduced value.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Is the Minister of Education aware that certain text books are not available to secondary school students.
 - What action does he propose to take to remedy this situation.
- *9. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
- Has the Minister any knowledge of the operation of the free dental nurse service to school children in New Zealand.
 - Will he give consideration to the introduction of such a service in Victoria, having regard to the appalling state of children's teeth.
- *10. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- What are the scheduled dates for completion of—(i) the Tullamarine freeway (Highway 14); (ii) the St. Kilda Junction—Queens-road project; (iii) the South-Eastern freeway; (iv) the Melbourne ring road; (v) the New Footscray-road—Dybon-road over-pass and road extensions; and (vi) the Lower Yarra crossing.
 - What are the locations or routes of the above-mentioned undertakings.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What amounts of money have been made available to or obtained by Victorian Co-operative Housing Societies during the calendar years 1964 and 1965, respectively, from what lending institutions and in what amounts was the money obtained, and to what societies were advances made.
- *12. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will the Seaford Foreshore Preservation League, kindred bayside organizations, and local foreshore committees of management be represented on the proposed Port Phillip Bay Authority; if not, how will local interest and initiative be retained on the new authority.
- *13. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How much has the Government spent in the development of air services in Victoria during each of the past five years.
 - Has the Government given any encouragement to the development of any air services in Victoria during the past five years; if so, in what form.
 - Which Minister is nominally responsible for the lack of air services in Victoria.
- *14. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What provision is being made by the Public Works Department to put Hyde-street School, Footscray, in a proper state of repair.
 - When will this repair work be carried out.
- *15. The Hon. J. M. WALTON: To ask the Minister of Housing—
- Is the Minister aware that elderly tenants of the Housing Commission are still required to shift to other accommodation under the threat of losing their rental subsidy if they refuse to do so.
 - Does the Minister realize that these people, many of whom have been tenants for more than twenty years, have built their home to their liking, have committed themselves to hire-purchase contracts for furniture they cannot take with them, and were never informed when first renting the houses that they would be required to leave at a certain age.
 - Is it the Government's intention to take similar action against all Housing Commission tenants when they reach their twilight years.

- *16. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—During the last complete fortnight of operation of the Melbourne—Fishermen's Bend and Garden City—Bulleen bus services—
 (i) what was the total amount paid to bus drivers and bus conductors working these services, respectively ;
 (ii) what amount of revenue was collected ; and (iii) what was the last complete fortnight of operation of these services.
- *17. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—With a grossly inadequate playing area and an increase of over 100 pupils in the past twelve months, what is being done in respect of the George-street State School, Fitzroy, No. 650, to—(i) provide increased accommodation ;
 (ii) improve toilet facilities ; and (iii) supplement playground and sporting facilities.
- *18. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When is it proposed to carry out renewal of the water services at the Elizabeth-street School, Newport.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Murray Byrne).
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4. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
5. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes).
6. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. V. O. DICKIE : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Money Lenders Act 1958* by exempting certain Transactions from the Operation of that Act.
- *2. The Hon. R. J. HAMER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Law relating to Instruments and Securities and for other purposes.
- *3. The Hon. R. J. HAMER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958* and Section 10B of the *Municipal Association Act 1907*, and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. MOTOR CAR BILL (No. 2)—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *3. AUDIT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.

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

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

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

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

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 26.

TUESDAY, 15TH MARCH, 1966.

1. The Council met in accordance with adjournment, the President, pursuant to resolution, having fixed this day at half-past Four o'clock as the time of meeting.
2. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
3. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council—

That he had, on the dates mentioned hereunder, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

On the 14th December, 1965—

Weights and Measures (Amendment) Act.
Statute Law Revision Act.
Valuation of Land (General Amendment) Act.
Cul-de-sac Applications Act.
Tourist Resorts Act.
Gas Regulation (Amendment) Act.
Dried Fruits (Amendment) Act.
Patriotic Funds (Amendment) Act.
Flinders-lane Alignments Act.
Forests (Amendment) Act.
Poultry Levy (Collection Arrangement) Act.
Tomato Processing Industry (Amendment) Act.
Veterinary Surgeons (Further Amendment) Act.
Motor Car (Portable Speed-measuring Devices) Act.
Justices (Amendment) Act.
Judges' Salaries and Allowances Act.
Country Roads (Cadetships) Act.
St. Kilda Land Act.
Public Officers Act.
Marine (Amendment) Act.
Racing (Dog Racing) Act.
Land Tax (Rates) Act.
Collusive Practices Act.
Hospitals Superannuation Act.
Psychological Practices Act.
Public Officers Salaries and Allowances Act.
Superannuation Act.

On the 21st December, 1965—

Road Transport Act.
Stamps (Bills of Exchange) Act.
Survey Co-ordination (Place Names) Act.
Motor Car (Further Amendment) Act.
Universities (Amendment) Act.
Home Finance (Second Mortgages) Act.
Library Council of Victoria Act.
Lower Yarra Crossing Authority Act.
Evidence (Amendment) Act.
State Forests Loan Application Act.
Labour and Industry Act.
Justices (Sentencing) Act.
Consolidated Revenue Act.

That he had, on the 21st December, 1965, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Honorable the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, viz. :—

Appropriation Act.

4. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of “ The indifference shown by the Government and the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board to the needs of the travelling public ” ; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

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

Noes, 22.

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

And so it passed in the negative.

5. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section 37 of the *County Court Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
6. MOTOR CAR BILL (No. 2).—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Motor Car Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
7. AUDIT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘Audit Act 1958’, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
8. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Parole Boards (Adult)—Reports for the year 1964–65 (two papers).

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Adoption of Children Act 1964—Adoption of Children Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 249/1965).

Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—

Agricultural Colleges Advisory Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendments Nos. 1 and 2, 1966 (S.R. Nos. 24 and 72/1966) (two papers).

Agricultural Colleges (Cadets in Training) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 30/1966).

Agricultural Colleges Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 250/1965).

Agricultural Education Act 1958—Agricultural Education (Cadets in Training) Amendment Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 83/1966).

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Painting Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 6/1966).

Apprenticeship (Pastrycooking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 40/1966).

Apprenticeship (Radio Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 15/1966).

Apprenticeship (Vehicle Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 5/1966).

Boilers Inspection Act 1958—Boilers Inspection (Fees) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 12/1966).

Commissions and Boards of Inquiry—Regulations governing the Expenditure of Commissions and Boards of Inquiry 1966 (S.R. No. 58/1966).

Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—Statute Law Revision Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 105/1966).

- Co-operation Act 1958—Co-operative Societies (Advisory Council) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 21/1966).
- Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958—
 Co-operative Housing Societies (Advisory Committee) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 22/1966).
 Co-operative Housing Societies (General) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 29/1966).
 Co-operative Housing Societies (Model Rules Amendment No. 4) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 49/1966).
- Coroners Act 1958—Coroners (Post-mortem Fees and Expenses) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 95/1966).
- Country Fire Authority Act 1958—
 Country Fire Authority (Expenses of Officers and Employees Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 35/1966).
 Country Fire Authority (Meetings and Expenses of Members Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 36/1966).
 Country Fire Authority (Regional Advisory Committees Travelling Expenses Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 37/1966).
 Report of the Country Fire Authority for the year 1964–65.
- Decimal Currency Act 1965—
 Decimal Currency (Agriculture) Orders Nos. 1 and 3, 1966 (S.R. Nos. 43 and 74/1966) (two papers).
 Decimal Currency (Attorney-General) Order No. 1, 1966 (S.R. No. 75/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Chief Secretary) Order No. 1, 1966 (S.R. No. 57/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Country Roads Board) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 66/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Education Department) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 65/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Estate Agents) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 64/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 97/1966).
 Decimal Currency Marine Board Order 1966 (S.R. No. 84/1966).
 Decimal Currency Mines Order 1966 (S.R. No. 81/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Minister of Health) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 79/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Money Lenders) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 67/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Portland Harbor Trust) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 103/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Premier's—Statutory Rules) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 61/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Probate Duty and Entertainments Tax) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 50/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Railways) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 77/1966).
 Decimal Currency (State Electricity Commission of Victoria) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 76/1966).
 Decimal Currency (State Savings Bank) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 44/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Teachers Tribunal) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 87/1966).
 Decimal Currency (Transport Regulation) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 53/1966).
 Decimal Currency Treasury Order 1966 (S.R. No. 80/1966).
- Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—
 Salaries Regulations (S.R. Nos. 10 and 100/1966) (two papers).
 Salaries Regulations (Secretary and Investigation Officers) (S.R. No. 20/1966).
- Dried Fruits Act 1958—
 Dried Fruits Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 55/1966).
 Victorian Dried Fruits Board (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendment No. 1, 1966 (S.R. No. 28/1966).
- Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land at Broadmeadows, Dandenong North, Ferntree Gully, Greensborough and Maryborough (five papers).
- Evidence Act 1958—
 Court Reporting (Fees) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 69/1966).
 Evidence (Crown Witnesses and Interpreters Allowances) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 88/1966).
 Evidence (Pathologists Allowances) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 94/1966).
- Explosives Act 1960—Explosives (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 19/1966).
- Fisheries Act 1958—Commercial Fisheries Council (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 34/1966).
- Gas Regulation Act 1958—Gas Regulation (Emergency Powers) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 68/1966).
- Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958—Amendment of Regulations (S.R. No. 251/1965).
- Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (Relating to Weighbridge Charges) No. 46 (S.R. No. 102/1966).
- Health Act 1958—
 Camping Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 236/1965).
 Child Minding Centres (Health Act) Amendment Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 238/1965).
 Hairdressers' Shops, Beauty Parlors and Chiropodists' Establishments (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 92/1966).
 Report of the Commission of Public Health for the year 1964–65.

- Land Tax Act 1958 and Probate Duty Act 1962, Entertainments Tax Act 1958—Analysis of the operations of—Land Tax for the assessment year 1964; and Probate Duty and Entertainments Tax for the year 1964–65.
- Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Council of Legal Education relating to the qualification and admission of candidates (S.R. No. 234/1965 and No. 11/1966) (two papers).
- Libraries Act 1958—Reports of the Free Library Service Board for the years 1963–64 and 1964–65 (two papers).
- Licensing Act 1958—Licensing (Amendment) Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 1/1966).
- Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958—Local Authorities Superannuation Regulations 1966 (No. 9) (S.R. No. 70/1966).
- Local Government Act 1958—
 Form of Requests Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 104/1966).
 Local Government (Market Fees) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 51/1966).
- Marine Act 1958—Port Rule (Berthing Permits) 1965 (S.R. No. 252/1965).
- Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—
 Chicory Marketing (Accounting Period) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 101/1966).
 Maize Marketing (Further Accounting Period) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 244/1965).
 Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendment No. 1, 1966 (S.R. No. 23/1966).
 Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 243/1965).
 The Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board (Further Registration of Producers) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 239/1965).
- Masseurs Act 1958—Masseurs (Amendment) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 14/1966).
- Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—
 Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works By-law No. 88 relating to Trade Waste Charges (S.R. No. 33/1966).
 Statement of Accounts of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, together with particulars of Rates made for the year 1964–65.
- Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Act 1958—Report and Statement of Accounts of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board for the year 1964–65.
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—
 Melbourne Harbor Trust Inscribed Stock Regulations (Currency Conversion Amendment) (S.R. No. 47/1966).
 Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendment No. 1) (S.R. No. 46/1966).
 Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations (Currency Conversion Amendment) (S.R. No. 48/1966).
- Mental Health Act 1959—
 Mental Health (Medical Positions) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 18/1966).
 Mental Health (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 82/1966).
- Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Report of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board for the year 1964–65.
- Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—
 Dairy Produce Board (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendment No. 1, 1966 (S.R. No. 26/1966).
 Dairy Produce (Notification of Results of Methylene Blue Tests) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 85/1966).
 Regulations prescribing premises as a milk depot (S.R. No. 60/1966).
- Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—Milk Pasteurization Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendment No. 1, 1966 (S.R. No. 27/1966).
- Mines Act 1958—
 Mines (Mineral Search Licences) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 4/1966).
 Mines (Permits to use Explosives) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 78/1966).
 Mines (Tunnelling in Compressed Air) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 3/1966).
- Monash University Act 1958—Report of the Council of Monash University for the year 1964.
- Motor Boating Act 1961—
 Motor Boating (Chelsea Speed Restrictions) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 256/1965).
 Motor Boating (City of Shepparton Authority) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 7/1966).
 Motor Boating (Hopkins River Authority) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 13/1966).
 Motor Boating (Lake Eildon) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 253/1965).
 Motor Boating (Lake Eppalock) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 254/1965).
 Motor Boating (Mordialloc Speed Restrictions) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 255/1965).
- Motor Car Act 1958—
 Motor Car (Equipment No. 1) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 89/1966).
 Motor Car (Insurance) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 248/1965).
 Premiums Committee (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 38/1966).
- National Parks Act 1958—National Park (Mileage Allowances Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 41/1966).

- Opticians Registration Act 1958—Opticians Registration (Qualification) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 98/1966).
- Poisons Act 1962—
 Poisons (Organo-phosphorus Compounds) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 52/1966).
 Special Poisons (Cyanide) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 246/1965).
- Police Offences Act 1958—Police Offences (Animals) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 96/1966).
- Police Regulation Act 1958—
 Determination No. 122 of the Police Service Board.
 Police (Age of Entry) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 39/1966).
 Police (Long Service Leave) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 242/1965).
- Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958—Balance-sheets and Statements of Accounts of the Portland Harbor Trust Commissioners for the year 1964–65 (four papers).
- Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
 Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (thirty-one papers).
 Part V.—Allowances (six papers).
 Part VI.—Travelling and other Expenses.
- Public Works Committee Act 1958—Public Works Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations (S.R. No. 9/1966).
- Racing Act 1958—
 Bookmakers, Bookmakers' Clerks and Bookmakers' Course Agents Registration (Decimal Currency) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 62/1966).
 Dog Racing Control Board (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 42/1966).
 Trotting Control Board (Fees) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 31/1966).
- Railways Act 1958—Amendment to By-law No. 375 (S.R. No. 233/1965).
- River Murray Waters Act 1915—Report of the River Murray Commission for the year 1964–65.
- Road Traffic Act 1958—
 Road Traffic (Parking Infringements) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 245/1965).
 Road Traffic (Railway Level Crossings) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 54/1966).
- Sale of Land Act 1962—Sale of Land Regulations 1966 (No. 1) (Arbitrator's Salary and Travelling Expenses) (S.R. No. 99/1966).
- Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 1) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 86/1966).
- Special Funds Act 1910—Special Funds Act Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 241/1965).
- Stamps Act 1958—Stamps (Decimal Currency) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 63/1966).
- State Development Committee Act 1958—State Development Committee (Allowances) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 8/1966).
- State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Provident Fund) General Orders No. 2 (S.R. No. 235/1965).
- Statute Law Revision Committee Act 1948—Statute Law Revision Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 71/1966).
- Stock Diseases Act 1958—Stock Diseases (Extension of Tuberculosis Eradication Area) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 237/1965).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—Solicitors' Remuneration Order 1966.
- Teaching Service Act 1958—
 Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (two papers).
 Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations (four papers).
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 Planning Schemes—
 City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendments Nos. 15 and 16, 1964 and Nos. 23 and 24, 1965 (four papers).
 City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme Section 1—Amendment No. 12, 1965.
 City of Moorabbin Planning Scheme, 1952—Amendment No. 17, 1965.
 Latrobe Valley Sub-regional Planning Scheme 1949—Amendment No. 9, 1965.
 Moe/Newborough Planning Scheme 1951—Amendment No. 10, 1965.
 Morwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 11, 1964.
 Shire of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, with Maps (thirteen papers).
 Tallangatta Planning Scheme 1956—Amendment No. 1, 1965.
 Report of the Town and Country Planning Board for the year 1964–65.

Town and Country Planning Board (Staff) Regulations 1964—Amendments Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 (S.R. Nos. 16, 17, 90, 59, 91 and 106/1966 (six papers).

Transfer of Land Act 1958—Fees (Twentieth Schedule) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 73/1966).

University Act 1958—Financial Statements of the University of Melbourne for the year 1964 (eleven papers).

Valuation of Land Act 1960—

Land Valuation Board of Review Rules 1966 (S.R. No. 93/1966).

Supreme Court (Valuation of Land Appeals) Rules 1965 (S.R. No. 240/1965).

Valuation of Land (Appeals) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 247/1965).

Veterinary Surgeons Act 1958—Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 56/1966).

Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Travelling Expenses) Regulations Amendment No. 1, 1966 (S.R. No. 25/1966).

Water Act 1958—Water (Kimbolton Recreational Area) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 45/1966).

Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 3) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 257/1965).

Workers Compensation Act 1958—

Workers Compensation (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1965 (S.R. No. 2/1966).

Workers Compensation Board (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 32/1966).

9. CENTENARY OF "HANSARD".—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That this House place on record its appreciation of the services rendered to the Parliament by the Reporting Staff of the Victorian Parliamentary Debates (*Hansard*) during the past one hundred years.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

10. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-two minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until tomorrow.

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

No. 27.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH MARCH, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend Sections Sixty-nine, Ninety-four, Ninety-five and Ninety-six of the 'Co-operation Act 1958'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

3. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of “ The failure of the Government to administer and overhaul the law relating to companies ”; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

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

Noes, 19.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne, (*Teller*),
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
W. R. Garrett,
F. J. Granter,
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt,
R. W. May,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it passed in the negative.

4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Local Government Act* 1958 and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
5. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (TOBACCO LEAF MARKETING BOARD) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to determine the Period of Membership of the Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
6. TOBACCO LEAF INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to stabilize the Tobacco Industry in Victoria and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
7. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
Hospitals Superannuation Act 1965—Hospitals Superannuation (Board) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 109/1966).
Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Factories, Shops, Offices and Warehouses) (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 108/1966).
Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Decimal Currency) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 107/1966).
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until Wednesday next.
9. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the said Order be discharged. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 4, be postponed until Wednesday next.
11. SCIENTOLOGY RESTRICTION BILL.—DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—The Honorable S. Merrifield, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the said Order be discharged. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.

12. VALUATION OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
The Honorable A. K. Bradbury, for the Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes, moved, That the said Order be discharged.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.
13. MONEY LENDERS (EXEMPTION) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Money Lenders Act* 1958 by exempting certain Transactions from the Operation of that Act, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
14. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the Law relating to Instruments and Securities and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
15. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act* 1958 and Section 10B of the *Municipal Association Act* 1907, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
16. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie, moved That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
18. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL.—The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, by leave, That the proposals contained in this Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
19. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
20. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 30th instant.
21. MOTOR CAR BILL (NO. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
22. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 26.

TUESDAY, 22ND MARCH, 1966.

1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many teachers have resigned from the secondary school service over the periods 1960–61, 1961–62, 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, respectively.
 - (b) How many such teachers were teachers of mathematics and science, and of these, how many hold a university degree in mathematics or science.

2. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) When was re-alignment of the Princes Highway at Yarragon and Trafalgar commenced.
 - (b) When is it considered the final straightening of the Princes Highway at Yarragon and Trafalgar will be completed.
 - (c) Is the delay being experienced caused by payment of compensation for businesses which will have to be closed.
 - (d) Will the value of such businesses depreciate because of the blanket over the area; if so, will compensation be paid on the reduced value.

3. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What are the scheduled dates for completion of—(i) the Tullamarine freeway (Highway 14); (ii) the St. Kilda Junction–Queens-road project; (iii) the South-Eastern freeway; (iv) the Melbourne ring road; (v) the New Footscray-road–Dynon-road over-pass and road extensions; and (vi) the Lower Yarra crossing.
 - (b) What are the locations or routes of the above-mentioned undertakings.

- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What are the reasons for such prolonged consideration of the request of the Retired Police Association for a revision of pension payments since the Assistant Chief Secretary was first interviewed on 15th August, 1962, and when is finality anticipated.
 - (b) When was the inter-departmental committee set up to inquire into police pensions and police widows' pensions.
 - (c) Has the committee completed its inquiry; if so—(i) when; (ii) what were its recommendations; and (iii) have such recommendations been considered by Cabinet.

- *5. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the Minister of Transport reached a decision in the matter of the Mornington–Frankston rail service; if not, when will the decision be made, and on what advice will it be based.
 - (b) Will the Minister give an assurance that a restored train service would operate at least as many daily services as the present bus company.

- *6. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the Minister's attention been drawn to the following statement attributed to the Honorable the Premier which appears on page 3 of the Melbourne *Herald* of the 16th instant, "I always feel that the party that won't agree to an independent arbitrator must feel that it has a weak case".
 - (b) Will the Minister endeavour to have the Premier apply the principle of the use of an arbitrator to the current dispute between the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board and the Tramway Employees Union.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology applied to the University of Melbourne and the Schools Examination Board to have its Diploma of Public Administration classified as an approved Diploma course; if so, when was the request made, and when will a decision be made.
- *8. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Are private bus operators required to provide concession fares to pensioners and students.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (TOBACCO LEAF MARKETING BOARD) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
2. AUDIT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
- *3. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *4. TOBACCO LEAF INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
- *5. MONEY LENDERS (EXEMPTION) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
6. MOTOR CAR BILL (NO. 2)—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
- *7. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
- *8. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
- *9. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.

WEDNESDAY, 23RD MARCH.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne)*.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell)*.
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH MARCH.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

DRAINAGE (JOINT).—The Honorables I. R. Cathie, F. J. Granter, and I. A. Swinburne.

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

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

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

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

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 22ND MARCH, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. VAGRANCY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to Vagrancy and Kindred Offences and for Purposes connected therewith* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 28B of the ‘ Property Law Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Part V. of the ‘ Legal Profession Practice Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. EDUCATION (COUNCIL OF ADULT EDUCATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Sub-section (3) of Section Sixty-six of the ‘ Education Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill relating to the Spraying of Agricultural Chemicals from Aircraft and for incidental and other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Decimal Currency Act 1965—Forests (Decimal Currency) Order 1966 (S.R. No. 111/1966).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Tobacco Leaf Marketing (Accounting Period) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 112/1966).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part V.—Allowances.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - City of Ararat Planning Scheme 1953—Amendment No. 6, 1965.
 - City of Shepparton Planning Scheme 1953—Amendment No. 9, 1965.
 - Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendments Nos. 1, 1965 (Shire of Barrabool) and 4, 1965 (Shire of South Barwon) (two papers).
 - Portland Planning Scheme 1957—Amendment No. 6, 1965 (Town of Portland).
 - Shire of Ballarat Planning Scheme 1956—Amendment No. 12, 1965.
 - Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959—Amendments Nos. 10 and 11, 1964 (two papers).
 - Tyers Planning Scheme 1952—Amendment No. 2, 1965.
8. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (TOBACCO LEAF MARKETING BOARD) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

9. **AUDIT (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 3, be postponed until later this day.
11. **TOBACCO LEAF INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 5th April next.
12. **MONEY LENDERS (EXEMPTION) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. **LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. **AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 5th April next.
15. **PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
16. **VAGRANCY BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. **EDUCATION (COUNCIL OF ADULT EDUCATION) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
18. **MOTOR CAR BILL (No. 2).**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
19. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 27.

TUESDAY, 29TH MARCH, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many teachers have resigned from the secondary school service over the periods 1960–61, 1961–62, 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, respectively.
 - (b) How many such teachers were teachers of mathematics and science, and of these, how many hold a university degree in mathematics or science.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. WALTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Is he aware that the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works is refusing to supply any further new water services in the Knox Shire.
 - (b) Upon what grounds is the Board refusing to carry out its obligations.
 - (c) Will he intervene and direct the Board to continue to supply services until such time as the disagreement is settled.
 - (d) Will he lay on the table of the Library the agreement between the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works and the Knox Shire, and files dealing with this matter.
- *3. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) In view of the Honorable the Minister of Education's undertaking to him (the Honorable Murray Byrne), to the Stawell Town Council and to the Council of the Stawell Technical School, in his letter of 19th July, 1965, that tenders for new buildings would be called during 1965, will the Minister give reasons as to why this work has not commenced.
 - (b) When is it expected that tenders will be called for the new buildings.
- *4. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 - (a) Who are the members of the Dental Advisory Committee set up by the Government on 5th May, 1965.
 - (b) What are the terms of reference of this Committee.
 - (c) Has he received any interim report from the Committee.
 - (d) When does he expect to receive the report of the Committee.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Of the 61 high schools, 25 technical schools and 3 girls' secondary schools established in the metropolitan area since 1956—(i) how many have enrolments of over 650 pupils, and what are the actual enrolments at each such school; (ii) how many were commenced in temporary accommodation, what sort of temporary accommodation was used, and what schools are still using temporary accommodation, either wholly or in part; and (iii) what proportions of the secondary teachers now employed at these schools are—(a) permanent, and (b) holders of University degrees, and what were the overall proportions at state secondary schools in 1956.
- *6. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Have tenders been called for demolition of the cloak room and the building of a new cloak room at State School No. 643, Chisholm-street, Wangaratta; if so, when.
 - (b) Has a tender been accepted; if so, when; if not, what is the delay in view of the dangerous nature of the cloak room.
 - (c) Has the boundary line between the old Wangaratta High School, now the Chisholm-street Primary School, and the Council Club Hotel been determined; if so, in view of the dangerous state of the dividing fence, when is it anticipated that a new fence will be erected; if not, when is it expected to be determined.

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*7. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) What is the student population at—(i) Yarra Park State School; (ii) Central State School, Highett-street, Richmond; (iii) Brighton-street State School; (iv) North Richmond State School; (v) Burnley State School; (vi) Cremorne-street State School; and (vii) Lithgow-street State School, Abbotsford.
- (b) When is it anticipated that tenders will be called for the construction of the Richmond High School.

*8. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—

- (a) How many school dental officers are at present appointed in Victoria, and how are they paid.
- (b) Who is in charge of the School Dental Service of Victoria.
- (c) During the year 1965—(i) how many primary and pre-school children, respectively, were treated by school dental officers; (ii) what was the total number of fillings; (iii) what was the number of carious permanent teeth extracted; and (iv) what was the number of carious deciduous teeth extracted.
- (d) How many pre-school centres and primary schools were visited by school dental officers during 1965.
- (e) Will he make available to him (the Hon. M. A. Clarke) the posters and pamphlets provided for schools and pre-school centres by his Department.

*9. The Hon. S. MERRIFIELD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What has been the expenditure since the passing of the *Westernport (Oil Refinery) Act 1963* on—(i) port and harbor works; (ii) the supply of water and other services; and (iii) road works from the Country Roads Board or petrol tax funds.

*10. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) What proposals has the Government made to alter the composition of the Teachers Tribunal.
- (b) What objections have been stated to these proposals by organizations representing secondary teachers.
- (c) What steps has the Government taken to settle these differences.
- (d) How many conferences have been held, when have they been held, and what progress has been achieved.

*11. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—

- (a) Is he aware of the proposal of the Victorian Nursing Council for a basic curriculum for general nurse training in Victoria; if so, what are his plans regarding such proposal.
- (b) If he supports the proposal, can he give an assurance that sufficient trainees will be available to undertake the new training and at the same time ensure that an adequate number of nurses will be available to provide proper patient care, particularly in country training hospitals.
- (c) What effect will the introduction of such a proposal have on country training hospitals.
- (d) What would be the capital cost of providing new classrooms, offices, nurses accommodation and change rooms at training hospitals.
- (e) Would the Government provide funds over and above capital finance to the Hospitals and Charities Commission to meet this additional cost, or how will it be met.
- (f) Will the Government carry out a State-wide survey into all aspects of nursing necessary to meet the requirements of the whole community before agreeing to the new curriculum.

*12. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) What are the terms and schedules required to be observed by the operator of the private bus service between St. Kilda and Fishermen's Bend.
- (b) Is it regular practice for the Transport Regulation Board to allow private bus services to operate only during peak periods.

*13. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) What airfields are owned by the State of Victoria, and what is the area of each.
- (b) What airfields are owned by municipalities in Victoria, and what is the area of each.
- (c) Which Minister is responsible for the airfields owned by the State of Victoria.
- (d) Which Minister handles correspondence from the Commonwealth Government concerning airfields and/or airports in Victoria.

*14. The Hon. J. M. WALTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) Is he aware of the newly established research service provided by the Federal Parliamentary Library to assist Members, particularly back-benchers, to gain vital information for use in debates.
- (b) Will the Government consider implementing a similar service to assist Members of the Victorian Parliament.

- *15. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Are cafes serving visitors to Victorian National Parks operated and controlled by private operators on lease; if so, are any terms set out in the lease in which the lessee agrees to provide a given service to the public.
 - What are the terms agreed to in respect of Cresta Run Lodge, Mt. Buffalo, and the cafe at Wilson's Promontory, respectively, and for what period or periods within the past ten weeks have these services been available.
 - Has the Government's attention been drawn to the problem associated with the control of such leases in recent reports from the National Parks Authority; if so, what action has it taken to ensure the satisfactory continuance of such services.
- *16. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What is the present water supply at the Stanhope State School.
 - What plans does the Education Department have for the improvement and extension of the water supply.
- *17. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What is the basis of operation of the Ports and Harbors Division's tugs *Henry Bolte* and *Murray Porter*, which are being operated by the shipping companies.
 - How long will these shipping companies be operating these tugs.
- *18. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What are the total enrolments and new enrolments at Doveton High School and Doveton Technical School, respectively.
 - What temporary accommodation is being used by Doveton Technical School, what is the nature of such accommodation, and how many classes and pupils are affected.
 - What sites have been reserved in the Shire of Berwick for future secondary schools, where are these sites, and what schools are planned for them.
- *19. The Hon. S. MERRIFIELD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Minister lay on the table of the Library any agreement, lease, or other documents or files relating to the search by Esso Standard Oil (Aust.) Ltd. and Broken Hill Proprietary Co. Ltd. for oil or gas in the ocean contiguous to this State.
- *20. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Who are the personnel of the Land Valuation Board of Review.
 - What qualifications does each member possess, and what is his previous experience.
 - By whom were the members selected.
- *21. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many totalizator agencies are conducted in the Richmond Electoral District, and where is each located.
 - What is the weekly turnover of each agency, and the net weekly revenue to the Treasury.
- *22. The Hon. S. MERRIFIELD: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will he lay on the table of the Library copies of agreements made between municipalities and decentralized industries for the reduction or remission of municipal rates as approved by him.
- *23. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many traffic blitzes have been conducted by the Victoria Police Force from 1st December, 1965, to date.
 - How many motorists were booked for traffic offences in each blitz.
 - How many members of the police force were used in each blitz.
- *24. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—What is the present rental charged by the Housing Commission for—(i) homes of one, two, and three bedrooms, respectively; (ii) lone person units; and (iii) Darby and Joan units.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- EDUCATION (COUNCIL OF ADULT EDUCATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).

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- *10. VAGRANCY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
11. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

WEDNESDAY, 30TH MARCH.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

TUESDAY, 5TH APRIL.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. TOBACCO LEAF INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- *2. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).

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

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

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

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

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 29.

TUESDAY, 29TH MARCH, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. DEATH OF GENERAL SIR REGINALD ALEXANDER DALLAS BROOKS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That this House place on record its profound sorrow at the death of General Sir Reginald Alexander Dallas Brooks, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., K.C.V.O., D.S.O., former Governor of Victoria, and its appreciation of the high character, dignity, and outstanding ability which distinguished him throughout his long and honorable career.

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

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

3. REID MURRAY ACCEPTANCE LIMITED (SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to facilitate the Making of an Application to the Supreme Court of Victoria for the Approval of a Scheme of Arrangement between Reid Murray Acceptance Limited and its Creditors and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

4. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Nurses Act 1958' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

5. LAKE CORANGAMITE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to the Surrender to the Crown of Certain Lands inundated by or adjacent to Lakes Corangamite, Gnarpurt or Murdeduke and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

6. CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend Section 318 of the 'Crimes Act 1958'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

7. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make provision with respect to the Examination of Officers of Companies, to facilitate the Taking of Action against certain Officers, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
8. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
- Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 51) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 113/1966).
- Dandenong Valley Authority Act 1963—Report and Statement of Accounts of the Dandenong Valley Authority for the year 1964–65.
- Maintenance Act 1965—Maintenance Rules 1966 (S.R. No. 110/1966).
- Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Portable Speed-measuring Devices) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 115/1966).
- Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.
- Racing Act 1958—Trotting Control Board (Travelling Allowances) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 114/1966).
- Trade Unions Act 1958—Report of the Government Statist on Trade Unions for the year 1965.
9. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Sections Fifteen and Thirty-one of the ‘ State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960 ’ and for other purposes ’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
10. MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (COLLECTORS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘ Marine Stores and Old Metals Act 1958 ’ in relation to the Granting of Licences to Collectors ’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until later this day.
12. EDUCATION (COUNCIL OF ADULT EDUCATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
13. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
14. WOMBAT BONUSES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to suspend the Operation of Section Twenty-four of the ‘ Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958 ’ in relation to Wombats ’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

16. REID MURRAY ACCEPTANCE LIMITED (SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

17. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (TOBACCO LEAF MARKETING BOARD) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

20. CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That the Report be now adopted.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 21.

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

Noes, 7.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a third time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a third time and passed.

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

24. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 5TH APRIL, 1966.

Questions.

*1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) Is the Government aware of the statement by the service engineer for the Gas and Fuel Corporation reported in the *Herald* of the 19th instant, "If the workmen cannot enter the house to make conversion changes for natural gas, they will get in somehow, even if it means breaking a window"; if so, does it support such action.
- (b) What action does the Government propose to take to protect the workmen engaged in such conversion if they have to break into a home, from criminal charges which may be laid against them for breaking and entering.

*2. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has the Government made a decision on the recommendations contained in the Public Works Committee's Progress Report No. 1, Melbourne Metropolitan Future Water Supply, dated 2nd December, 1964; if so, what is the decision; if not—(i) when will it make a decision; and (ii) has the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works made an approach to the Government for a decision to be given, and when was the approach made.

*3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—

- (a) Have charges been raised for old age pensioners living at the Lotus Lodge Hostel for the Aged, Rosebud; if so, what were the previous charges and what are the new charges for meals, rooms, and flats, respectively.
- (b) What subsidies does the Government make available to the hostel for—(i) capital grants for new works; and (ii) capital grants for maintenance and repairs.
- (c) What assistance will the Government grant by way of further subsidy to meet the increased costs of administration and new works.

*4. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

- (a) How many co-operative housing societies have been formed in each of the last three financial years, and where is each society located.
- (b) How many societies have been formed to date in this financial year.
- (c) From what source was the necessary finance obtained for each such society.

*5. The Hon. J. M. TRIFOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—

- (a) What is the present allowance of tobacco and/or cigarettes made to inmates of Victorian mental institutions.
- (b) Has this ration been varied at any time within the past ten years; if so, why, when, and by what amount.
- (c) What has been the cost of providing this allowance during each of the past six years.

*6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

- (a) How many applications for Darby and Joan and lone person units are outstanding at the present time.
- (b) How many applicants is it anticipated will be accommodated in the current financial year.
- (c) What was the total amount of expenditure on slum reclamation for the financial year 1964-65 and to February in the current financial year.

* *Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.*

- *7. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
- In what areas has siren wasp been found since 1st July, 1965.
 - Has the spread of the wasp been eradicated, reduced or contained.
 - What progress has been made by the siren parasites *ibalia leucospoides* and *rhyssa persuasoria* in their effect on the wasp.
 - What other action is being taken to eradicate the wasp.
 - What has been the total cost to date of the campaign to eradicate the wasp.
- *8. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What investigations have been made into allegations of police using rough methods to break up anti-conscription demonstrations.
 - What truth is there in the claims that police recently tore up placards and rode their horses through the crowd in the post office square.
 - Have any demonstrators been charged on summons; if not, why were demonstrators placed in the divisional vans.
 - Does the Government agree with a Federal Minister's statement that these demonstrations must be stopped; if so, what civil liberties remain for ordinary citizens to protest against government decisions.
- *9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many hundredweight of briquettes were purchased by the Royal Australian Air Force at Laverton—(i) during the weeks ended 10th, 17th, and 24th July, 1965; and (ii) during the weeks ended 12th, 19th, and 26th March, 1966, for private use by the Air Force personnel.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Government received any requests or deputations from any organization or group of individuals urging the extension of trading hours for petrol stations; if so, when were the requests made, and by whom.
- *11. The Hon. J. W. GALBALLY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What were the reasons which impelled the Country Fire Authority to build its headquarters in Melbourne.
 - What was the price of the land.
 - What is the estimated cost of the buildings and furnishings.
- *12. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- When does the Government intend to fully re-open the Ararat-Maryborough rail service as promised before the 1964 elections.
 - Does the Government have any plans in connexion with the strengthening of the Hamilton-Horsham line in order that it may be used to freight all primary products.
- *13. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What progress is being made with the eradication of ragwort by means of the cinnabar moth.
 - What measure of success has the Vermin and Noxious Weeds Destruction Board had with the breeding of the cinnabar moth.
 - What other research is being carried out as a means of effectual eradication of ragwort by scientific application.
- *14. The Hon. G. J. O'Connell: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—What payments have been made from Government funds to each kindergarten and pre-school centre in the cities of Fitzroy, Collingwood and Richmond, for maintenance and salaries in the financial year 1964-65.
- *15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Is he aware of the agreement which exists between the Master Builders' Association and the Institute of Quantity Surveyors; if so, does the Government consider this as a restrictive practice.
 - If it is considered to be restrictive, what action does the Government propose to take to stop this practice.
- *16. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many Education Department teaching studentships were awarded for students to commence studies in 1966.
 - How many of these studentships were not taken up by the recipients of the awards.
 - When were the awards announced.
 - How many recipients failed to take up their studentships because the awards were announced so late that they had taken other positions in the meantime.
- *17. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Concerning a decision to restore the Garden City-Bulleen bus service on Monday, 28th March, 1966, which has not been running since 27th December, 1965—(i) when was the decision made; (ii) by whom; and (iii) are the buses now restored manned by two men.

- *18. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Do tractors owned by high school advisory councils incur a full registration fee if it is necessary for the tractor to cross a road in proceeding from one part of the school grounds to another part of the grounds; if so, will the Government give consideration to a concession rate of registration for tractors owned by school councils and committees.
- *19. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—How many serving members of Her Majesty's forces are housed in the Housing Commission's estate at Laverton.
- *20. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In regard to the successful appeal to the Minister by the Victorian Butter Factories Co-operative Co. Ltd. to build a cold storage unit and offices on railway land surrounded by the first class North Carlton residential area known as Princes Hill—(i) did he take any steps to obtain the opinion of local residents; (ii) did he seek any advice from competent real estate sources on the effect his decision to uphold the appeal will have on land values in the immediate vicinity; and (iii) if an official approach is made, will he consider the suggestion made at a Melbourne City Council meeting, that the Town Planning Committee be given authority to approach the Railways Department and offer the same rent to lease the area for development of recreational facilities.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (COLLECTORS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *3. WOMBAT BONUSES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *4. REID MURRAY ACCEPTANCE LIMITED (SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *5. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- *6. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *7. PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- *8. TOBACCO LEAF INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- *9. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *10. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- *11. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *12. LAKE CORANGAMITE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- *13. VAGRANCY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *14. CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- *15. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

General Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION:—

- *1. The Hon. P. V. FELTHAM: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Licensing Act* 1958.
- *2. The Hon. SIR PERCY BYRNES: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Sub-section (1) of Section 5 of the *Commercial Goods Vehicles Act* 1958.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. W. M. Campbell*).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
- *4. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 29.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH APRIL, 1966.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Is it correct that "Mr. X", who appeared before a recent police inquiry, has been offered an open indemnity on all crimes; if so, does the indemnity cover crimes committed by "Mr. X" which were not covered by the inquiry.
 - Does "Mr. X" own his own home at Braybrook.
 - Has "Mr. X" been given a Housing Commission home at Wangaratta; if so, on what terms.
 - Does "Mr. X" receive any financial payment from the Government or from some government agency.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. Knight: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What are the costs entailed to convert the following gas appliances to natural gas usage—(i) a domestic stove; (ii) a bath heater; (iii) a hot water service; (iv) a room heater; (v) a clothes dryer; and (vi) a meter.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—With reference to land and properties situated at 427-441 Lygon-street, Carlton, are these properties under an order of acquisition by any Government department; if so—(i) which department, and for what purpose; (ii) when is it anticipated that occupation will be taken; (iii) have compensation amounts been fixed, and if so, from what date; (iv) what is the anticipated date of completion of the re-development; and (v) has the Government received and/or authorized any requests from private persons to interview present owners allegedly with the view to purchasing the properties, and if so, who are these persons and what are the reasons given for purchase.
- *4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Has the committee appointed to investigate the boundaries of the various fire authorities met; if not, when is it contemplated that it will start meeting.
 - Who are the personnel of such committee.
- *5. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- When the Assistant Director of Education, Mr. Russell, visited the Wonthaggi Technical-High School did he instruct the Principal that certain rooms were not to be used as class-rooms.
 - Did Mr. Russell also promise the immediate despatch of an additional portable class-room; if so, why has it not arrived.
 - Was any other offer subsequently made; if so, what was the attitude of the Advisory Council.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Is the current quinquennial investigation of the State Superannuation Fund completed; if so, is the Fund in surplus, and by what amount.
 - Have any previous investigations revealed a surplus; if so—(i) when; (ii) by what amount; (iii) how was it disposed of; (iv) were the contributors to the Fund or their representatives consulted in any way; and (v) will any such discussions take place if there is a surplus on this occasion.
 - Have recent investigations made into the Commonwealth Superannuation Fund revealed a surplus; if so—(i) by what amount; (ii) is the Government aware of what action was taken by the Commonwealth Government to dispose of the surplus, and if so, what was done; (iii) have the payments due to the Commonwealth Superannuation Fund been adjusted in order to reduce the size of the future surplus expected from the more lucrative investment opportunities available for the accumulated moneys of such funds; and (iv) has the Victorian Government considered similar proposals to be applied to the State Superannuation Fund surplus (if any), and with what result.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

*7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) What are the comparative costs of building a brown coal power station and a natural gas fired power station of 700 megawatt output.
- (b) What ancilliary equipment is needed for use of natural gas firing as compared to brown coal firing.
- (c) What would be the cost of converting a 700 megawatt gas fired station to a brown coal fired station.
- (d) What would be the cost of converting a 700 megawatt brown coal fired station to a gas fired station.

*8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—Has he announced that rents will be raised for Housing Commission homes and flats; if so—(i) what are the present rents charged for two and three bedroom homes and/or flats, respectively, within the Broadmeadows, Ascot Vale, and Flemington Housing Commission areas; (ii) what rents will be charged for each under the proposed increases; and (iii) will the rents be raised for lone-person units or Darby and Joan flats, and if so, by what amount.

*9. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) Will the Minister point out in what way his answer to Question No. 12 asked in the House on Tuesday, the 5th instant, constitutes a satisfactory reply to both sections of the question which refer to specific railway lines.
- (b) Will he arrange to have the file on any discussions since 1964 concerning the relevant services laid on the table of the Library.

*10. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) In respect of the Broadmeadows High School, Fawkner High School, Strathmore High School, and Pascoe Vale Girls' Secondary School, how many periods of English, mathematics, history, and science, respectively, are taught each week.
- (b) Of these periods, how many are at present taught by—(i) qualified teachers having the minimum educational requirements demanded by the Education Department for permanent employment in secondary schools; and (ii) persons qualified to teach in the subject they are now teaching.

*11. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will he lay on the table of the Library the file on the proceedings of the appeal by the Victorian Butter Factories Co-operative Co. Ltd. concerning railway land at North Carlton.

*12. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Further to his answer to Question No. 3 asked in the House on 22nd March, 1966, that the scheduled date for the completion of the Tullamarine freeway will be three years after the commencement date anticipated to be some time this year (*Hansard*, page 2888), is the Government aware that literature circulated by the Victoria Promotion Committee for local and overseas information has quoted the completion date as 1967; if so, has any action been taken to correct the apparent error.

*13. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What is the total amount of payments that have been made to the Victoria Promotion Committee by the Government since its inception, and what responsibility does the Government take for the veracity of the committee's statements.

General Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION:—

1. The Hon. P. V. FELTHAM: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Licensing Act* 1958.
2. The Hon. SIR PERCY BYRNES: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Sub-section (1) of Section 5 of the *Commercial Goods Vehicles Act* 1958.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Murray Byrne).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. W. M. Campbell).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
4. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. V. O. DICKIE : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Medical Act 1958* with respect to the Foreign Practitioners Qualification Committee, and for purposes connected therewith.
- *2. The Hon. V. O. DICKIE : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to repeal Sub-section (4) of Section 14 of the *Opticians Registration Act 1958*.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHELTERED WORKSHOPS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *4. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *5. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *6. LOCH PUBLIC HALL TRUST BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- 7. TOBACCO LEAF INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- 8. REID MURRAY ACCEPTANCE LIMITED (SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 9. LAKE CORANGAMITE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).
- 10. MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (COLLECTORS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 11. CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 12. VAGRANCY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 13. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 14. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- 15. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- 16. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

TUESDAY, 12TH APRIL.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- 1. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- 2. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
- *3. EVIDENCE (MEDICAL EVIDENCE) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. Todd).
- 4. WOMBAT BONUSES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

DRAINAGE (JOINT).—The Honorables I. R. Cathie, F. J. Granter, and I. A. Swinburne.

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

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

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

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

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 30.

TUESDAY, 5TH APRIL, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. DEATH OF THE HONORABLE SIR ARTHUR GEORGE WARNER.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That this House place on record its deep regret at the death of the Honorable Sir Arthur George Warner, K.B.E., a former Member of this House, and its keen appreciation of the long and valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria as a Member for the Higinbotham Province, a Minister of the Crown, and Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council.
And other Honorable Members and the President having addressed the House—
The question was put and, Honorable Members signifying their assent by standing in their places, unanimously resolved in the affirmative.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
Education (Council of Adult Education) Act.
Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Act.
Co-operation (Amendment) Act.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHELTERED WORKSHOPS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Labour and Industry Act 1958’ with respect to Persons employed in Sheltered Workshops, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Section Fifty-nine of the ‘Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. LOCH PUBLIC HALL TRUST BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to validate a certain Deed of Trust relating to certain Land at Loch and the Building thereon known as the Loch Mechanics’ Institute Hall, to authorize the Application of certain Moneys raised for the Purpose of building a Memorial Hall at Loch to the Erection of Extensions to the said Building, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.
The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to clarify the Persons who are deemed to be Producers in terms of the *Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958*, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

8. **VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section 4 of the *Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
9. **EVIDENCE (MEDICAL EVIDENCE) BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section Twenty-eight of the *Evidence Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
10. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 Education Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Fern Tree Gully.
 Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
 Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.
 Part V.—Allowances.
 Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 31st December, 1965.
 State Development Act 1958—Second Progress Report of the State Development Committee on the Economic Development of Gippsland with particular reference to the Tourist Potential of Phillip Island.
11. **MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (COLLECTORS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
12. **STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. **WOMBAT BONUSES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable A. W. Knight, for the Honorable J. M. Tripovich, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. **EVIDENCE (MEDICAL EVIDENCE) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 9 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
16. **AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
 Debate resumed.
 The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. **NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
 House in Committee.
 The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 Ordered—That that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

18. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

19. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to certain Police Offences* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

20. PROPERTY LAW (LOANS TO MINORS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

21. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

No. 31.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH APRIL, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Sub-section (2) of Section 82 of the ‘Country Fire Authority Act 1958’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (INTERSTATE FIRE BRIGADES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to enable Interstate Fire Brigades to assist in Fire Fighting Operations in Victoria, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. AUDIT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
5. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable P. V. Feltham, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Licensing Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
6. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable Sir Percy Byrnes, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Sub-section (1) of Section 5 of the *Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—

Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until the next day of meeting.

Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 3, be postponed until later this day.

8. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 20th instant.

9. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

10. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS QUALIFICATION COMMITTEE) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Medical Act 1958* with respect to the Foreign Practitioners Qualification Committee, and for purposes connected therewith, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.11. OPTICIANS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to repeal Sub-section (4) of Section 14 of the *Opticians Registration Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

12. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until later this day.

14. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHELTERED WORKSHOPS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

15. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

16. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

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

The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 10 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

19. **CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

20. **DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to certain Land at Daylesford permanently reserved as a Site for Mineral Springs and an Ornamental Lake and for the Recreation Convenience and Amusement of the People, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

21. **TOBACCO LEAF INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, and had amended the title thereof, which amended title is as follows:—"*An Act to stabilize the Tobacco Leaf Industry in Victoria and for other purposes*" the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

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

22. **COMPANIES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Companies Act 1961'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

23. **MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (TOBACCO LEAF MARKETING BOARD) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

24. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 19th instant.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-eight minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 19th instant.

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 30.

TUESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What are the comparative costs of building a brown coal power station and a natural gas fired power station of 700 megawatt output.
 - (b) What ancilliary equipment is needed for use of natural gas firing as compared to brown coal firing.
 - (c) What would be the cost of converting a 700 megawatt gas fired station to a brown coal fired station.
 - (d) What would be the cost of converting a 700 megawatt brown coal fired station to a gas fired station.
- *2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the Minister of Transport received a report from the Co-ordinator of Transport on the restoration of the Mornington-Frankston rail service.
 - (b) Has the Minister made a decision on the report (if any); if so, how many trains are to run each day, and what are the proposed fares; if not, when will a decision be made.
- *3. The Hon. MURRAY BYRNE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Is the Minister of Lands aware that the newly created Commonwealth Insurance Corporation has refused to ensure loans on properties situated on residence area titles.
 - (b) In view of the hardships involved to thousands of holders of residence area titles in Ballarat, Ararat, and Stawell, will the Minister make representations to the Federal Minister for Housing to see that holders of residence area titles receive the same privileges and rights afforded under Commonwealth legislation to property owners and purchasers of property of other titles.
- *4. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has the Minister's attention been drawn to a press report referring to a bullet fired from a rifle by a R.S.P.C.A. officer entering an adjoining building and narrowly missing an employee therein.
 - (b) Is the officer concerned the same person who shot calves in the sale-yards at Warragul in Gippsland; if so—(i) on that occasion did a bullet also ricochet, narrowly missing a person; and (ii) is this officer a suitable person to be in charge of a lethal weapon.
- * 5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has any firm decision yet been made on the request made by the Strathmore High School Advisory Council, that a low wall be constructed along the Pascoe Vale frontage to dampen the road noise level, following the visit of the Chief Architect and the Chief Mechanical and Electrical Engineer of the Public Works Department in March, 1965.
- *6. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 - (a) Has an officer of the Hospitals and Charities Commission examined the budgets of the Mooroopna and District Base Hospital.
 - (b) Does the Commission agree that these budgets represent a true forecast of income and expenditure.
 - (c) By how much will the Government grant fall short of requirements for—(i) the Base Hospital; and (ii) the Tatura annexe.
 - (d) Will the Government make an extra allocation available to make up any such shortage.

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- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it correct that two-year trained primary teachers on exchange overseas have been forced to accept half pay because of lack of qualifications; if so, what steps are being taken to bring our teachers up to acceptable overseas standards.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—What was the total weight of tobacco purchased by the Mental Hygiene Authority for issue to mental patients in the financial years 1963-64, 1964-65, and to date in the year 1965-66, and what percentage of the respective purchases was composed of Australian leaf.
- *9. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) Has the *Survey Co-ordination (Place Names) Act* 1965 been proclaimed and gazetted; if so, when; if not, when is it proposed to do so.
 (b) Has the Place Names Committee been selected; if so, who are the personnel.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) Has the report and summary prepared by the traffic consultants following their completion of the metropolitan traffic survey last year been printed; if so, when will it be made available to Parliament.
 (b) Have certain sections of the report been released to the press and/or planning authorities; if so, what sections, and when.
 (c) What has been the total cost of the survey to date.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Further to details supplied in answer to Question No. 5 asked in the House on 29th March, 1966, *re* school accommodation (*Hansard*, page 3002), should not the Buckley Park High School read "Temporary accommodation in part—portable class-rooms"; if so, when will these portable class-rooms be replaced with permanent accommodation.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
- *2. COMPANIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *3. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS QUALIFICATION COMMITTEE) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
4. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
- *5. OPTICIANS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *7. DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
- *8. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (INTERSTATE FIRE BRIGADES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
9. REID MURRAY ACCEPTANCE LIMITED (SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
10. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
11. LAKE CORANGAMITE BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
12. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie)*.
13. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
14. WOMBAT BONUSES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
15. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
16. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
17. EVIDENCE (MEDICAL EVIDENCE) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
18. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHELTERED WORKSHOPS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.

19. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. J. O'Connell*).
20. LOCH PUBLIC HALL TRUST BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. I. R. Cathie*).
21. MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (COLLECTORS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. J. O'Connell*).
22. CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—To be further considered in Committee.
23. VAGRANCY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).
24. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—To be further considered in Committee.
25. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. W. M. Campbell*).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. I. R. Cathie*).
- *4. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading.
- *5. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH APRIL.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).

L. G. McDONALD,
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HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), D. G. Elliot, C. S. Gawith, H. A. Hewson, R. W. May, and A. Todd.

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 31.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH APRIL, 1966.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
- Is a record kept of the number of glaucoma cases; if so, what is the number of people affected.
 - What action is being taken to assist people with this serious problem.
 - Does the Department of Health intend to carry out mass surveys to ascertain the number of people affected by this disease.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Why are buffet cars not utilized on the Melbourne-Adelaide express trains to offer passengers comparable services to those provided on the Melbourne-Sydney expresses.
- *3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Minister of Transport lay on the table of the Library the file and the report of the Co-ordinator of Transport on the restoration of the Mornington-Frankston rail service.
- *4. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Has counting concluded in the election of grower members of the Victorian Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board.
 - Are the four growers who topped the poll Mr. W. McGuffie, Mr. Angelo Rigino, Mr. F. Johnson, and Mr. A. Pizzini; if so, when will he indicate the announcement date of these names.
- *5. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has Dr. Hetherington prepared a report on natural gas for the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria; if so—(i) when was the report made; (ii) what was the cost of the report to the Corporation; and (iii) is the report available to Members of Parliament, and in that case, where.
- *6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many permits under the *Racing Act* 1958 were granted to athletic clubs to allow betting to take place at mixed sports meetings in the years 1964 and 1965, respectively, and to date in the present year.
 - What are the names of the organizations concerned and where were the respective meetings held.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
- What are the principal increased costs that have necessitated the current increases in Housing Commission rents, and what are their respective comparative totals in each of the past five financial years.
 - When did it become evident that rents would have to be increased.
 - What additional revenue is anticipated as a result of such increases in the next full financial year.
- *8. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it the policy of the Government that solicitors' letters giving notice of impending proceedings in civil cases should be served by members of the police force; if not, why was an unstamped legal letter in a civil case concerning a municipal election served by a sergeant of police who is also the official police prosecutor for the Shire of Frankston.

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*9. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) How many of the metropolitan railway stations from which staff has been withdrawn after approximately 8.00 p.m. are still unmanned.
- (b) How many of these withdrawals have taken place since 26th November, 1964, and what stations were affected.
- (c) Have any staff replacements been made during the same period; if so, at what stations.
- (d) Are such movements of staff necessitated because of a continuing staff shortage or because of a pre-determined policy.

*10. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many prosecutions for illegal betting were recorded in the Victorian courts during the years 1964 and 1965, respectively, and to March in the present year.

*11. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

- (a) Of the 906 secondary teachers who resigned in 1965, how many, whether temporary or permanent, were fully qualified with a university degree and teacher training.
- (b) How many such teachers resigned—(i) for reasons of marriage; (ii) by reason of retirement; (iii) to go overseas; (iv) to teach in private schools; and (v) to leave teaching altogether for employment in private industry.

*12. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the Minister of Education's promise to review his rejection of the establishment of a technical school on the Mornington Peninsula last year, has the Minister made his decision for 1966-67; if not, when will it be made.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

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4. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading.
5. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.
6. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
- *7. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

- *1. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER: To move, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Four o'clock, that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business and that no new business be taken after half-past Ten o'clock be rescinded and that for the remainder of the Session the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Two o'clock and Government business shall take precedence of all other business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
2. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (INTERSTATE FIRE BRIGADES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *3. LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *4. FISHERIES AND GAME (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
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19. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.

TUESDAY, 26TH APRIL.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
2. COMPANIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
3. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
4. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS QUALIFICATION COMMITTEE) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
5. DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
6. OPTICIANS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.

TUESDAY, 3RD MAY.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, on the 14th instant, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
 - Nurses (Amendment) Act.*
 - Property Law (Loans to Minors) Act.*
 - Audit (Amendment) Act.*
 - Marketing of Primary Products (Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board) Act.*
3. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make Provision with respect to the Liquidation of Wholly-owned Subsidiaries where the Assets of the Subsidiary are insufficient to enable the Creditors of the Subsidiary to be paid in full and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
4. SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to repeal the *Sheep Dipping Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
5. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Moulding Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 117/1966).
 - Education Act 1958—Certificate of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purpose of a school at Bittern.
 - Explosives Act 1960—Order in Council—Classification of Explosives Amendment No. 1/1966 (S.R. No. 118/1966).
 - Friendly Societies Act 1958, Trade Unions Act 1958, and Benefit Associations Act 1958—Report of the Registrar of Friendly Societies for the year 1964–65.
 - Marine Act 1958—Port Phillip Pilot Sick and Superannuation Fund (Pensions) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 116/1966).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
 - Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).
 - Part V.—Allowances.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
7. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, the 3rd May next.

8. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS QUALIFICATION COMMITTEE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. COMPANIES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
11. OPTICIANS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. FISHERIES AND GAME (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Sections 8 and 16 of the ‘ Fisheries Act 1958 ’ and Section 41B of the ‘ Game Act 1958, ’ and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
13. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
16. REID MURRAY ACCEPTANCE LIMITED (SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 10, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

19. LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to re-enact Division Nine A of Part I. of the ‘Land Act 1958’, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

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

No. 33.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH APRIL, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to the Protection of Animals*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
3. MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make Provision with respect to Instruments of Transfer of Marketable Securities, to make further Provision with respect to the Payment of Duty on Sales and Purchases of Marketable Securities, to amend the ‘Stamps Act 1958’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
4. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable M. A. Clarke, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make provision for the Appointment and Functions of a Parliamentary Commissioner (Ombudsman) and for purposes connected therewith, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
5. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
Education Act 1958—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Heathmont and Katyil (two papers).
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—
Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 5 and 6, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
7. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

8. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable P. V. Feltham moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Four o'clock, that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business and that no new business be taken after half-past Ten o'clock be rescinded and that for the remainder of the Session the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Two o'clock and Government business shall take precedence of all other business.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
11. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (INTERSTATE FIRE BRIGADES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 and 4, be postponed until later this day.
13. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
14. FISHERIES AND GAME (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 9 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
16. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—
Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
17. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 26TH APRIL, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Of the 906 secondary teachers who resigned in 1965, how many, whether temporary or permanent, were fully qualified with a university degree and teacher training.
 - (b) How many such teachers resigned—(i) for reasons of marriage; (ii) by reason of retirement; (iii) to go overseas; (iv) to teach in private schools; and (v) to leave teaching altogether for employment in private industry.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is the current quinquennial investigation of the State Superannuation Fund now completed; if so—(i) is the fund in surplus, and by what amount; and (ii) when was the investigation completed.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Is it a fact that no supplies of metal materials have been available for the metal-work classes at the Werribee High School this year, other than those “scrounged” from the local tip and other municipal tips as far afield as Bulleen, and scraps of metal brought to the school by pupils.
 - (b) Is it true that supplies of these materials cannot be expected for approximately two months; if so, what action does the Education Department propose to rectify this most unsatisfactory situation.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many matriculants offered studentships by the Education Department in mathematics and science courses were subsequently rejected by the universities through their quota systems.
 - (b) What subsequently happened to those students.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What are the respective grades and salaries of the police superintendents in charge of—(i) Bendigo District; and (ii) the Information Bureau (known as “X” District).
 - (b) How many police of all ranks and/or special squads are in each such district.
- *6. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What is the reason for the delay in granting approval to the Advisory Council of the Altona High School to carry out the ground improvements as agreed upon in the Minister of Education’s letter to the Council dated 21st January, 1965.
- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many students in training and trained teachers employed by the Education Department have been called up by the Commonwealth Government for National Service training.
- *8. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What are the objections that have been raised in connexion with the voting for the grower members of the Victorian Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board.

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
2. LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
- *3. MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading.
- *4. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
5. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
6. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
7. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHELTERED WORKSHOPS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
8. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL—(*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
9. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
10. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
11. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS QUALIFICATION COMMITTEE) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
12. CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—To be further considered in Committee.
13. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
14. OPTICIANS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
15. VAGRANCY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
16. WOMBAT BONUSES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
17. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (INTERSTATE FIRE BRIGADES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
18. COMPANIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
19. LOCH PUBLIC HALL TRUST BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie)*.
20. MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (COLLECTORS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
21. DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
22. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
23. FISHERIES AND GAME (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
24. EVIDENCE (MEDICAL EVIDENCE) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
25. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne)*.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell)*.
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie)*.
4. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading.
5. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.
- *6. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH APRIL.

Question.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 - (a) Is a record kept of the number of glaucoma cases; if so, what is the number of people affected.
 - (b) What action is being taken to assist people with this serious problem.
 - (c) Does the Department of Health intend to carry out mass surveys to ascertain the number of people affected by this disease.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*).
2. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).

TUESDAY, 3RD MAY.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

DRAINAGE (JOINT).—The Honorables I. R. Cathie, F. J. Granter, and I. A. Swinburne.

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

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

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

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

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

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

MR. PRESIDENT TAKES THE CHAIR AT A QUARTER PAST TWO O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 33.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 - (a) Is a record kept of the number of glaucoma cases; if so, what is the number of people affected.
 - (b) What action is being taken to assist people with this serious problem.
 - (c) Does the Department of Health intend to carry out mass surveys to ascertain the number of people affected by this disease.
- *2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many orders of exemption from the normal shop closing requirements have been granted under section 80A of the *Labour and Industry Act* 1958 since its proclamation.
 - (b) Which types of shops were affected and at what tourist resorts are they located.
 - (c) What were the respective periods of exemption.
- *3. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) On what days and for what hours is the café at Tidal River, Wilson's Promontary, required to serve visitors under the terms of its lease.
 - (b) Does the National Parks Authority enforce the conditions of the lease.
 - (c) When did the café last give a regular service to visitors to that area.
- *4. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Which municipalities have been re-valued since the reply was given to Question No. 2 asked in the House on 23rd March, 1965.
 - (b) What was the original valuation of each municipality prior to the *Valuation of Land (Appeals) Act* 1965 coming into effect and the new valuation made since that Act was passed, showing the increase in each case.
- *5. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—As a matter of urgency, what action does the Minister of Education intend to take as the result of his visit to the Prahran Technical School.
- *6. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What is the population of Moe and Newborough, respectively.
 - (b) How many police are stationed at Moe and Newborough, respectively.
 - (c) Has the Police Department a site for a police station at Newborough; if so, when is it proposed to call tenders for the erection of such station.
- *7. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What amount of gold has been won from each of the following mines at Maldon—Union, Alliance (Eaglehawk Consolidated), Beehive, Derby, South German, Nelson (South German Extended), Oswalds (North British and Independent), and Cookmans Reef.
 - (b) On what date was each mine closed down.
 - (c) What was the gold value per ton of the last crushing in respect of each mine.

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- *8. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Have Public Works Department architects prepared new designs and plans which introduce new principles in secondary school design.
 - If these plans are in the preliminary stages, when does the Minister of Education expect final approval to be given.
 - Will the Minister of Education lay a copy of these plans on the table of the Library for inspection by Honorable Members.
- *9. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
- How many beds are available for male and female patients, respectively, at Mount Royal.
 - How many are on the waiting list for admission and what is the waiting period.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What was the total number of pupils of each sex admitted to Form 1 in all Victorian State schools for the 1965 education year and, if available, for this year, defining the respective totals for—(i) metropolitan high schools; (ii) country high schools; (iii) metropolitan technical schools; (iv) country technical schools; and (v) girls secondary schools.
 - What is the average age of the pupil intake into Form 1.
- *11. The Hon. T. H. GRIGG: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What is the mileage of the main channel delivering water from the Malmsbury Reservoir to the City of Bendigo.
 - What mileage of such channel is sealed.
 - What mileage of such channel is unsealed.
 - What amount of water was lost by seepage in transit to Bendigo in each of the years 1963, 1964, and 1965.
 - How many miles of channels used for delivery of domestic supply of water were sealed in the past three years.
 - What was the cost of sealing per mile.
- *12. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Did the Minister of Transport inspect the McDonald-street railway crossing north of the Mordialloc railway station last week; if so (i) why were other local Members of Parliament not informed; and (ii) what recommendations has the Minister made as a result of these inspections.
- *13. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- In view of the extensive development of the Melbourne metropolitan area, has the Government given any consideration to extending the boundaries of the "metropolitan district" as defined in the *Labour and Industry Act 1958*; if so, with what result.
 - Is the Government aware of the anomalies that now exist in trading hours for some shops on the outer fringe; if so, will early action be taken to obviate same.
- *14. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What progress has been made by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works in regard to defining Route 9 in respect of the Lower Yarra Crossing.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- BARLEY MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- PAISLEY-GALVIN RAILWAY LAND EXCHANGE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- SEYMOUR RACECOURSE LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—
Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

10. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
11. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS QUALIFICATION COMMITTEE) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
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27. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
4. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.
5. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
6. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).
7. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
8. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(Hon. M. A. Clarke)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 3RD MAY.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).
2. SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. W. Knight*).
3. LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. Todd*).
4. MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).
5. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Tripovich*).

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

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

MR. PRESIDENT TAKES THE CHAIR AT A QUARTER PAST ELEVEN O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 34.

THURSDAY, 28TH APRIL, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

(a) What was the total number of pupils of each sex admitted to Form 1 in all Victorian State schools for the 1965 education year and, if available, for this year, defining the respective totals for—(i) metropolitan high schools; (ii) country high schools; (iii) metropolitan technical schools; (iv) country technical schools; and (v) girls secondary schools.

(b) What is the average age of the pupil intake into Form 1.

2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What progress has been made by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works in regard to defining Route 9 in respect of the Lower Yarra Crossing.

*3. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

(a) What intra-State air services operate in Victoria.

(b) Do any of these run a regular service to enable country clients to visit Melbourne for business, health or other reasons and return the same day; if so, which.

(c) Can State authorities grant a permit for an intra-State air service to operate; if so, have any such permits been granted, and under what conditions.

*4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—

(a) What planning has taken place in regard to the Lower Yarra Crossing by the Lower Yarra Crossing Authority.

(b) How far has this planning progressed.

(c) At what stage will the municipalities involved in such scheme be consulted as assured by the Minister during the debate in the House on the Lower Yarra Crossing Authority Bill on 9th December, 1965.

*5. The Hon. W. R. GARRETT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

(a) In respect of the operation of the Queen Victoria Market by the Melbourne City Council during each of the years 1949–50, 1954–55, 1959–60, 1960–61, 1961–62, 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, what has been—(i) the revenue; (ii) the expenditure; (iii) the capital charges; and (iv) the surplus.

(b) When is it anticipated that the new fruit and vegetable wholesale market will be commenced in Footscray-road.

*6. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has a priority yet been set for the building of the mentally handicapped children's school at the corner of Ross-road and Mills-street, Altona; if so, what is the priority, and when will tenders be called for the building of the school.

** Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.*

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 3)—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
2. DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
3. COMPANIES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
4. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
5. EVIDENCE (MEDICAL EVIDENCE) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
6. FISHERIES AND GAME (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
7. MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (COLLECTORS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
8. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
9. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
10. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—To be further considered in Committee.
11. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
4. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes)—Second reading.
5. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. P. V. Feltham)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).
6. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer).
7. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(Hon. M. A. Clarke)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 3RD MAY.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield).
2. SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
3. LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd).
4. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
5. MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
6. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

7. CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
8. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).
9. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
10. PAISLEY—GALVIN RAILWAY LAND EXCHANGE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).
11. SEYMOUR RACECOURSE LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
12. BARLEY MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 34.

TUESDAY, 26TH APRIL, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
 2. REID MURRAY ACCEPTANCE LIMITED (SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
 3. LAKE CORANGAMITE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
 4. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to transfer certain Race-meetings from Sandown Race-course to Caulfield Race-course, to permit the Totalizator Agency Board to borrow Moneys for the Purposes of and to invest the Moneys of the Board, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of "The chaotic indecision, traffic paralysis and wasting of resources caused by the procrastination of the Premier and his Government"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

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

Noes, 23.

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

And so it passed in the negative.

6. **BARLEY MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to provide for the Furnishing of certain Information under the *Barley Marketing Act 1958*, to increase Penalties under and extend the Duration of that Act, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 Apprenticeship (Bread Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 119/1966).
 Apprenticeship (Bricklaying Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 121/1966).
 Apprenticeship (Motor Mechanics Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 120/1966).
 Dairy Products Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 31st December, 1965.
 Education Act 1958—Adult Education Regulations (Salaries) 1966 (S.R. No. 122/1966).
 Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments.
 Racing Act 1958—Racing (Designation of Totalizator Windows) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 123/1966).
 Teaching Service Act 1958—Report of the Teachers Tribunal for the year 1964–65.
8. **FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Friendly Societies Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
9. **GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 5 of the ‘ Grain Elevators Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
10. **THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 66 of ‘ The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
11. **SEYMOUR RACECOURSE LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Leasing of Portion of certain Land in the Parish of Tallarook permanently reserved as a Site for Racecourse and Other Purposes of Public Recreation* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
12. **CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Granting of Leases of certain Land at Carlton in the City of Melbourne permanently reserved as a Site for a Public Park, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.
 The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
13. **SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. **LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable J. W. Galbally, for the Honorable A. Todd, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. **MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
 The Honorable A. Todd, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

16. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
18. PAISLEY-GALVIN RAILWAY LAND EXCHANGE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Exchange of certain Lands vested in The Victorian Railways Commissioners or of which The Victorian Railways Commissioners is the Registered Proprietor for certain Lands of which Altona Petrochemical Company Proprietary Limited is the Registered Proprietor and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 6, be postponed until later this day.
20. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHELTERED WORKSHOPS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
21. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.
Debate ensued.
Question—put.
The Council divided.
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| <p style="text-align: center;">Ayes, 23.</p> <p>The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell (<i>Teller</i>),
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
P. V. Feltham,
W. R. Garrett,
S. E. Gleeson,
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T. H. Grigg,
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R. W. May,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Noes, 9.</p> <p>The Hon. I. R. Cathie (<i>Teller</i>),
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J. W. Galbally,
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. O’Connell,
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich (<i>Teller</i>),
J. M. Walton.</p> |
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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

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

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

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

No. 35.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. TOBACCO LEAF MARKETING BOARD (APPOINTMENT OF MANAGER) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make Temporary Provision with respect to the Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until later this day.
4. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
5. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
6. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
8. BARLEY MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

11. PAISLEY-GALVIN RAILWAY LAND EXCHANGE BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. SEYMOUR RACECOURSE LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9, be postponed until later this day.
14. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again. Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
15. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS QUALIFICATION COMMITTEE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
16. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science (Amendment) Act.
Reid Murray Acceptance Limited (Scheme of Arrangement) Act.
Lake Corangamite Act.
17. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 12, be postponed until later this day.
19. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 14, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

22. TOBACCO LEAF MARKETING BOARD (APPOINTMENT OF MANAGER) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

23. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

24. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—FIREARMS ACT 1958.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon proposed amendments to the *Firearms Act* 1958, together with Minutes of Evidence.

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

25. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (INTERSTATE FIRE BRIGADES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 18 to 27 inclusive, and Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 to 4 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

27. COMPANIES (DEFAULTING OFFICERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
I. R. Cathie (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
P. V. Feltham,
J. W. Galbally,
H. A. Hewson,
A. W. Knight,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 16.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. R. Garrett,
C. S. Gawith,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
R. J. Hamer,
A. J. Hunt,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

29. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 3).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Ninety-two million eight hundred and ninety-one thousand three hundred and twenty dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-six and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

31. TOBACCO LEAF MARKETING BOARD (APPOINTMENT OF MANAGER) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

32. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

33. CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

34. LOCH PUBLIC HALL TRUST BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

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

No. 36.

THURSDAY, 28TH APRIL, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board (Appointment of Manager) Act.
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
4. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5, be postponed until later this day.
6. FISHERIES AND GAME (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
7. MARINE STORES AND OLD METALS (COLLECTORS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
8. COMPANIES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

9. **THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

10. **CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 3).**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

12. **DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 35.

TUESDAY, 3RD MAY, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What intra-State air services operate in Victoria.
 - (b) Do any of these run a regular service to enable country clients to visit Melbourne for business, health or other reasons and return the same day; if so, which.
 - (c) Can State authorities grant a permit for an intra-State air service to operate; if so, have any such permits been granted, and under what conditions.

2. The Hon. W. R. GARRETT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) In respect of the operation of the Queen Victoria Market by the Melbourne City Council during each of the years 1949–50, 1954–55, 1959–60, 1960–61, 1961–62, 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, will he ascertain and inform the House, what has been—(i) the revenue; (ii) the expenditure; (iii) the capital charges; and (iv) the surplus.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that the new fruit and vegetable wholesale market will be commenced in Footscray-road.

- *3. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Is corporal punishment still used in State schools; if so, what form does it take, and how often is it used.
 - (b) Is it departmental policy to seek its abolition; if so, by what year will this be achieved.

- *4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What were the load factors and the maximum generating capacities of the State Electricity Commission for each of the years from 1961 to 1965, inclusive.

- *5. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What recommendations to the Governor in Council has the Minister of Transport made in relation to the McDonald-street railway crossing at Mordialloc.

- *6. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What percentage of the load factor did the municipal councils which have their own electric supply undertakings take from the State Electricity Commission for each of the years from 1961 to 1965, inclusive.

- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What was the maximum demand rate charged by the State Electricity Commission to the municipal councils which have their own electric supply undertakings for each of the years from 1961 to 1965, inclusive.

** Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.*

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
2. LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
3. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
4. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
6. BARLEY MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
7. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
8. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (NO. 3)—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
9. DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. K. Bradbury)*.
10. CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
11. SEYMOUR RACECOURSE LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
12. PAISLEY-GALVIN RAILWAY LAND EXCHANGE BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
13. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
14. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
15. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
16. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
17. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne)*.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell)*.
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie)*.
4. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading.
5. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)*.
6. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.
7. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke*)—Second reading.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

DRAINAGE (JOINT).—The Honorables I. R. Cathie, F. J. Granter, and I. A. Swinburne.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 36.

WEDNESDAY, 4TH MAY, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. W. R. GARRETT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) In respect of the operation of the Queen Victoria Market by the Melbourne City Council during each of the years 1949–50, 1954–55, 1959–60, 1960–61, 1961–62, 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, will he ascertain and inform the House, what has been—(i) the revenue ; (ii) the expenditure ; (iii) the capital charges ; and (iv) the surplus.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that the new fruit and vegetable wholesale market will be commenced in Footscray-road.
- *2. The Hon. S. MERRIFIELD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What wages boards have been set up under Victorian State legislation, and what was the date of the formation of each board.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Further to Question No. 1 asked in the House on 28th April, 1966 (*Hansard*, page 3738) as to the 1966 Form 1 student intake into State secondary schools, what percentage of each group referred to was reading, and able to handle arithmetic, respectively—(i) at or above Grade 6 level ; (ii) at or above Grade 5 level ; (iii) at or above Grade 4 level ; (iv) at or above Grade 3 level ; and (v) below Grade 3 level.
 - (b) Is there a recognized standard qualification for remedial teachers in secondary schools ; if so, how many teachers are so qualified and permanently employed in that capacity in each of the secondary school classifications referred to in the answer to his (Mr. Tripovich's) original question.
- *4. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 - (a) How many cancer clinics established in the country for the supervision and diagnostic treatment of country cancer patients have been closed.
 - (b) Were their respective closures brought about by a shortage of technical, radiological, therapy and diagnostic staff ; if so, what are the prospects of increasing this specialist staff.
 - (c) Is he aware that a serious position has arisen in regard to staffing cancer clinics in the country areas.
- *5. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Is the Government aware of the remarks of Senator Gorton, that over the past four years the Commonwealth Government had allocated £8 million to the State of Victoria for technical school education but only half of this money had been used.
 - (b) In respect of each year since 1962—(i) how much money has been allocated by the Commonwealth Government for technical education ; and (ii) how much has been used by the Victorian Government.
- *6. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Have tenders been called for the erection of technical school buildings (as mentioned in answer to Question No. 1 asked in the House on 9th November, 1965), at Mildura, Corio, and Glenroy ; if so, when were tenders called, and has any tender been accepted ; if not, when will tenders be called.
 - (b) Have tenders been called since January, 1966, for the erection of any other technical schools ; if so—(i) for what schools ; and (ii) when were such tenders called.

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

- *7. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Is he aware that a draft copy of the proposed Local Government Act amendments was produced at a meeting of metropolitan town clerks some weeks prior to the introduction into this House of the Local Government Bill.
 - If it is Government policy to make drafts of proposed local government legislation available to certain parties prior to introduction into Parliament, will he ensure that there will be a more liberal distribution of the drafts.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
- What are the boundaries of the area in Carlton proposed for joint re-development by the Housing Commission and the Melbourne City Council.
 - How many homes are involved.
 - Are any manufacturing or processing industries of any reasonable size involved; if so—(i) which industries; and (ii) how many employees would be affected.
 - What are the broad principles associated with the proposal, and when is it proposed to commence the work.
- *9. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—Is it a fact that at Larundel Psychiatric Hospital, Bundoora, there is a mixed ward of young people; if so—(i) how many youths are sleeping in this ward; (ii) what are their ages; and (iii) what is the nature of their illness.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Further to the answer to Question No. 5 asked in the House on 26th April, 1966 (*Hansard*, page 3500)—(i) has any recent reclassification been made of the position of superintendent in charge of the Loddon District, Bendigo, and/or the Information Bureau ("X" District); if so, what are the new classifications, and what salary is to be paid to each superintendent; (ii) when was the decision made; and (iii) what was the formula used in determining the new classifications.
 - How many police of all ranks and/or special squads are under the control of the superintendent of the Central Highlands District, Ballarat, and what is the current classification of this position and the salary attached thereto.
 - Is any réclassification of this office pending.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- BOILERS INSPECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. Todd).
- DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. K. Bradbury).
- CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 3)—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- PAISLEY-GALVIN RAILWAY LAND EXCHANGE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).
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- INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. W. M. Campbell*).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. I. R. Cathie*).
4. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading.
5. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*).
6. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
7. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke*)—Second reading.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 37.

THURSDAY, 5TH MAY, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. W. R. GARRETT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) In respect of the operation of the Queen Victoria Market by the Melbourne City Council during each of the years 1949–50, 1954–55, 1959–60, 1960–61, 1961–62, 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, will he ascertain and inform the House, what has been—(i) the revenue; (ii) the expenditure; (iii) the capital charges; and (iv) the surplus.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that the new fruit and vegetable wholesale market will be commenced in Footscray-road.
2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
 - (a) What are the boundaries of the area in Carlton proposed for joint re-development by the Housing Commission and the Melbourne City Council.
 - (b) How many homes are involved.
 - (c) Are any manufacturing or processing industries of any reasonable size involved; if so—(i) which industries; and (ii) how many employees would be affected.
 - (d) What are the broad principles associated with the proposal, and when is it proposed to commence the work.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it proposed to change the Victorian Railways electric train system to 50 cycle operation; if so, when will such change take place.
- *4. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Government considered and decided on rail links between Leitchfield–Minyip and Avoca–Ararat, respectively; if so, when can an announcement by the Premier on the construction of such links be expected; if not, will the Government consider such connexions.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Further to Question No. 1 asked in the House on 28th April, 1966 (*Hansard*, page 3738) as to the 1965 Form 1 student intake into State secondary schools, what percentage of each group referred to was reading, and able to handle arithmetic, respectively—(i) at or above Grade 6 level; (ii) at or above Grade 5 level; (iii) at or above Grade 4 level; (iv) at or above Grade 3 level; and (v) below Grade 3 level.
- *6. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) When is it proposed to call tenders for the building of Monterey High School at Frankston.
 - (b) When is it expected that the buildings will be completed.
 - (c) Is it the Minister's intention to call tenders for the proposed new plans for secondary schools simultaneously with those for the same schools designed in accordance with standard plans; if so, will he consider including the Monterey High School in this project.
- *7. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What amount of subsidy per cow is paid by the Department of Agriculture to the Victorian United Cow Testing Association.
 - (b) With the intended termination of the standard herd testing of pure-bred cows by June, 1967, is it proposed to set up a form of herd accreditation; if so—(i) how is this accreditation plan intended to operate; (ii) will it be for registered herds only; and (iii) what accreditation fee (if any) will be charged.

* *Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.*

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- *8. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—
- (a) Is it a fact that bottles of carbon tetrachloride, which is used as a cleaning agent, can be procured from chemist shops; if so, are labels required to warn that the fumes can kill.
 - (b) What action does the Health Department propose to take to protect the public if no such warning is required.
- *9. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—Has serious consideration been given by himself and the Cancer Institute Board to the proposal put forward by the Shire Presidents of Buln Buln, Warragul, and Narracan, by deputation, that a helicopter service be instituted in lieu of light plane travel for the radio therapists for the Gippsland Hospitals Clinics; if so, what is his opinion.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
- *2. STAMPS (MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading.
- *3. WARRAGUL AND NEERIM RAILWAY LANDS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *4. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading.
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ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

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7. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(Hon. M. A. Clarke)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 10TH MAY.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. BOILERS INSPECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).*

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 37.

TUESDAY, 3RD MAY, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
 - Country Fire Authority (Borrowing Powers) Act.*
 - Labour and Industry (Sheltered Workshops) Act.*
 - Wombat Bonuses Act.*
 - Country Fire Authority (Interstate Fire Brigades) Act.*
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—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Leongatha and Rowville (two papers).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—
 - Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).
 - Part VI.—Travelling and other Expenses.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - City of Brunswick Planning Scheme 1956—Amendment No. 11, 1965.
 - Moe-Newborough Planning Scheme 1951—Amendment No. 8, 1965.
4. SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
 - Debate resumed.
 - The Honorable K. S. Gross moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
 - Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
5. BOILERS INSPECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Boilers Inspection Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 - On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until later this day.
7. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
 - House in Committee.
 - The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 - Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

8. **STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING BILL.**—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Lotteries Gaming and Betting Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Extract from the Proceedings of the Committee.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and the Extract from the Proceedings of the Committee to be printed.
9. **STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to increase the Borrowing Powers of the State Electricity Commission, to amend the Fifth and Sixth Schedules to the ‘ State Electricity Commission Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
10. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.
11. **BARLEY MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
12. **VAGRANCY BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
13. **SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
14. **AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill was re-committed to a Committee of the whole in respect of clause 17.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with a further amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
15. **MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—
That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—
Clause 10, paragraph (1), page 10, line 14, after “ return ” insert “ except any sale or purchase made by a broker on his own account or behalf where, in the case of a sale the marketable securities concerned were purchased by the broker on or within two clear days (not including any day upon which the stock exchange of which he is a member is closed) of the day of the sale, and, in the case of a purchase, where the marketable securities concerned were sold by him on or within two clear days (not including any day upon which the stock exchange of which he is a member is closed) of the purchase ”—
and asked leave to sit again.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.
Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

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

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

17. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

No. 38.

WEDNESDAY, 4TH MAY, 1966.

- The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Section Seventeen of the ‘Gas and Fuel Corporation Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
- PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Decimal Currency Act 1965—Decimal Currency (Water) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 125/1966).
Education Act 1958—Adult Education Regulations (Salaries) 1966, No. 2 (S.R. No. 126/1966).
Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Auditors’ (Disclosure of Information) Rules 1966.
Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Milk and Dairy Supervision (Licences) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 124/1966).
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Town and Country Planning Board (Staff) Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 11 (S.R. No. 128/1966).
- POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, Government Business, and Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until later this day.
- INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
- POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
- LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

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

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

9. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 3).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

THURSDAY, 5TH MAY, 1966.

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

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

10. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES COUNCIL.—The President announced the receipt of the following communication from the Honorable the Minister of Education :—

Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne, C.1,
4th May, 1966.

Dear Mr. President,

Section 7 of the Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965 provides that three members of the Council of the Institute shall be Members of the Parliament of Victoria who have been recommended for appointment by a Joint Sitting of Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by the Members present at the sitting.

It is accordingly requested that arrangements may be made for such a Joint Sitting before the Houses go into recess. I have addressed a similar letter to the Deputy-Speaker of the Legislative Assembly.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) JOHN S. BLOOMFIELD,
Minister of Education.

The Hon. R. W. MACK, M.L.C.,
President of the Legislative Council,
Parliament House, Melbourne.

11. WARRAGUL AND NEERIM RAILWAY LANDS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to certain Railway Land in the Parish of Drouin East, and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

12. STAMPS (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the ' Stamps Act 1958 ' in relation to Subsequent Mortgages*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

13. ESTATE AGENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the ' Estate Agents Act 1958 ' "* and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

And then the Council, at fifty-five minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Eleven o'clock this day.

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

THURSDAY, 5TH MAY, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (PETROL SHOPS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the Provisions of the ‘Labour and Industry Act 1958’ relating to Shops for the Sale of Motor Spirit or Motor Oil or Accessories or Spare Parts for Motor Cars*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
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—Certificates of the Minister of Education relating to the proposed compulsory resumption of land for the purposes of schools at Frankston East and Waverley (two papers).
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part X.—Leave of Absence.
4. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
5. STAMPS (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
6. WARRAGUL AND NEERIM RAILWAY LANDS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.
8. LAND (PLANTATION AREAS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
9. DAYLESFORD SPRINGS LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
10. PENSIONS SUPPLEMENTATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make Provision with respect to the Supplementation of certain Pensions payable under the ‘Police Regulation Act 1958’ or under the ‘Superannuation Act 1958’, to amend the ‘Police Regulation Act 1958’ and the ‘Superannuation Act 1958’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, for the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

11. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (COUNCIL) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965 ’ in relation to the Establishing of the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, for the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
12. ESTATE AGENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable A. W. Knight, for the Honorable A. Todd, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
13. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (PETROL SHOPS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
15. WATER (RATING BY AREA) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 76 of the ‘ Water Act 1958 ’ to permit the Levying of General Rates on the Basis of Area in certain Districts, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
16. SHEPPARTON ABATTOIRS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to make Temporary Provision with respect to the Powers of the Council of the Shire of Shepparton to obtain Allowances by Overdraft of Current Account and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- Bill ruled to be a Private Bill.
- The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
17. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (COUNCIL) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable I. R. Cathie moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
18. MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY (CHANCELLORSHIP) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Sections 5, 11 and 12 of the ‘ Melbourne University Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
19. SHEPPARTON ABATTOIRS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable G. J. O’Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

20. MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY (CHANCELLORSHIP) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 38.

TUESDAY, 10TH MAY, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. W. R. GARRETT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) In respect of the operation of the Queen Victoria Market by the Melbourne City Council during each of the years 1949–50, 1954–55, 1959–60, 1960–61, 1961–62, 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, will he ascertain and inform the House, what has been—(i) the revenue; (ii) the expenditure; (iii) the capital charges; and (iv) the surplus.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that the new fruit and vegetable wholesale market will be commenced in Footscray-road.
2. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Government considered and decided on rail links between Leitchfield–Minyip and Avoca–Ararat, respectively; if so, when can an announcement by the Premier on the construction of such links be expected; if not, will the Government consider such connexions.
3. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Further to Question No. 1 asked in the House on 28th April, 1966 (*Hansard*, page 3738) as to the 1965 Form 1 student intake into State secondary schools, what percentage of each group referred to was reading, and able to handle arithmetic, respectively—(i) at or above Grade 6 level; (ii) at or above Grade 5 level; (iii) at or above Grade 4 level; (iv) at or above Grade 3 level; and (v) below Grade 3 level.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many cases dealt with by the Social Welfare Department have been examined by the Mental Hygiene Branch either concurrently or prior to the persons concerned serving—(i) prison sentences; and (ii) probation.
 - (b) Is the Minister aware of any instances in which recommendations that a prisoner be not released have been overruled by the Parole Board.
- *5. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—Has he been approached by the Defence Department for the release of the whole or part of the forest between the Puckapunyal army establishment and the Northern Highway at Tooborac; if so, what portion (if any) is to be released.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What State schools function within the boundaries of the proposed new Dousta Galla Province.
 - (b) How many teachers are employed, and how many pupils attend at each such school.
 - (c) What State schools functioning on the fringes of the Province also take pupils from within the Province boundary.
- *7. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has any decision yet been made by the Minister of Education for the establishment of a technical school on the Mornington Peninsula; if not, when will a decision be made, in view of the Minister's promise last year to establish this school.

** Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.*

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. PENSIONS SUPPLEMENTATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading.
- *2. WATER (RATING BY AREA) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
3. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
4. PAISLEY-GALVIN RAILWAY LAND EXCHANGE BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
5. SEYMOUR RACECOURSE LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
- *6. SHEPPARTON ABATTOIRS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
7. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
8. CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
9. BOILERS INSPECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
10. STAMPS (MORTGAGES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
11. WARRAGUL AND NEERIM RAILWAY LANDS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
- *12. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (COUNCIL) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie)*.
- *13. MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY (CHANCELLORSHIP) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
- *14. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (PETROL SHOPS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
15. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
16. ESTATE AGENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. Todd)*.
17. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
18. MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—To be further considered in Committee.
19. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
20. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
21. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Murray Byrne)*.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell)*.
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt)*.
4. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading.
5. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
6. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Hamer)*.
7. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke*)—Second reading.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

DRAINAGE (JOINT).—The Honorables I. R. Cathie, F. J. Granter, and I. A. Swinburne.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 39.

WEDNESDAY, 11TH MAY, 1966.

Questions.

1. The Hon. W. R. GARRETT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) In respect of the operation of the Queen Victoria Market by the Melbourne City Council during each of the years 1949–50, 1954–55, 1959–60, 1960–61, 1961–62, 1962–63, 1963–64, and 1964–65, will he ascertain and inform the House, what has been—(i) the revenue; (ii) the expenditure; (iii) the capital charges; and (iv) the surplus.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that the new fruit and vegetable wholesale market will be commenced in Footscray-road.
2. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Further to Question No. 1 asked in the House on 28th April, 1966 (*Hansard*, page 3738) as to the 1965 Form 1 student intake into State secondary schools, what percentage of each group referred to was reading, and able to handle arithmetic, respectively—(i) at or above Grade 6 level; (ii) at or above Grade 5 level; (iii) at or above Grade 4 level; (iv) at or above Grade 3 level; and (v) below Grade 3 level.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Concerning amounts of money paid out and itemized as “pensions” in Appendix 5 of the Annual Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the year ended 30th June, 1965 (page 32)—(i) to whom, or to which accounts were these amounts credited; (ii) what were the total amounts paid out in each of the financial years from 1949–50 to date; and (iii) if such amounts included payments due by the Treasurer to the Superannuation Fund, why are they debited against working expenses.
 - (b) From what fund or funds are amounts of money paid by the Treasurer as subsidies to the Superannuation Fund under the *Superannuation Act* 1958 taken for superannuation payments to superannuated officers of—(i) the teaching service; (ii) the police force; and (iii) the railway service.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) In view of his answer to Question No. 8 asked in the House on 27th April, relating to the new 800 design for secondary schools—(i) why were these plans exhibited at the annual meeting of the State Schools Committees Association; and (ii) why was a copy of these plans published in the Press.
 - (b) In view of these circumstances, will the Minister now lay a copy of these plans on the table of the Library.
- *5. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When is it expected that the final report by the investigator into the financial affairs of Reid Murray Holdings Limited will be presented to the Government and be available to Honorable Members.
- *6. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many of the new aluminium bulk wheat carrying rail vehicles are in operation at present.
 - (b) Have a number of these vehicles been found to be defective; if so—(i) what is the nature of the defects; and (ii) are design alterations being undertaken to ensure that these faults do not occur again.
 - (c) In view of the limited mileage covered by these vehicles, is it considered that their economic life will be sufficient to compensate for the cost.
- *7. The Hon. R. W. MAY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Mines Department used the infra-red detector photography system for searching for underground water; if not, will it consider using this system.

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- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Are twenty-year-old police trainees subject to call up for National Service training; if so, how many are now conscripted into the army, and in what capacities are they serving.
 - Has representation been made to the Federal Government pointing out the desperate shortage of police and the difficulties in obtaining and retaining recruits; if so, with what result.
- *9. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- In view of the departure of the Minister of Transport for overseas on 26th May, will he (the Minister) state whether he will make a decision on the restoration of the Mornington railway before he leaves.
 - If no decision is to be made, does the Minister intend to renew the private bus licences; if so—(i) for what routes; and (ii) for what period of time.
- *10. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
- Has the Commonwealth Government made any proposal to lend the State Governments \$20 million over the next five years to encourage the planting of softwood timbers; if so, is the agreement finalized.
 - If such an agreement exists—(i) when was it completed; (ii) what total amount will be made available to Victoria; (iii) what are the conditions of the loan; and (iv) how will the money be spent.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Will the Minister ascertain and inform the House what amount of each prohibited drug was found and confiscated from ships trading at Victorian ports during the years 1963, 1964, and 1965, respectively.
 - How many prosecutions were instituted as a result of such discoveries, and with what results.
 - What are the prescribed ranges of penalties for such offences.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many teachers were made available on loan to the territories of Papua and Nauru, respectively, in each of the years from 1960 to date, and what is the minimum qualification necessary for such teachers to be so appointed.
- *13. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
- What State funds have been used in siren wasp eradication during each of the past five years.
 - What percentage (if any) of these funds and services have been channelled into private enterprise.
- *14. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Health—Has serious consideration been given by himself and the Cancer Institute Board to the proposal put forward by the Buln Buln, Narracan, and Warragul Shires, by deputation, that a helicopter service be instituted in lieu of light plane travel for the radiotherapists and staff conducting the country clinics throughout Gippsland; if so, what is his decision.
- *15. The Hon. H. A. HEWSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Is the Minister aware that there is no technical school in the area served by the South Gippsland railway.
 - Has any further consideration been given to the representations made by deputation for a technical school to be built in that area; if so—(i) what plans have been made and what priority has the scheme on the list for the next financial year; and (ii) when is it proposed to call for tenders.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. R. J. Hamer)—To be further considered in Committee.
- BOILERS INSPECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
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- VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (COUNCIL) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. I. R. Cathie).
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- WATER (RATING BY AREA) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

9. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. R. J. Hamer*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
- *11. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 4)—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. Merrifield)*.
12. PENSIONS SUPPLEMENTATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. L. H. S. Thompson*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
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4. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading.
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7. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke*)—Second reading.

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

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

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

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

MR. PRESIDENT TAKES THE CHAIR AT A QUARTER PAST ELEVEN O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 40.

THURSDAY, 12TH MAY, 1966.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When is construction of the Cordite-avenue Bridge, Avondale Heights, likely to commence, and what are the causes responsible for the delay in the commencement of construction.
- *2. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Minister of Transport renewed any private bus licences for routes on the Mornington Peninsula; if so, what companies and what bus routes are concerned.
- *3. The Hon. A. TODD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many officers of the Professional Division of the State Public Service in classes A, B, C, D, and E are receiving an annual remuneration at a rate lower than Administrative or Technical and General Division officers classed on the same level.
 - How many cases are before the Public Service Board to restore Professional Division salaries to their position relative to other divisions before the salaries of such other divisions were raised.
 - How many appeals for rehearing of rejected claims by Professional Division officers seeking parity with the Professional Division as a whole are before the Public Service Board.
- *4. The Hon. I. R. CATHIE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What are the number of prisoners who have been released on parole on reaching the minimum term of imprisonment imposed by the court, and how many have served their full sentence, out of the total number of prisoners who served sentence in 1964-65, and from July, 1965, to date.
 - What is the average number of prisoners that a parole officer is responsible for supervising, and what is the average number of probation cases that these officers are responsible for supervising and counselling.
 - How do these average figures compare with the average case load of probation officers and parole officers, respectively, in New South Wales.
 - Will the Minister indicate the number of cases in which either the probation and parole officer or the psychiatrist has indicated that a particular prisoner is not a case in which their service can help, and have, therefore, recommended against release.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. Merrifield).
2. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (PRODUCERS) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
3. INSTRUMENTS (CORPORATE BODIES CONTRACTS) BILL—(Hon. R. J. Hamer)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Hamer).

* Notifications to which an asterisk (*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Murray Byrne*).
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. W. M. Campbell*).
3. INDECENT PUBLICATIONS BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. J. Hunt*).
4. COMMERCIAL GOODS VEHICLES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Sir Percy Byrnes*)—Second reading.
5. LICENSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. Merrifield*).
6. COMPANIES (LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Hamer*).
7. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke*)—Second reading.

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

R. W. MACK,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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

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

SESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

DRAINAGE (JOINT).—The Honorables I. R. Cathie, F. J. Granter, and I. A. Swinburne.

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

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

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

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

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

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

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 40.

TUESDAY, 10TH MAY, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Loch Public Hall Trust Act.*
 - Co-operative Housing Societies (Amendment) Act.*
 - Fisheries and Game (Amendment) Act.*
 - Marine Stores and Old Metals (Collectors) Act.*
 - Companies Act.*
 - The Constitution Act Amendment Act.*
 - Vagrancy Act.*
 - Consolidated Revenue Act.*
 - Land (Plantation Areas) Act.*
 - Daylesford Springs Land Act.*
3. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 4).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Two million five hundred and twenty-three thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five and One thousand nine hundred and sixty-six* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Aircraft Trades) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 136/1966).
 - Apprenticeship (Plumbing and Gasfitting Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 134/1966).
 - Apprenticeship (Printing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 133/1966).
 - Country Roads Act 1958—Report of the Country Roads Board for the year 1964–65.
 - Hospitals Superannuation Act 1965—Hospitals Superannuation (Fund) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 127/1966).
 - Motor Boating Act 1961—Motor Boating (Morningson Speed Restrictions) Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 132/1966).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 124 of the Police Service Board.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Part IV.—Salaries and Increments (two papers).
 - Racing Act 1958—Bookmakers, Bookmakers’ Clerks, and Bookmakers’ Course Agents Registration Regulations 1966 (S.R. No. 135/1966).
 - State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—
 - Institute of Applied Science Trustees Regulations (S.R. No. 130/1966).
 - National Gallery Trustees Regulations (S.R. No. 129/1966).
 - National Museum Trustees Regulations (S.R. No. 131/1966).

5. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
6. **WATER (RATING BY AREA) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
7. **GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
8. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
9. **SEYMOUR RACECOURSE LAND BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
10. **SHEPPARTON ABATTOIRS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
11. **LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to Lotteries Gaming and Betting*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
12. **PENSIONS SUPPLEMENTATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
13. **PAISLEY-GALVIN RAILWAY LAND EXCHANGE BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
14. **BARLEY MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
15. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 13 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

16. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (PETROL SHOPS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 21.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
Murray Byrne,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
W. R. Garrett,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
G. J. Nicol,
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 9.

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

17. SHEEP DIPPING (REPEAL) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

18. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

19. MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment and desire the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

20. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.

21. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.

22. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.

23. CRIMES (DANGEROUS DRIVING) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.

24. MEDICAL (FOREIGN PRACTITIONERS QUALIFICATION COMMITTEE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

25. OPTICIANS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

26. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 4).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable S. Merrifield moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
27. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the Council, at seven minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until tomorrow.

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

No. 41.

WEDNESDAY, 11TH MAY, 1966.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. DRAINAGE COMMITTEE—PROGRESS REPORT.—The Honorable I. A. Swinburne brought up a Progress Report from the Drainage Committee, together with Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
3. PAPER.—The Honorable R. J. Hamer moved, by leave, That there be laid before this House the Interim Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to Division 4 of Part VI. of the *Companies Act 1961*, to investigate the affairs of Factors Ltd. and other Companies.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The said Report was thereupon presented by the Honorable R. J. Hamer and ordered to lie on the Table.
4. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Report of the Council of Adult Education for the year 1964–65.
5. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES COUNCIL.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That this House meet the Legislative Assembly for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them with the foregoing resolution and requesting them to name the place and time of such meeting.
6. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. Todd moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
7. CARLTON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
8. MARKETABLE SECURITIES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment.

9. **BOILERS INSPECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 22.

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

Noes, 7.

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

10. **STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.**—The Honorable G. J. Nicol brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Competence and Compellability of Spouses to give Evidence, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

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

11. **WARRAGUL AND NEERIM RAILWAY LANDS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read, and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

12. **VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (COUNCIL) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

13. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.
14. **WATER (RATING BY AREA) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
15. **VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES COUNCIL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to meet the Council for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges, and, as requested by the Council, naming the Assembly Chamber at a quarter to Eight o'clock this day as the place and time of such meeting.
16. **STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
17. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 to 14 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
18. **GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
- Debate resumed.
- The Honorable R. W. May moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
19. **VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES COUNCIL.**—The President announced that the time had arrived for this House to meet the Assembly in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.
- Accordingly, the Council then proceeded to the Assembly Chamber, and having returned—
- The President reported that this House had met the Assembly this day in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges and that Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D., M.L.A., the Honorable Samuel Merrifield, M.L.C., and Thomas Campion Trewin, Esquire, M.L.A., had been duly chosen to be recommended for appointment.
20. **GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

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

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution:—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz.:—

Clause 2, page 2, line 10, at the end of the clause insert the following sub-clause:—

“() The Principal Act as amended by this Act shall apply to subsequent mortgages executed on or after the twenty-seventh day of April, 1966”—
and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable R. J. Hamer, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

22. **PENSIONS SUPPLEMENTATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution:—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz.:—

Clause 8, sub-clause (1), omit this sub-clause and insert the following sub-clause:—

“() The Board shall not grant a supplementary pension—

(a) to any applicant who is not in receipt of a pension under any law of the Commonwealth relating to pensions or other benefits or who would cease to be entitled to receive a pension under any such law if a supplementary pension were granted unless the Board is of the opinion that the applicant should be granted a supplementary pension of at least \$1 per week; or

(b) to any other applicant unless the applicant satisfies the Board that the grant of the supplementary pension will provide the applicant with a net effective increase in gross income of at least 20 cents per week”—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

23. **PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. R. Garrett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.

24. **TOBACCO LEAF INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be now taken into consideration.

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

1. Clause 2, line 10, omit “declared” and insert “declares”.
2. Clause 6, line 14, omit “hereafter” and insert “hereinafter”.
3. Clause 9, lines 6–7, omit “absent for” and insert “absent from”.
4. Clause 11, line 21, omit “Committee feel” and insert “Committee feels”.
5. Clause 22, line 24, omit “Tobacco Quota Appeal Tribunal” and insert “Tobacco Quota Appeals Tribunal”.
6. Clause 29, line 28, omit “that State” and insert “the State”.
7. Clause 35, line 37, omit “Not exceeding”.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, and after debate, the Council agreed to the amendments made by the Assembly and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

25. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
26. EVIDENCE (MEDICAL EVIDENCE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
27. COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
28. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
29. STAMPS (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment and desire the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

30. STAMPS (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

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

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

32. MOTOR CAR BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

33. MONEY LENDERS (EXEMPTION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be now taken into consideration.

And the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 2, line 12, omit “ importing ” and insert “ in connexion with or arising out of the importing or intended importing by that person of ”.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That the Council agree to the amendment made by the Assembly in this Bill.

Debate ensued.

And the Council having continued to sit after Twelve of the clock—

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Debate continued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 22.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne, (*Teller*),
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
P. V. Feltham,
W. R. Garrett,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
G. J. Nicol (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 7.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

34. PENSIONS SUPPLEMENTATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment and desire the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

35. PENSIONS SUPPLEMENTATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

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

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

37. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

38. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 4).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

39. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-eight minutes past One o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Eleven o'clock this day.

L. G. McDONALD.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 42.

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1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.

2. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of "The Report of Mr. Peter Murphy, Q.C., laid on the Table of the House yesterday, and the failure of the Government to remedy the matters revealed"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Member named and suspended.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally having been named by the President for behaving offensively and refusing to make an apology—

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the Honorable J. W. Galbally be suspended from the service of the Council during the remainder of the sitting.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
 Sir Percy Byrnes,
 W. M. Campbell,
 G. L. Chandler,
 M. A. Clarke,
 V. O. Dickie,
 W. R. Garrett,
 C. S. Gawith,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 T. H. Grigg,
 K. S. Gross,
 R. J. Hamer,
 H. A. Hewson,
 A. J. Hunt,
 A. R. Mansell,
 G. J. Nicol,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 G. W. Thom (*Teller*),
 L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 7.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Debate on main question continued.

Question—That the Council do now adjourn—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 Sir Percy Byrnes,
 I. R. Cathie,
 M. A. Clarke,
 D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
 H. A. Hewson (*Teller*),
 A. W. Knight,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 S. Merrifield,
 G. J. O'Connell,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 A. Todd,
 J. M. Tripovich.

Noes, 16.

The Hon. Murray Byrne (*Teller*),
 W. M. Campbell,
 G. L. Chandler,
 V. O. Dickie,
 P. V. Feltham,
 W. R. Garrett,
 C. S. Gawith,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 T. H. Grigg,
 K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
 R. J. Hamer,
 A. J. Hunt,
 G. J. Nicol,
 G. W. Thom,
 L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it passed in the negative.

3. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.

4. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

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BILLS ASSENTED TO AFTER THE FINAL ADJOURNMENT OF BOTH HOUSES AND BEFORE THE PROROGATION.

Messages were received from His Excellency the Governor after the final adjournment of both Houses informing the Legislative Council that he had, on the dates mentioned hereunder, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts of the present Session, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz:—

On the 17th May, 1966—

Barley Marketing (Amendment) Act.
 Sheep Dipping (Repeal) Act.
 Grain Elevators (Amendment) Act.
 Seymour Racecourse Land Act.
 Shepparton Abattoirs Act.
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 Aerial Spraying Control Act.
 Racing (Amendment) Act.
 Summary Offences Act.
 Friendly Societies (Amendment) Act.
 Crimes (Dangerous Driving) Act.
 Medical (Foreign Practitioners Qualification Committee) Act.
 Opticians Registration (Amendment) Act.
 Labour and Industry (Petrol Shops) Act.
 Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Amendment) Act.
 Carlton (Recreation Ground) Land Act.
 Boilers Inspection (Amendment) Act.
 Warragul and Neerim Railway Lands Act.
 Victoria Institute of Colleges (Council) Act.
 Marketable Securities Act.
 Pensions Supplementation Act.

On the 24th May, 1966—

Evidence (Medical Evidence) Act.
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PROROGUING PARLIAMENT AND FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE THIRD SESSION
OF THE FORTY-THIRD PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

By the Lieutenant-Governor as Deputy for His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS the Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until such day and hour as may be fixed by the President of the Legislative Council and the Deputy Speaker of the Legislative Assembly respectively: Now I, the Lieutenant-Governor as Deputy for the 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 seventh day of September, 1966, and I do hereby fix Wednesday, the seventh day of September, 1966, 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 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, the sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-six, and in the fifteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

E. F. HERRING.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY E. BOLTE,
Premier.

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No. 1.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1965.

No. 1.—LICENSING BILL.—Clause 2—

(1) For section eight of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following section:—

“ 8. (1) A victualler’s licence shall authorize the licensee to sell and dispose of liquor—

- (a) between the hours of ten in the morning and ten in the evening on the premises specified in the licence or in the case of any particular licensed premises for such other period of twelve consecutive hours ending not later than ten in the evening as is fixed for those premises by the Court on the application of the licensee ;
- (b) where a permit under sub-section (2) of this section is in force for the purposes of this paragraph, subject to and in accordance with the permit, between the hours of ten in the evening and half-past eleven in the evening on any day other than Sunday and Good Friday for consumption with or ancillary to a *bona fide* meal or with substantial refreshments ; and
- (c) where a permit under sub-section (2) of this section is in force for the purposes of this paragraph, subject to and in accordance with the permit, between twelve noon and half-past two in the afternoon and between six in the evening and ten in the evening on a Sunday and Good Friday and between twelve noon and one in the afternoon on Anzac Day for consumption with a *bona fide* meal.

(2) The Court may on the application of a licensee and on payment of the fee prescribed in that behalf by the rules grant a permit subject to such terms and conditions as it thinks fit and in respect of such part or parts of the licensed premises as it thinks fit for the purposes of paragraph (b) or paragraph (c) of sub-section (1) of this section or for the purposes of both such paragraphs.

(3) The Court on the application of the licensing inspector or the supervisor of licensed premises may revoke any permit granted pursuant to sub-section (2) of this section if it is satisfied that any of the provisions of this Act or of the permit have not been complied with.

(4) A permit shall remain in force until the end of the year in respect of which it was granted unless it is sooner revoked by the Court and a permit may on the application of the licensee and on payment of the fee prescribed by the rules be renewed with the licence.

(5) No offence under this Act shall be committed by any person by reason of the consumption by him of any liquor so sold or disposed of in the part or parts of the premises to which the permit applies during the hours specified in paragraph (b) or (c) of sub-section (1) of this section (as the case may be) or within thirty minutes thereafter.

(6) The Court may, for the purposes of paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) of this section, fix hours for the sale or disposal of liquor in any particular premises for the whole or any period of a year and may fix different hours for different periods of the year and in fixing any such hours the Court shall have regard to the circumstances existing in the neighbourhood of the licensed premises and the needs of the public.”

(2) The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

- (a) In sub-section (1) of section nine for the words “ six in the evening ” there shall be substituted the words “ ten in the evening ”;
- (b) In sub-section (1) of section fourteen—
- (i) for the words “ six in the afternoon and ” there shall be substituted the words “ ten in the evening and ”; and
- (ii) for the words “ nine in the morning and six in the afternoon ” there shall be substituted the words “ ten in the morning and ten in the evening ”;
- (c) In section fifteen—
- (i) for the words “ six in the afternoon and ” there shall be substituted the words “ ten in the evening and ”; and
- (ii) for the words “ nine in the morning and six in the afternoon ” there shall be substituted the words “ ten in the morning and ten in the evening ”;
- (d) In sub-section (1) of section sixteen for the words “ nine in the morning and six in the evening ” there shall be substituted the words “ ten in the morning and ten in the evening ”;
- (e) In sub-section (1) of section one hundred and twenty-two for the words “ nine in the morning and six in the afternoon ” there shall be substituted the words “ ten in the morning and ten in the evening ”.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
I. R. Cathie,
V. O. Dickie,
D. G. Elliot,
P. V. Feltham,
J. W. Galbally,
C. S. Gawith,
S. E. Gleeson,
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G. J. Nicol (*Teller*),
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B. D. Snider (*Teller*),
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson,
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
T. H. Grigg,
H. A. Hewson (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell (*Teller*),
R. W. May,
I. A. Swinburne.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY (MORNING), 1ST DECEMBER, 1965.

No. 2.—LICENSING BILL.—Clause 3—

(1) For section nine A of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following section:—

“ 9A. (1) A restaurant licence shall authorize a licensee to sell and dispose of liquor to any person on the premises therein specified—

(a) for consumption with or as ancillary to a *bona fide* meal supplied by the licensee—

(i) between twelve noon and half-past eleven in the evening on any day other than a Sunday or Good Friday;

(ii) between twelve noon and half-past two in the afternoon and between six and ten in the evening on a Sunday or Good Friday; and

(iii) between twelve noon and one in the afternoon on Anzac Day; and

(b) for consumption with substantial refreshments supplied by the licensee between ten in the evening and half-past eleven in the evening on any day other than Sunday or Good Friday.

(2) No offence under this Act shall be committed by any person by reason of the consumption by him of liquor on premises in respect of which a restaurant licence is in force at any time within thirty minutes after the expiration of any period during which the sale or disposal of liquor to him was authorized by the licence.

(3) Where a restaurant licence in force immediately before the commencement of the *Licensing Act 1965* authorized the holder of the licence to sell and dispose of wine cider or perry being a product of fruit grown in any State of the Commonwealth of Australia either in bottles or containers for consumption on the premises or in the part of the premises specified in that behalf in the licence between the hours of nine in the morning and six in the afternoon that licence shall in addition to any sale or disposal authorized under this Act continue to authorize the holder of the licence to sell and dispose of such wine cider or perry in the same manner and to the same extent as it did before the commencement of the *Licensing Act 1965*."

(2) Sections thirty-eight and thirty-eight A of the Principal Act shall be repealed.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie).

Question—That clause 3 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 22.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
I. R. Cathie,
V. O. Dickie,
D. G. Elliot,
P. V. Feltham,
J. W. Galbally,
C. S. Gawith,
S. E. Gleeson (*Teller*),
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
A. J. Hunt,
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. Nicol,
G. J. O'Connell,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson,
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J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
T. H. Grigg,
H. A. Hewson,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3—LICENSING BILL.—Clause 4—

The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) In section seven after the expression—

“(2A) Restaurant Licences” there shall be inserted the expressions—

“(2B) Cabaret Licences.

(2c) Theatre Licences.”;

(b) At the end of section nine A there shall be inserted the following sections:—

“9B. (1) A cabaret licence shall subject to such terms and conditions as are fixed by the Court and specified in the licence authorize the licensee to sell and dispose of liquor to any person on the premises therein specified for consumption with or ancillary to the supply of refreshments and entertainment between half past eight in the evening and three in the morning but the licence shall not authorize the sale or disposal of liquor between half-past eight on a Sunday evening and three on a Monday morning or at any time on a Good Friday.

(2) The Court shall not grant a cabaret licence in respect of any premises for which a victualler's licence or a restaurant licence is in force.

9c. (1) A theatre licence shall authorize the licensee to sell and dispose of liquor on the part or parts of the premises specified in the licence between the hours of seven in the evening and eleven in the evening or such later hour on a special occasion as may be specified in a permit issued under this Act on any evening upon which performances are given to the public on those premises.

(2) A theatre licence shall not authorize the licensee to sell and dispose of liquor except on an evening on which the theatre is being used to provide entertainment in which all the performers whose words or actions constitute the entertainment are physically present in the theatre and actually perform the entertainment.

(3) A theatre licence shall not specify a part of the premises as a part for the sale or disposal of liquor which is readily accessible to persons who are not attending the performance.

(4) A theatre licence shall not be granted in respect of any premises unless the Court is satisfied that—

- (a) the premises are regularly used for theatrical performances by live performers; and
 (b) proper facilities for the sale and disposal of liquor are or will be available on the premises.”

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie).

Question—That clause 4 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 22.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 I. R. Cathie,
 V. O. Dickie,
 D. G. Elliot,
 P. V. Feltham,
 J. W. Galbally,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
 R. J. Hamer,
 A. J. Hunt,
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 G. J. Nicol,
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 B. D. Snider,
 G. W. Thom (*Teller*),
 L. H. S. Thompson,
 A. Todd,
 J. M. Tripovich,
 J. M. Walton.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
 Sir Percy Byrnes,
 G. L. Chandler,
 M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
 T. H. Grigg,
 H. A. Hewson,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 I. A. Swinburne.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1965.

NO. 4.—MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCE) BILL.—Clause 2—

The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) At the end of section 81 there shall be inserted the following section:—

“81A. (1) Any person who drives a motor car while the percentage of alcohol in his blood expressed in grams per one hundred millilitres of blood is more than .05 per centum shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable in the case of a first offence to a fine of not more than Fifty pounds or in the case of a second or any subsequent offence to a fine of not more than One hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term of not more than one month.

(2) For the purposes of this section if it is established that the percentage of alcohol in the blood of the person concerned was more than .05 per centum per one hundred millilitres of blood at any time within two hours after the alleged offence it shall be presumed unless the contrary is proved that the percentage of alcohol was more than .05 per centum at the time of the alleged offence.”

—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson).

Amendment proposed—That the expression “ .05 per centum ” (where first occurring) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof “ .08 per centum ”.

—(*Hon. P. V. Feltham*).

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 21.

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

Noes, 11.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SESSION 1965.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 2.

WEDNESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1965.

No. 1.—SUPERANNUATION BILL.—Clause 3—

At the end of section 13D of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section:—

“13E. Notwithstanding anything in this Act to the contrary this Act shall continue to apply to an officer and the Chief Commissioner of Police after he has attained the age of sixty-five years or in the case of a police officer other than the Chief Commissioner of Police sixty years if he continues to be an officer and the following provisions shall apply:—

- (a) The rate of contribution for each additional unit of pension for which such an officer and the Chief Commissioner of Police may become entitled to contribute after he has attained the age of sixty-five years or in the case of a police officer other than the Chief Commissioner of Police sixty years shall be the rate for the time being fixed for a contributor who will attain the age of sixty-five years or in the case of a police officer other than the Chief Commissioner of Police sixty years on his next birthday provided that twenty-six contributions at the fortnightly rate applicable to the contributor shall be made or an equivalent amount shall be paid into the Fund in respect of any such unit before any pension in respect thereof shall become payable;
- (b) Any general election made pursuant to paragraph (d) of sub-section (4) of section 13 by such an officer shall unless revoked in accordance with the provisions of that paragraph continue to have effect so long as that person remains an officer;
- (c) Such an officer shall not be entitled to receive a pension so long as he remains an officer.”

—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson.)

Question—That clause 3 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 21.

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

Noes, 8.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—ROAD TRANSPORT BILL.—Clause 5—

(1) Section 3 of the Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) After the interpretation of “Commercial goods vehicle” there shall be inserted the following interpretation:—

“Forwarding agent” means any person who, whether or not he carries on business other than as a forwarding agent, on one or more occasions arranges or offers to arrange the carriage by road of goods;”

(b) In the interpretation of “Owner” before the words “but does not include” there shall be inserted the words “and in relation to any vehicle which is used for the carriage of goods pursuant to a contract agreement or arrangement for the carriage of such goods by more than one commercial goods vehicle includes, for the purposes of Part I., any forwarding agent who negotiates makes arranges or is in any way concerned with any such contract agreement or arrangement”;

(c) At the end of the interpretation of “Tow truck” there shall be inserted the words “and includes any motor car to which is attached (temporarily or otherwise) a trailer or device which is used or intended to be used for the lifting and carrying or towing of motor cars”.

(2) For section 20 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following section:—

“20. (1) Where goods are carried in stages from one place to another on different vehicles (whether operated by the same or different owners) the carriage of those goods shall be a contravention of this Act in respect of the carriage for each stage unless at least one of the vehicles engaged on one stage of the carriage of the goods was authorized under this Part to carry the goods for hire or reward over all the stages over which the goods were carried and the owner and driver of each vehicle which is used for the carriage of the goods over any one of those stages shall be guilty of an offence against this Act and shall for all purposes be deemed to have carried the goods over all of the stages over which the goods were carried.

(2) This section shall apply notwithstanding that but for this section the carriage of the goods by road over each stage may have been lawful.

(3) It shall be a defence to a prosecution for an offence against this section if the defendant satisfies the court that he did not know and could not reasonably have been expected to know that the carriage of the goods was to be continued on another vehicle or that the goods had been carried on another vehicle over a prior stage of the journey.”

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 5 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
I. R. Cathie,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
D. G. Elliot,
S. E. Gleeson (*Teller*),
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
A. J. Hunt,
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. Nicol,
G. J. O'Connell,
B. D. Snider,
L. H. S. Thompson,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
P. V. Feltham (*Teller*),
H. A. Hewson,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
I. A. Swinburne.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—ROAD TRANSPORT BILL.—Clause 6—

(1) The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) For paragraph (c) of sub-section (1) of section 5 there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

“(c) any vehicle which operates solely within the radius of twenty-five miles from the place of business of the owner of such vehicle:

Provided that any licence granted pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph shall be deemed not to authorize the carriage of goods whether by one stage or by more than one stage between places within the area of operation authorized by the licence which are more than thirty miles apart by the nearest practicable route;”

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That all the words commencing “ Provided that ” and ending “ nearest practicable route ” be omitted.

—(Hon. I. A. Swinburne.)

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

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 21.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
I. R. Cathie,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
D. G. Elliot,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
A. J. Hunt,
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. Nicol (*Teller*),
G. J. O'Connell,
B. D. Snider (*Teller*),
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
P. V. Feltham,
H. A. Hewson (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
I. A. Swinburne.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 4.—SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL.—Clause 4—

* * * * *

28. (1) Where the Committee proposes to assign or alter a place name, it shall give notice of the proposed name—

(a) to the council of the municipality in whose municipal district the place lies or whose municipal district immediately adjoins the place or to the council of each municipality in whose municipal district part of the place lies or whose municipal district immediately adjoins the place; and

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Amendment proposed—That the expression “ (where it proposes to assign a place name) ” be inserted before the words “ to the council ” (where first occurring).

—(Hon. R. W. May.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 6.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
H. A. Hewson,
A. R. Mansell (*Teller*),
R. W. May,
I. A. Swinburne (*Teller*).

Noes, 22.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
I. R. Cathie,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
D. G. Elliot,
P. V. Feltham,
J. W. Galbally,
C. S. Gawith,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
A. J. Hunt,
A. W. Knight,
S. Merrifield,
G. J. Nicol,
G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
B. D. Snider,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson,
J. M. Tripovich (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.

THURSDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1965.

No. 5.—LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL.—Clause 2—

Section 99 of the Principal Act shall be repealed.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 19.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
P. V. Feltham,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
A. W. Knight,
A. Todd (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 6.—LABOUR AND INDUSTRY BILL.—Clause 9—

* * * * *

184A. (1) For the purposes of this Division there shall be a Board of Examiners for engine-drivers and boiler attendants.

(2) The Board shall consist of—

(a) the Chief Inspector of Boilers and Pressure Vessels appointed under the *Boilers Inspection Act 1958* (who shall be chairman); and

(b) two other persons having a thorough knowledge of the operation of steam engines and boilers appointed by the Governor in Council (in this Division called “the appointed members”).

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “and holding certificates of competency as first class open engine-drivers” be inserted after the word “boilers”.

—(Hon. A. W. Knight.)

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 7.

The Hon. I. R. Cathie (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
A. Todd,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 19.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne (*Teller*),
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
P. V. Feltham,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt (*Teller*),
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

And so it passed in the negative.

VICTORIA.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 3.

TUESDAY, 29TH MARCH, 1966.

No. 1.—MONEY LENDERS (EXEMPTION) BILL.—Clause 2—

2. After paragraph (d) of sub-section (4) of section 3 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following paragraph:—

“(e) to any loan made to a person importing goods into Australia by a person who carries on the business of assisting persons importing goods into Australia.”

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 20.

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

Noes, 7.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 5TH APRIL, 1966.

No. 1.—MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 3—

The Principal Act shall be amended as follows:—

* * * * *

(b) In paragraph (a) of section 99 for the words "it shall not in any case be less than \$1" there shall be substituted the words "the minimum amount of the rate to be paid for any tenement shall be \$4";

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—(Hon. R. J. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression "\$4" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression "\$2".

—(Hon. J. M. Walton.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt,
R. W. May,
G. J. Nicol,
B. D. Snider,
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 10.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

NO. 2.—MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 3—

The Principal Act shall be amended as follows:—

* * * * *

(d) At the end of paragraph (a) of sub-section (6) of section 175 there shall be inserted the words “but the amount of the rate for any such property shall not be less than \$4”.

—(Hon. R. J. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “\$4” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression “\$2”.

—(Hon. J. M. Walton.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
Sir Percy Byrnes,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
T. H. Grigg,
K. S. Gross,
R. J. Hamer,
H. A. Hewson,
A. J. Hunt (*Teller*),
R. W. May,
G. J. Nicol (*Teller*),
B. D. Snider,
I. A. Swinburne,
G. W. Thom,
L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 10.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1966.

No. 1.—COUNTY COURT (COMMON LAW JURISDICTION) BILL.—Clause 2—

Paragraph (a) of section 37 of the Principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

- (a) In sub-paragraph (i) for the expression “ \$5,000 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$8,000 ”; and
- (b) In sub-paragraph (ii) for the expression “ \$2,000 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$4,000 ”.

—(Hon. L. H. S. Thompson.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “ \$8,000 ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression “ \$6,000 ”.

—(Hon. J. W. Galbally.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 G. L. Chandler,
 V. O. Dickie,
 P. V. Feltham,
 C. S. Gawith,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
 T. H. Grigg,
 K. S. Gross,
 R. J. Hamer,
 A. J. Hunt,
 G. J. Nicol,
 B. D. Snider (*Teller*),
 G. W. Thom,
 L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
 Sir Percy Byrnes,
 I. R. Cathie,
 M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
 D. G. Elliot,
 J. W. Galbally,
 H. A. Hewson,
 A. W. Knight,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 S. Merrifield,
 G. J. O'Connell,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 A. Todd,
 J. M. Tripovich,
 J. M. Walton.

The Tellers having declared the numbers for the “Ayes” and for the “Noes” to be respectively sixteen, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the “Ayes” in order that the business of the Committee be not taken out of the hands of the Government and declared the question to have been resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY, 28TH APRIL, 1966.

No. 2.—EVIDENCE (MEDICAL EVIDENCE) BILL.—Clause 2—

Section 28 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows:—

* * * * *

(c) After sub-section (2) there shall be inserted the following sub-section:—

“ (3) Sub-section (2) shall cease to have any application in—

(a) an action brought under Part III. of the *Wrongs Act* 1958 to recover damages for the death of the patient; or(b) proceedings brought under the *Workers Compensation Act* 1958 to recover compensation for the death of the patient—

if the person bringing or continuing the action or proceedings calls as a witness any physician or surgeon who has attended the patient.”

—(Hon. R. J. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression beginning “ (3) Sub-section (2) shall cease to have any application ” and ending at the end of the clause be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof—

“ (3) Sub-section (2) shall not apply to a physician or surgeon who has attended a patient and who is called as a witness—

(a) by a person bringing or continuing an action under Part III. of the *Wrongs Act* 1958 to recover damages for the death of the patient; or(b) by a person bringing or continuing proceedings under the *Workers Compensation Act* 1958 to recover compensation for the death of the patient; or

(c) by the legal personal representative of the patient bringing or continuing an action or proceedings for the benefit of the estate of the patient.”

—(Hon. A. Todd.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne (*Teller*),
 Sir Percy Byrnes,
 W. M. Campbell,
 M. A. Clarke,
 V. O. Dickie,
 C. S. Gawith (*Teller*),
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 R. J. Hamer,
 H. A. Hewson,
 A. J. Hunt,
 R. W. May,
 G. J. Nicol,
 B. D. Snider,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 G. W. Thom,
 L. H. S. Thompson.

Noes, 6.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 3RD MAY, 1966.

No. 1.—RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 3—

After section 116I of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sections:—

“ 116IA. (1) In addition to any other method of obtaining money permitted by this Act the Board may, with the approval of the Treasurer, borrow from time to time by way of overdraft such sums of money not at any time exceeding \$400,000 as the Board thinks requisite for the purposes of the Board.

(2) Any such sum of money may be so borrowed—

- (a) for such period;
- (b) on such terms and conditions;
- (c) at such rate of interest; and
- (d) on the giving of such security (if any)—

as the Board in the circumstances considers reasonable and the Treasurer approves.

116IB. (1) The Board may, so far as practicable, invest any moneys standing to the credit of the Board and not immediately required for the purposes of this Act in—

- (a) any of the securities specified in sub-section (1) of section 4 of the *Trustee Act* 1958;
- (b) debentures issued by a sewerage authority under the *Sewerage Districts Act* 1958;
- or
- (c) debentures or inscribed stock issued by the State Electricity Commission of Victoria.

(2) In addition to the investments permitted by sub-section (1) the Board may invest such moneys on such security which is approved by the Treasurer—

- (a) for such period;
- (b) on such terms and conditions; and
- (c) at such rate of interest not less than the current bank rate of interest—

as the Board in the circumstances considers reasonable and the Treasurer approves.”

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 3 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. W. R. Garrett in the Chair.

Ayes, 21.

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

Noes, 7.

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

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

1965-66.

VICTORIA.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

JOINT SITTING

OF THE

HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA

TO CHOOSE THREE MEMBERS OF
THE PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA

TO BE

RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT

TO THE

COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES

11TH MAY, 1966.

Held in accordance with the provisions of Section 7 of the Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965 (No. 7291).

By Authority:

A. C. BROOKS, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, MELBOURNE.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
JOINT SITTING
HELD IN THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

WEDNESDAY, 11TH MAY, 1966.

The Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly having, pursuant to resolutions of the two Houses, assembled in the Legislative Assembly Chamber—

1. ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.—Vernon Christie, Esquire, M.L.A., Deputy-Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, moved—That the Honorable Ronald William Mack, M.L.C., President of the Legislative Council, be appointed President of this Joint Sitting, which motion, being seconded by the Acting-Premier, the Honorable A. G. Rylah, C.M.G., E.D., M.L.A., was resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Ronald William Mack, M.L.C., having expressed his acknowledgments for the honour conferred upon him by the Joint Sitting, then took the Chair.

2. COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES.—The President read the relevant provision of section 7 of the *Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965*, viz. :—

“The Council shall consist of not more than twenty-eight members and shall be constituted as follows :—

- (a) Three members who shall be Members of the Parliament of Victoria who have been recommended for appointment by a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by the Members present at the sitting ;”.

3. RULES OF PROCEDURE.—The Acting-Premier, the Honorable A. G. Rylah, C.M.G., E.D., M.L.A., submitted the following rules of procedure for the consideration of Honorable Members, and moved that they be adopted as the rules of procedure of this Joint Sitting :—

1. On any debate arising the same shall be conducted according to parliamentary usage.

2. A Member, addressing himself to the President, shall propose a Member to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges and such proposal shall be duly seconded. When any Member is so proposed his proposer shall state that such Member is willing to be so recommended for appointment, if chosen.

3. If only three Members be proposed and seconded, the President shall declare—“ That have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges ”.

4. If more than three Members be proposed and seconded, the Members to be recommended for appointment shall be chosen by ballot in the following manner :—

5. The President shall announce the names of the Members proposed and shall cause each Member present to be provided with a ballot-paper initialled by the Clerks of the two Houses.

6. Upon such ballot-paper the Member receiving it shall write the names of the three Members he wishes to be recommended for appointment ; and if any ballot-paper contains a larger number of names it shall be rejected. Having marked his ballot-paper as provided, the Member voting shall deposit it in a ballot-box provided for the purpose.

7. The President shall appoint three Members to be scrutineers, who, with the Clerks, shall ascertain the number of votes for each Member ; and the three Members who shall be reported to have the greatest number of votes shall be deemed to be duly chosen to be recommended for appointment. In any case of doubt arising through two or more Members having an equality of votes, the scrutineers by drawing lots shall determine which of such Members shall be chosen to be recommended for appointment.

8. No informal vote shall be taken into account.

9. The President shall be entitled to a vote.

10. As soon as the ballot is concluded the President shall declare—" That have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges "

11. The records of the proceedings and the ballot-papers shall be retained by the Clerk of the Parliaments, who shall be the custodian thereof, and shall keep the ballot-papers safely for one year and thereafter destroy them.

The Honorable C. P. Stoneham, M.L.A., seconded the motion.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

4. MEMBERS PROPOSED AND CHOSEN TO BE RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES.—The President announced that, the rules having been adopted, he was now prepared to receive proposals from Honorable Members with regard to the Members to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.

The Honorable A. G. Rylah, C.M.G., E.D., M.L.A., proposed Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D., M.L.A., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Taylor was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by the Honorable M. V. Porter, M.L.A.

The Honorable C. P. Stoneham, M.L.A., proposed the Honorable Samuel Merrifield, M.L.C., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Merrifield was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.L.A.

The Honorable G. C. Moss, M.L.A., proposed Thomas Campion Trewin, Esquire, M.L.A., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Trewin was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by Bruce James Evans, Esquire, M.L.A.

The President, having asked if there were any further proposals and there being no further proposals, thereupon declared that Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D., M.L.A., the Honorable Samuel Merrifield, M.L.C., and Thomas Campion Trewin, Esquire, M.L.A., had been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.

5. NOTIFICATION TO THE HONORABLE THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.—The Acting-Premier, the Honorable A. G. Rylah, C.M.G., E.D., M.L.A., moved—That the President inform the Honorable the Minister of Education that Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D., M.L.A., the Honorable Samuel Merrifield, M.L.C., and Thomas Campion Trewin, Esquire, M.L.A., have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges which motion, being seconded by the Honorable C. P. Stoneham, M.L.A., was resolved in the affirmative.
6. VOTE OF THANKS TO THE PRESIDENT.—The Acting-Premier, the Honorable A. G. Rylah, C.M.G., E.D., M.L.A., moved a vote of thanks to the President, which motion was seconded by the Honorable C. P. Stoneham, M.L.A., and carried unanimously.

The President, having returned thanks, declared the Joint Sitting closed.

J. A. ROBERTSON,
*Clerk of the Parliaments
and Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.*

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

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