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*Bills initiated during the Session	160
Passed and assented to	144
Lapsed	13
Withdrawn	3
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Accommodation Tax Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, pp. 15-16 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Sept., p. 16 ; Bill lapsed.

Adoption of Children (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 14 March, 1972, p. 150 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 March, p. 151 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 March, p. 155. *Assented to 28 March, 1972. Act No. 8245.*

Agricultural Colleges (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 12 Oct., 1971, p. 66 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 68 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 132. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8217.*

Apprenticeship (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, p. 15 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Sept., p. 38 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 13-14 Oct., p. 68 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 10 Nov., p. 95 ; amendments agreed to, 11 Nov., p. 97. *Assented to 16 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8174.*

Appropriation Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 30 Nov.-1 Dec., 1971, pp. 122-4 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 130. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8241.*

Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics Preservation Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 March, p. 145 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, 21 March, p. 154 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 11-12 April, p. 166 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 2 May, p. 187 ; amendment agreed to, 4 May, p. 199. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8273.*

Bees Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 Oct., 1971, p. 74 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 Nov., p. 102 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 1-2 Dec., p. 130 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 132. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8216.*

Brotherhood of St. Laurence (Incorporation) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 19 Oct., 1971, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 75 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 11 Nov., p. 97 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 110. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8188.*

Building Societies (Special Advances) Bill—(Mr. Meagher)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 41 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Sept., p. 46 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 13 Oct., p. 68 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Nov., p. 94. *Assented to 16 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8169.*

Buninyong (Recreation Reserve) Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 20 Oct., 1971, p. 76 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 Oct., p. 78 ; ruled a Private Bill, Amendment proposed to Motion that all Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and Bill be treated as Public Bill ; amendment withdrawn, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Nov., p. 95 ; Council agreement notified 25 Nov., p. 114. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8195.*

Chiropodists (Registration) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Dunstan).

Initiated and read first time, 12 Oct., 1971, p. 66 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 67 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 132. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8218.*

Closer Settlement Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 19 Oct., 1971, p. 73 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 77 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8225.*

Coal Mines (Pensions) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 19 April, 1972, p. 178 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 180 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 4 May, p. 197 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8278.*

Coal Mines (Pensions Increase) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 5 Oct., 1971, p. 56 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 6 Oct., p. 61 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 69 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Nov., p. 95. *Assented to 16 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8171.*

Commonwealth Places (Administration of Laws) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 31 Aug., 1971, p. 11 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 Aug., p. 13 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 Sept., p. 47 ; Council agreement notified, 12 Oct., p. 66. *Assented to 19 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8156.*

Companies Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 6 Oct., 1971, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, committed, incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to, Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 26 Oct., pp. 84–5 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 10 Nov., p. 95 ; amendments agreed to, 11 Nov., p. 97. Governor's message desiring amendment presented, amendment agreed to and message transmitted to Council, 23 Nov., p. 107 ; Council agreement notified, 23 Nov., p. 109. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8185.*

Constitution Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 19 Oct., 1971, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 75 ; Bill lapsed.

Consumer Protection Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 14 March, 1972, p. 149 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 March, p. 154 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented 19 April, p. 179 ; 26 April, p. 184 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 26 April, p. 184 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 3 May, p. 190 ; amendments agreed to, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8276.*

Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill—(Mr. Meagher)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 7 Sept., 1971, p. 37 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 8 Sept., p. 42 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 6 Oct., p. 61 ; Council agreement notified, 21 Oct., p. 77. *Assented to 26 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8160.*

Country Fire Authority (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 21 March, 1972, p. 154 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 160 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 18 April, p. 176 ; Council agreement notified, 2 May, p. 188. *Assented to 2 May, 1972. Act No. 8257.*

County Court (Jurisdiction) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 March, 1972, p. 157 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 160 ; read second time, committed and reported without amendment ; Bill read third time (on division) and transmitted to Council, 18 April, p. 174 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 2 May, p. 188 ; amendment agreed to and further amendment made in Bill, 3 May, p. 192 ; Council agreement to amendment notified, 3 May, p. 194. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8263.*

Crimes (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 11 April, 1972, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 April, p. 168 ; 3 May, p. 195 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 4 May, p. 197 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8280.*

Crimes (Powers of Arrest) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Feb., p. 140 ; read second time : committed ; Clause 2 referred to Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report ; considered in Committee and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 14 March, p. 150 ; Council agreement notified, 28 March, p. 158. *Assented to 6 April, 1972. Act No. 8247.*

Daylight Saving Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, p. 15 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Sept., p. 38 ; 5 Oct., p. 59 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 6 Oct., p. 61 ; Council agreement notified, 21 Oct., p. 77. *Assented to 26 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8159.*

Dentists—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated and read first time, 30 Sept., 1971, p. 53 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 Oct., p. 73 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 23 Nov., p. 109 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 4 May, p. 196 ; amendments agreed to, 4 May, pp. 200–1. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8287.*

Disposal of Uncollected Goods (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Feb., p. 140 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 7 March, p. 145 ; Council agreement notified, 28 March, p. 158. *Assented to 6 April, 1972. Act No. 8246.*

Dookie Agricultural College Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 March, 1972, p. 158 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 160 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 12 April, p. 167 ; Council agreement notified, 27 April, p. 186 ; *Assented to 2 May, 1972. Act No. 8256.*

Door to Door Sales Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 17 Nov., 1971, p. 102 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 18 Nov., p. 104 ; Bill withdrawn, 29 Feb., p. 139.

Eastern Freeway Lands Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 Oct., 1971, p. 87 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 92 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to (on division) ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of Bill agreed to (on division) ; reasoned amendment to motion for second reading negatived (on division) ; read second time (on division) after expiration of time allotted for second reading ; committed and reported without amendment ; Bill read third time (on division) after expiration of time allotted for third reading and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., pp. 116–18 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 132. *Assented to 7 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8204.*

Eastern Railway Construction Bill—(Mr. Meagher)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 Oct., 1971, p. 87 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 92 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of Bill agreed to ; reasoned amendment to motion for second reading negatived (on division) ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., pp. 127–8 ; Council returned Bill with amendment ; amendment agreed to, 2 Dec., p. 134. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8235.*

Educational Grants (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Thompson)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 26 Oct., 1971, pp. 82–3 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 93 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of Bill agreed to (on division) ; reasoned amendment to motion for second reading negatived (on division) ; read second time ; committed ; resolution for allotment of times rescinded and new motion for allotment of times for remaining stages of Bill agreed to ; instruction to Committee agreed to, Bill reported without amendment ; Bill read third time after expiration of time allotted for third reading and transmitted to Council, 2 Dec., pp. 130–1 ; Council agreement notified, 29 Feb., p. 138. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8237.*

Education (Teacher Registration) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty for Mr. Thompson)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 Oct., 1971, p. 87 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 92 ; 24–25 Nov., p. 112 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of Bill agreed to (on division) ; read second time (on division) after expiration of time allotted for second reading ; committed and reported without amendment ; motion for third reading—time allotted for remaining stages of Bill extended ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., pp. 128–9 ; Council agreement notified, 29 Feb., p. 138. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8239.*

Environment Protection (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 April, p. 186 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8277.*

Essendon (Recreation Ground) Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 5 Oct., 1971, p. 56 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 6 Oct., p. 61 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 19 Oct., p. 73 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 110. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8187.*

Evidence (Boards and Commissions) Bill—(Mr. Hamer for Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 41 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Sept., p. 50 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 26 Oct., p. 85 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 112. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8190.*

Evidence (Documents) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 14 Sept., 1971, p. 47 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 Sept., p. 48 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8228.*

Exhibition (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, p. 14 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Sept., p. 34 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 69 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Nov., p. 95. *Assented to 16 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8172.*

Family Courts Bill—(Mr. Wilkes)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Sept., 1971, p. 38 ; Bill lapsed.

Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents (Employment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 Nov., 1971, p. 94 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 96 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8230.*

Films (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 11 April, 1972, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 April, p. 166 ; read second time (on division), passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 April, p. 180 ; Council agreement notified, 3 May, p. 190. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8262.*

Films Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, p. 15 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Sept., p. 38 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, incidental Ways and Means Resolution agreed to ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 5 Oct., pp. 58–9 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 19 Oct., p. 73 ; amendment agreed to, 21 Oct., p. 78. *Assented to 26 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8161.*

Firearms (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 March, p. 145 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill reported without amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 28 March, p. 158 ; Council returned Bill suggesting amendment on consideration of Bill in Committee, 19 April, p. 179 ; suggested amendment made, Bill returned to Council, 3 May, p. 194 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 4 May, p. 196 ; amendment agreed to, 4 May, pp. 201–2. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8288.*

Flinders Street Station Area Redevelopment Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 42 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Sept., p. 46 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 11 Nov., pp. 97–8 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 112. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8194.*

Game Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 21 March, 1972, p. 153 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 22 March, p. 156 ; read second time (on division) committed ; incidental message presented, Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 11 April, p. 165 ; Council agreement notified, 19 April, p. 179. *Assented to 26 April, 1972. Act No. 8252.*

Geelong Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 28 Oct., 1971, p. 88 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 92 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time ; Council concurrence with amendment desired, 2 Dec., p. 132 ; Council agreement to amendment notified, 2 Dec., p. 134. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8234.*

Gift Duty Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, pp. 21–8 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Sept., p. 28 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 28 Sept., p. 50 ; Council returned Bill suggesting amendments on consideration of Bill in Committee, 11 Nov., p. 96 ; some suggested amendments made and the other made with a modification, Bill returned to Council, 16 Nov., pp. 99–100 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 102. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8176.*

Gift Duty (Rates and Rebates) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 23 Nov., 1971, p. 108 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 Nov., p. 110 ; read second time, committed ; incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., p. 114 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 126. *Assented to 7 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8202.*

Government Buildings Advisory Council Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 29 March, 1972, p. 159 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 April, p. 166 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 27 April, p. 185 ; Council agreement notified, 3 May, p. 194. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8265.*

Grain Elevators (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 20 Oct., 1971, p. 77 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 Oct., p. 78 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Nov., p. 95 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 112. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8193.*

Groundwater (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Dunstan)—

Initiated and read first time, 31 Aug., 1971, p. 7 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 Aug., p. 13 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 Sept., p. 41 ; Council agreement notified, 28 Sept., p. 51. *Assented to 5 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8153.*

Harbor Boards (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 Nov., 1971, p. 94 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 96 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8220.*

Health Services (Fees and Penalties) Bill—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated and read first time, 29 Sept., 1971, p. 52 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 5 Oct., p. 56 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 26 Oct., p. 85 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 24 Nov., p. 112 ; amendments agreed to, 25 Nov., pp. 113–14. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8196.*

Hire-Purchase (Form) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 12 Oct., 1971, p. 66 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 68 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 134. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8232.*

Housing (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Meagher)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 10 Nov., 1971, p. 94 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 96 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 18 Nov., p. 105 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 124. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8206.*

Instruments (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 6 Oct., 1971, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 67 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 11 Nov., p. 97 ; Council agreement notified, 25 Nov., p. 115. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8198.*

***Judges Salaries and Allowances Bill—(Mr. Reid)—**

Initiated on message and read first time, 19 Oct., 1971, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 74 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Nov., p. 95 ; Council returned Bill suggesting amendments on consideration of Bill in Committee, suggested amendments made, Bill returned to Council, 18 Nov., p. 104 ; Council agreement notified, 18 Nov., p. 105. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8183.*

Juries (Compensation) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 31 Aug., 1971, p. 12 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 Aug., p. 12 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 69 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Nov., p. 95. *Assented to 16 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8170.*

Justices Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 21 March, 1972, p. 153 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned 29 March, p. 160 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 12 April, p. 167 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 2 May, p. 188 ; amendments agreed to, 4 May, p. 199. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8275.*

Justices (Civil Proceedings) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 9 Nov., 1971, pp. 92–3 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 95 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8224.*

* Absolute majorities obtained on second and third readings.

Labour and Industry (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 Oct., 1971, p. 74 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 26 Oct., p. 83 ; 18 Nov., p. 105 ; read second time (on division) committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 24 Nov., p. 111 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 126. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8211.*

Labour and Industry (Shop Trading Hours) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte for Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 19 Oct., 1971, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—closure motion agreed to (on division) on motion for adjournment of debate ; debate adjourned (on division) 20 Oct., p. 75 ; closure motion agreed to (on division) on motion that Bill be read a second time ; read second time (on division), passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27–28 Oct., pp. 87–8 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 102. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8175.*

Land (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 Oct., 1971, p. 87 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 92 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 24 Nov., p. 112 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 124. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8207.*

Land (Greyhound Racing) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Feb., p. 140 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 March, p. 149 ; Council agreement notified, 21 March, p. 154. *Assented to 28 March, 1972. Act No. 8243.*

Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 29 Sept., 1971, p. 52 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 30 Sept., p. 53 ; read second time ; committed, 10 Nov., p. 95 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 17 Nov., p. 103 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 124. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8208.*

Lands Tribunal Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 31 Aug., 1971, p. 13 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 Aug., p. 13 ; 26 Oct., p. 83 ; motion for referral to Statute Law Revision Committee—debate adjourned, 26 Oct., p. 84 ; referred to Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report, 9 Nov., p. 93. *Bill lapsed.*

Land (Surrenders) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 1 Dec., 1971, p. 125 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Dec., p. 126 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 134. *Assented to 7 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8205.*

Land Tax Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and read first time, 12 Oct., 1971, pp. 65–6 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 67 ; reasoned amendment to motion negatived (on division) ; read second time, committed and reported without amendment ; motion for third reading—reasoned amendment to motion negatived (on division) ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 21 Oct., pp. 78–9 ; Council agreement notified, 9 Nov., p. 93. *Assented to 16 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8167.*

Latrobe Valley (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Dunstan)—

Initiated and read first time, 12 Oct., 1971, p. 66 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 68 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 134. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8231.*

Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 14 March, 1972, p. 149 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 March, p. 151 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 18 April, p. 173 ; Council agreement notified, 2 May, p. 188. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8259.*

Leo Cussen Institute for Continuing Legal Education Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 21 March, 1972, p. 153 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 22 March, p. 156 ; ruled a Private Bill ; Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 12 April, p. 167 ; Council agreement notified, 19 April, p. 179. *Assented to 26 April, 1972. Act No. 8254.*

Liquor Control (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 March, 1972, p. 157 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 April, p. 164 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 3 May, p. 195 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 198. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8272.*

Local Government Bill—(from Council—Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 15 March, 1972, p. 150 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 March, p. 154 ; 20 April, p. 182 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 4–5 May, p. 203. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8291.*

Lotteries Gaming and Betting (Pre-Post Betting) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, p. 15 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Sept., p. 34 ; ruled a Private Bill, motion that Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that Bill be treated as a Public Bill agreed to (on division) ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 12 Oct., pp. 63–4 ; Council agreement notified, 26 Oct., p. 85. *Assented to 27 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8162.*

Lutheran Church of Australia Victorian District Incorporation Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 29 Sept., 1971, p. 52 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 5 Oct., p. 57 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 21 Oct., p. 78 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 103. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8178.*

Magistrates' Courts Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 31 Aug., 1971, p. 12 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 Aug., p. 12 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 69 ; Council returned Bill with amendment ; amendment agreed to, 18 Nov., p. 105. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8184.*

Marine Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 22 March, 1972, p. 155 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 160 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to ; Bill reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 18 April, p. 176 ; Council agreement notified, 2 May, p. 188. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8293.*

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 42 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 8 Sept., p. 42 ; 6 Oct., p. 61 ; read second time, committed, incidental message presented, Bill reported without amendment ; Bill read third time (on division) and transmitted to Council, 7 Oct., p. 62 ; Council agreement notified, 26 Oct., p. 85. *Assented to 3 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8164.*

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Reconstitution) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 April, 1972, p. 186 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 April, p. 186 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8281.*

Melbourne Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 14 Oct., 1971, p. 69 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 Oct., p. 72 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 18 Nov., p. 105 ; Council agreement notified, 25 Nov., p. 115. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8199.*

Melbourne Land (Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Feb., p. 140 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 March, p. 149 ; Council agreement notified, 21 March, p. 154. *Assented to 28 March, 1972. Act No. 8244.*

Mercy Private Hospital (Guarantee) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 14 Sept., 1971, pp. 45–6 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 Sept., p. 48 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 13 Oct., p. 68 ; Council agreement notified, 19 Oct., p. 73. *Assented to 26 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8158.*

Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Dunstan)—

Initiated and read first time, 28 Sept., 1971, p. 51 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 30 Sept., p. 53 ; read second time passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8229.*

Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 Nov., 1971, p. 95 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 96 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of Bill agreed to ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., p. 128 ; Council agreement notified, 29 Feb., p. 138. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8236.*

Moonee Ponds (Queens Park) Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, p. 14 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Sept., p. 34 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 8 Sept., p. 42 ; Council agreement notified, 12 Oct., p. 66. *Assented to 19 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8155.*

Moorabbin Land (Special Grant) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 14 Sept., 1971, p. 46 ; Bill lapsed.

Motor Car (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 11 April, 1972, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 18 April, p. 173 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to ; Bill reported without amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 4 May, pp. 197–8 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8279.*

Motor Car (Breath Tests) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 13 Oct., 1971, p. 67 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 Oct., p. 73 ; read second time, committed ; instruction to committee agreed to, Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments and an amended title ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 17 Nov., p. 102 ; Council agreement notified, 25 Nov., p. 115. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8197.*

Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 March, 1972, p. 158 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 159 ; reasoned amendment to motion negatived (on division) ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented, 18 April, p. 175 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 19 April, p. 179 ; Council agreement notified, 2 May, p. 188. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8260.*

National Parks (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 42 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 5 Oct., p. 57 ; 28 Oct., p. 89 ; read second time, committed ; incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to ; Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., pp. 89–90 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 1 Dec., p. 125 ; amendments agreed to, 1 Dec., p. 126. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8210.*

Newhaven Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 12 Oct., 1971, pp. 64–5 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 67 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., p. 89 ; Council agreement notified, 28 Oct., p. 90 ; *Assented to 3 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8166.*

Nurses (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated and read first time, 22 March, 1972, p. 155 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 22 March, p. 156 ; read second time (on division), passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 12 April, p. 167 ; Council agreement notified, 3 May, p. 190. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8261.*

Parliamentary Commissioner (Ombudsman) Bill—(Mr. Wilkes)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Sept., 1971, p. 38 ; Bill lapsed.

Parliamentary Committees (Take-over Offers) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated on message, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 3 May, 1972, p. 195 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 4 May, p. 196 ; amendments agreed to, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8286.*

Parliamentary Officers Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 21 Oct., 1971, p. 78 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 26 Oct., p. 83 ; Bill Lapsed.

Pay-roll Tax Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, pp. 16–20 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Sept., p. 20 ; read second time, committed 28 Sept., p. 51 ; 30 Sept., p. 53 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to (on division) ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of Bill agreed to (on division) ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time (on division) and transmitted to Council, 5 Oct., pp. 57–8 ; Council agreement notified, 6 Oct., p. 61. *Assented to 8 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8154.*

Poisons (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated and read first time, 19 Oct., 1971, p. 73 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 77 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 134. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8233.*

Poisons (Amendment) Bill (No. 2)—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated and read first time, 12 April, 1972, p. 166 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 April, p. 167 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 April, p. 181 ; Council agreement notified, 3 May, p. 194. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8266.*

Police Offences Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 11 April, 1972, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 April, p. 166 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 2 May, p. 189 ; Council agreement notified, 3 May, p. 194. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8267.*

Police Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 41 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Sept., p. 46 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 13 Oct., p. 68 ; Council agreement notified, 18 Nov., p. 104. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8179.*

Police Regulation (Chief Commissioner) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 31 Aug., 1971, p. 11 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 Aug., p. 13 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 Sept., p. 38 ; Council agreement notified, 28 Sept., p. 51. *Assented to 5 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8152.*

Portland Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 Nov., 1971, p. 94 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 96 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8219.*

Public Authorities (Contributions) (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, p. 15 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Sept., p. 15 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 19 Oct., p. 73 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 112. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8191.*

Public Service (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 14 March, 1972, p. 149 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 March, p. 154 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 April, pp. 181–2 ; Council agreement notified, 3 May, p. 194. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8268.*

Public Works and Services Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 26 Oct., 1971, p. 83 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 89 ; read second time, committed 11 Nov., p. 98 ; 30 Nov., p. 121 ; further considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., p. 125 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 132. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8212.*

Public Works and State Development Committees Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 19 Oct., 1971, p. 73 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 18 Nov., p. 105 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 132. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8214.*

Race Relations Bill—(Mr. Bornstein)—

Initiated and read first time, 11 Nov., 1971, p. 96 ; Bill lapsed.

Racing (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 Oct., 1971, p. 87 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 93 ; 23 Nov., p. 109 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to, Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 24 Nov., pp. 111–12 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 1 Dec., p. 125 ; amendment agreed to, 1 Dec., p. 126. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8209.*

Racing (Totalizator Commissions) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated and read first time, motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 April, 1972, p. 178 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to (on division), Bill reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 3 May, pp. 192–3 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 197. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8269.*

Railways (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Meagher for Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 Oct., 1971, p. 74 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 93 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 Nov., p. 102 ; Council agreement notified, 18 Nov., p. 104. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8180.*

Railway Works and Services Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 9 Nov., 1971, p. 92 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 95 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of Bill ; amendment to motion negatived (on division) ; motion agreed to ; read second time, after expiration of time allotted for second reading ; committed and reported without amendment ; Bill read third time after expiration of time allowed for third reading and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., p. 127 ; Council agreement notified, 29 Feb., p. 138. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8238.*

Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 15 Sept., 1971, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Sept., p. 50 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 Oct., p. 77 ; Council agreement notified, 25 Nov., p. 115. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8200.*

Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill (No. 2)—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 14 March, 1972 ; p. 149 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 March, p. 150 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 11 April, p. 164 ; Council agreement notified, 19 April, p. 179. *Assented to 26 April, 1972. Act No. 8255.*

Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 14 March, 1972, p. 149 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 March, p. 151 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 21 March, p. 154 ; Council agreement notified, 12 April, p. 168. *Assented to 18 April, 1972. Act No. 8250.*

Road Traffic (Penalties) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 Oct., 1971, p. 74 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 26 Oct., p. 83 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 9 Nov., p. 93 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 112. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8192.*

Scaffolding (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Sept., 1971, p. 38 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 8 Sept., p. 42 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133 ; *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8222.*

Seamen's (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Feb., p. 140 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 March, p. 145 ; Council agreement notified, 21 March, p. 154. *Assented to 28 March, 1972. Act No. 8242.*

Select Committee (Ansett Transport Industries) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 26 April, 1972, p. 184 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 April, p. 185 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 April, p. 185 ; Council agreement notified, 2 May, p. 188. *Assented to 2 May, 1972. Act No. 8258.*

Sewerage Districts (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Dunstan)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Sept., 1971, p. 39 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 8 Sept., p. 42 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8227.*

Soldier Settlement (Amendment) Bill—(Mr Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 March, 1972, p. 158 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 160 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 18 April, p. 174 ; Council agreement notified, 3 May, p. 194. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8264.*

Sports Promotion Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 12 April, 1972, p. 166 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13th April, p. 168 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, further message presented, incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to ; Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 2-3 May, p. 189 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 4 May, p. 197 ; amendment agreed to, 4 May, p. 202. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8289.*

Stamps Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, pp. 29-34 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 Sept., p. 34 ; read second time (on division), committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 28 Sept., p. 50 ; Council agreement notified, 12 Oct., p. 66. *Assented to 19 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8157.*

Stamps (Bookmakers' Statements) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means and read first time, 18 April, 1972, pp. 176-7 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 April, p. 179 ; read second time (on division) passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 3 May, p. 194 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 197. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8270.*

Stamps (Gifts and Settlements) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 23 Nov., 1971, p. 108 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 Nov., p. 111 ; read second time, committed ; incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to, Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., pp. 115-16 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 126. *Assented to 7 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8203.*

State Electricity Commission (Newport Power Station) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 1 Sept., 1971, p. 15 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Sept., p. 38 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 69 ; Council agreement notified, 18 Nov., p. 105. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8182.*

State Forests Works and Services Bill—(Mr. Meagher)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 12 Oct., 1971, p. 64 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 67 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., p. 89 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 110. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8189.*

Statute Law Revision Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 9 Nov., 1971, p. 93 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 18 Nov., p. 105. *Assented to 23 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8181.*

Statutory Salaries Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 15 Sept., 1971, pp. 47–8; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Sept., p. 49 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 69 ; Council returned Bill suggesting amendment on consideration of Bill in Committee, suggested amendment made, Bill returned to Council 26 Oct., p. 85 ; Council agreement notified 28 Oct., p. 88. *Assented to 3 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8165.*

Stock Diseases (Composite Licences) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 28 Oct., 1971, p. 88 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 92 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8223.*

Summary Offences (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Sept., 1971, pp. 38–9; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 8 Sept., p. 42 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8226.*

Sunday Entertainment (Cinematograph Films) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 29 Sept. 1971, p. 52 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 30 Sept., p. 53 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 69 ; Council agreement notified, 11 Nov., p. 96 ; *Assented to 16 Nov., 1971., Act No. 8173.*

Supply (Final Supplementary Estimates) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 30 Nov., 1971, pp. 120–1 ; Council agreement notified, 29 Feb., p. 138. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8240.*

Supply (July to September) Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 13 April, 1972, pp. 168–71 ; Council agreement notified, 5 May. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8292.*

Supply (October to December) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 Sept., 1971, p. 40 ; Council agreement notified, 15 Sept., p. 47. *Assented to 21 Sept., 1971. Act No. 8151.*

Supply (Supplementary Estimates) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 4 May, 1972, pp. 198–9 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8282.*

Supply (Supplementary Estimates) (No. 2) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 31 Aug., 1971, p. 11 ; Council agreement notified, 31 Aug., p. 13. *Assented to 1 Sept., 1971. Act No. 8150.*

Supreme Court (Civil Appeals) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 March, 1972, p. 157 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 160 ; read second time, committed 18 April, p. 173 ; further considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; Bill read third time (on division) and transmitted to Council, 4 May, p. 198 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8284.*

Tattersall Consultations (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 April, 1972, p. 186 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 April, p. 186 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8285.*

Taxation Appeals Bill—(Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 21 March, 1972, p. 153 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 22 March, p. 156 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented 11 April, p. 164 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments and amended title ; Bill read third time and amendments made after third reading ; Bill transmitted to Council, 11 April, pp. 165–6 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 2 May, p. 187 ; amendments agreed to, 4 May, p. 199. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8274.*

Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty for Mr. Thompson)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 Oct., 1971, p. 87 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 March, p. 160 ; Bill lapsed.

The Constitution Act Amendment (Reduction of Voting Age) Bill—(Mr. Wilkes)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Sept., 1971, p. 38 ; Bill lapsed.

Town and Country Planning (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 19 April, 1972, p. 177 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 180 ; Bill lapsed.

Trustee Companies (National Trustees) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 21 March, 1972, p. 153 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 22 March, p. 155 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with except those relating to fees and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 12 April, p. 167 ; Council agreement notified, 19 April, p. 179. *Assented to 26 April, 1972. Act No. 8251.*

Trustee Companies (New Zealand Insurance Trustee Company Limited) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 Oct., 1971, p. 87 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 92 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with except those relating to Fees and Bill treated as Public Bill ; referred to Select Committee for examination and report, 27 April, p. 185 ; Bill lapsed.

Trustee Companies (Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 March, p. 141 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with except those relating to fees and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 15 March, p. 151 ; Council agreement notified, 28 March, p. 158. *Assented to 6 April, 1972. Act No. 8248.*

Unordered Goods and Services Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 42 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Sept., p. 46 ; Bill withdrawn, 29 Feb., p. 140.

Vegetation and Vine Diseases (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 14 Oct., 1971, p. 68 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 69 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 26 Oct., p. 83. *Assented to 27 Oct., 1971. Act No. 8163.*

Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Allowances) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 14 March, 1972, p. 149 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 March, p. 150 ; read second time, committed ; incidental message presented, Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 22 March, p. 155 ; Council agreement notified, 19 April, p. 179. *Assented to 26 April, 1972. Act No. 8253.*

Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 28 Oct., 1971, p. 88 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 92 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 133. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8221.*

Victoria Institute of Colleges (Affiliated Colleges) Bill—(Mr. Thompson)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 1 March, p. 141 ; read second time, committed, 15 March, p. 151 ; Bill withdrawn, 20 April, p. 180.

Victoria Institute of Colleges (Affiliated Colleges) Bill (No. 2)—(*Mr. Rafferty for Mr. Thompson*)—

Initiated and read first time, 26 April, 1972, p. 184 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 April, p. 186 ; read second time, committed, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 4 May, p. 198 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 200. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8283.*

Victorian Arts Centre Bill—(*Mr. Hamer*)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 29 Feb., 1972, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Feb., p. 140 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 March, p. 145 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 28 March, p. 158 ; amendment agreed to, 29 March, p. 160. *Assented to 6 April, 1972. Act No. 8249.*

Water (Amendment) Bill—(*Mr. Dunstan*)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 14 Sept., 1971, p. 45 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 Sept., p. 48 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 20–21 Oct., p. 77 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 110. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8186.*

Water Authorities Accident Insurance Bill—(*Mr. Dunstan*)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 42 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Sept., p. 46 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 13 Oct., p. 68 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Nov., p. 94 ; *Assented to 16 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8168.*

Water Supply Works and Services Bill—(*Mr. Dunstan*)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 26 Oct., 1971, p. 82 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 89 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of Bill agreed to ; read second time, after expiration of time allotted for second reading, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., p. 126 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 132. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8215.*

Western Port (Steel Works Rating) Bill—(*Mr. Wilcox*)—

Initiated and read first time, 24 Nov., 1971, p. 110 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned (on division) 25 Nov., p. 113 ; ruled a Private Bill, leave refused for suspension of Private Bill Standing Orders ; debate adjourned (on division) 29 Feb., p. 140 ; motion that Private Bill Standing Orders except those relating to the payment of fees be dispensed with and Bill be treated as Public Bill agreed to (on division) 7 March, p. 144 ; debate adjourned 7 March, p. 145 ; read second time (on division), committed (on division), and reported without amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 8 March, p. 146 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 12 April, p. 166 ; amendments Nos. 1 and 3 considered and agreed to, further consideration of amendment No. 2 postponed, 20 April, p. 182, amendment No. 2 agreed to (on division) 4 May, p. 202. *Assented to 13 May, 1972. Act No. 8290.*

Wheat Marketing Bill—(*from Council—Mr. Borthwick*)—

Initiated and read first time, 17 Nov., 1971, p. 102 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 18 Nov., p. 104 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 2 Dec., p. 132. *Assented to 14 Dec., 1971. Act No. 8213.*

Wills (Interested Witnesses) Bill—(*Mr. Hamer for Mr. Reid*)—

Initiated and read first time, 8 Sept., 1971, p. 41 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 Sept., p. 48 ; referred to Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report, 15 Sept., p. 48 ; Bill lapsed.

Workers Compensation Bill—(*Mr. Hamer*)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 March, 1972, p. 157 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 April, p. 164 ; Clerk authorized to correct clerical error in Bill, 27 April, p. 186 ; read second time, committed 2 May, p. 188 ; further considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council 3 May, p. 194 ; Council agreement notified, 4 May, p. 197. *Assented to 9 May, 1972. Act No. 8271.*

Yarragon Lands Exchange Bill—(*Mr. Borthwick*)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 26 Oct., 1971, p. 82 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 Nov., p. 93 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 23 Nov., p. 109 ; Council agreement notified, 25 Nov., p. 115. *Assented to 30 Nov., 1971. Act No. 8201.*

SESSION 1971-72.

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Under Sections 85 and 86 of The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958, No. 6224, the Legislative Assembly consists of Seventy-three Members.

FORTY-FIFTH PARLIAMENT.

SECOND SESSION.

(31ST AUGUST, 1971 TO 5TH MAY, 1972.)

Member.	District.	Number of Electors on Rolls.	Number of Electors who voted.	Votes Recorded for Each Sitting Member.		Percentage of Electors who voted.
				First Preference Votes.	Final Result after Distribution of Votes under <i>The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958.</i>	
Amos, Derek Godfrey Ian	Morwell	24,058	22,872	10,923	12,915	95·07
Balfour, The Honorable James Charles Murray ¹	Narracan	22,567	21,518	7,632	10,643	95·35
Billing, Norman Alexander William, K.St.J. ..	Heatherton	32,629	31,056	11,298	15,069	95·18
Birrell, Hayden Wilson	Geelong	23,051	21,916	9,823	12,439	95·08
Bolte, The Honorable Sir Henry Edward, G.C.M.G. ²	Hampden	17,990	17,289	7,292	8,681	96·10
Bornstein, David Leon Frank	Brunswick East ..	23,750	21,947	12,384	..	92·41
Borthwick, The Honorable William Archibald ³	Monbulk	29,096	27,389	12,582	15,079	94·13
Broad, Henry George	Swan Hill	18,726	17,936	6,960	11,437	95·78
Burgin, Cecil William	Polwarth	18,320	17,745	6,991	8,771	96·86
Christie, the Honorable Sir Vernon ⁴	Ivanhoe	26,654	25,031	10,211	13,312	93·91
Clarey, Reynold Arthur ⁵	Melbourne	24,656	22,393	12,768	..	90·82
Crellin, Maxwell Leslie	Sandringham	25,657	24,138	12,093	..	94·08
Curnow, Esmond Julian	Kara Kara	16,875	16,363	5,508	8,873	96·97
Dixon Brian James	St. Kilda	25,768	23,604	10,318	12,541	91·60
Doube, The Honorable Valentine Joseph	Albert Park	22,740	21,003	11,583	..	92·36
Doyle, Julian John ⁶	Gisborne	24,174	22,862	10,473	13,282	94·57
Dunstan, The Honorable Roberts Christian, D.S.O. ⁷	Dromana	23,027	21,612	11,520	..	93·86
Edmunds, Cyril Thomas	Moonee Ponds	25,266	24,044	12,146	..	95·16
Evans, Alexander Thomas ⁸	Ballaarat North ..	24,137	23,206	11,266	14,530	96·14
Evans, Bruce James	Gippsland East	19,368	18,289	6,570	11,579	94·43
Fell, Robert William	Greensborough	36,330	34,654	15,026	17,059	95·39
Floyd, William Laurence	Williamstown	28,171	26,702	16,322	..	94·79
Fordham, Robert Clive	Footscray	24,472	23,236	13,517	..	94·95
Ginifer, John Joseph ⁹	Deer Park	37,093	35,489	18,115	..	95·68
Goble, Mrs. Dorothy Ada	Mitcham	29,303	27,777	10,693	14,122	94·79
Guy, Athol George ¹⁰	Gisborne	27,023	23,049	8,262	12,363	85·29
Hamer, The Honorable Rupert James, E.D. ¹¹ ..	Kew	25,631	21,212	13,422	..	82·76
Hayes, Geoffrey Phillip	Scoresby	40,486	38,594	15,932	21,115	95·33
Holding, Allan Clyde ¹²	Richmond	21,339	19,602	11,629	..	91·86
Jona, Walter ¹³	Hawthorn	24,974	23,081	10,285	12,652	92·42
Kirkwood, Carl	Preston	24,293	23,000	11,958	..	94·68
Lewis, Edward Wallace	Dundas	18,433	17,828	5,884	9,211	96·72
Lewis, William John	Portland	18,641	18,033	6,807	9,371	96·74
Lind, Alan Alfred Campbell ¹⁴	Dandenong	32,802	31,418	15,627	..	95·78

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY—*continued.*

Member.	District.	Number of Electors on Rolls.	Number of Electors who voted.	Votes Recorded for Each Sitting Member.		Percentage of Electors who voted.
				First Preference Votes.	Final Result after Distribution of Votes under <i>The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958.</i>	
Lovegrove, Denis	Sunshine ..	25,557	24,227	13,976	..	94·80
Loxton, Samuel John Everett	Prahran	25,827	22,899	9,188	11,983	88·66
McCabe, James Edmund	Lowan	18,553	18,020	6,008	9,940	97·13
MacDonald, James David	Glen Iris	24,992	23,339	12,261	..	93·39
McDonald, Russell Stanley Leslie ¹⁶ ..	Rodney	19,245	18,562	8,972	9,239	96·45
McLaren, Ian Francis, O.B.E.	Bennettswood ..	27,469	26,164	11,463	14,152	95·25
Maclellan, Robert Roy Cameron	Gippsland West ..	18,666	17,812	6,066	9,161	95·42
Manson, The Honorable James Williamson ¹⁶ ..	Ringwood	31,471	29,948	13,848	16,626	95·16
Meagher, The Honorable Edward Raymond, M.B.E., E.D. ¹⁷	Frankston	36,809	34,601	16,191	20,096	94·00
Mitchell, The Honorable Thomas Walter ¹⁸ ..	Benambra	19,016	18,077	8,233	8,840	95·06
Moss, The Honorable George Colin	Murray Valley ..	19,498	18,419	6,583	11,041	94·47
Mutton, John Patrick	Coburg	23,289	22,138	5,728	12,480	95·06
Rafferty, The Honorable Joseph Anstice ¹⁹ ..	Glenhuntly	27,796	25,903	11,342	14,033	93·19
Reese, William Frederick Llewellyn	Moorabbin	27,405	26,118	11,341	14,573	95·30
Reid, The Honorable George Oswald, Q.C. ²⁰ ..	Box Hill	36,217	34,516	15,356	20,521	95·30
Ross-Edwards, Peter	Shepparton	20,041	19,274	7,676	9,412	96·17
Rossiter, The Honorable John Frederick ²¹ ..	Brighton	24,721	22,991	9,812	11,542	93·00
Scanlan, Alan Henry	Oakleigh	25,162	23,889	11,050	13,560	94·94
Shilton, Leslie Victor	Midlands	23,127	21,767	9,156	10,817	94·12
Simmonds, James Lionel	Reservoir	26,854	25,650	13,595	..	95·52
Smith, Aurel Vernon	Bellarine	24,485	23,408	10,682	12,999	95·60
Smith, The Honorable Ian Winton ²²	Warrnambool	19,091	18,462	6,650	10,652	96·71
Stephen, William Francis	Ballaarat South ..	23,073	22,085	9,530	12,094	95·72
Stokes, Russell Newton ²³	Evelyn	21,211	20,062	8,711	10,526	94·58
Suggett, Robert Harris ²⁴	Bentleigh	26,642	25,449	10,689	14,452	95·52
Tanner, Sir Edgar Stephen, C.B.E., E.D. ²⁵ ..	Caulfield	26,691	24,433	11,334	11,764	91·54
Taylor, Alexander William, E.D. ²⁶	Balwyn	27,124	25,326	13,528	..	93·37
Taylor, James Allister	Gippsland South ..	19,770	18,679	4,944	10,273	94·48
Templeton, Thomas William, J.P.	Mentone	26,925	25,302	10,207	13,631	93·97
Thompson, The Honorable Lindsay Hamilton Simpson ²⁷	Malvern	25,836	23,398	13,801	..	90·56
Trethewey, Robert Hugh	Bendigo	23,715	22,746	8,960	11,740	95·91
Trewin, Thomas Champion ²⁸	Benalla	18,504	17,737	7,981	9,399	95·85
Trezise, Neil Benjamin	Geelong North ..	25,206	23,981	13,939	..	95·14
Turnbull, Campbell	Brunswick West ..	23,067	21,901	10,737	..	94·95
Wheeler, Kenneth Henry ²⁹	Essendon	26,398	25,180	9,125	12,342	95·39
Whiting, Milton Stanley	Mildura	18,690	17,801	7,014	9,551	95·24
Wilcox, The Honorable Vernon Francis ³⁰ ..	Camberwell	24,742	22,948	12,159	..	92·75
Wilkes, Frank Noel	Northcote	24,180	22,686	13,061	..	93·82
Wilton, John Thomas	Broadmeadows ..	34,766	33,228	18,270	..	95·58
Wiltshire, Raymond John ³¹	Syndal	35,111	33,611	15,341	19,210	95·73

NOTES.*

The particulars given in the above table relate to the General Election 1970 ; the date of each Member's election being 30th May, 1970, the "day of polling".

Where a Member's name is printed in *italics* the particulars relate to an election held subsequent to the General Election 1970, and the date of such election will be found in the following notes :—

- ¹ The Hon. J. C. M. Balfour, Minister of Water Supply and Minister of Mines (without salary) from 28th April, 1964 to 8th July, 1964 ; Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey and President of the Board of Land and Works from 8th July, 1964 to 15th March, 1965 (offices abolished 15th March, 1965—See Act No. 7228) ; Minister of Soldier Settlement (without salary), and Minister for Conservation (without salary) from 8th July, 1964 to 9th May, 1967 ; Minister of Lands from 15th March, 1965 to 9th May, 1967 ; Minister for Fuel and Power and Minister of Mines (without salary) from 9th May, 1967.
- ² The Hon. Sir Henry Bolte, G.C.M.G., Premier and Treasurer from 7th June, 1955 ; Minister for Conservation (without salary) from 7th June, 1955, to 26th July, 1961 ; Minister of Water Supply (without salary) and Minister of Mines (without salary) from 22nd to 28th April, 1964 ; Minister of State Development (without salary) from 8th to 15th July, 1964.
- ³ The Hon. W. A. Borthwick, Minister of Water Supply from 9th May, 1967 to 11th June, 1970 ; Minister of Lands, Minister of Soldier Settlement (without salary) and Minister for Conservation (without salary) from 11th June, 1970.
- ⁴ The Hon. Sir Vernon Christie, Speaker from 16th May, 1967.
- ⁵ Mr. R. A. Clarey, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 14th October, 1958.
- ⁶ Mr. J. J. Doyle, resigned 4th October, 1971.
- ⁷ The Hon. R. C. Dunstan, D.S.O., Minister without Portfolio from 15th December, 1970 to 22nd December, 1970, Minister of Water Supply from 22nd December, 1970.
- ⁸ Mr. A. T. Evans, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 16th May, 1967.
- ⁹ Mr. J. J. Ginifer, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 31st August, 1971.
- ¹⁰ Mr. A. G. Guy, elected 11th December, 1971 *vice* Mr. J. J. Doyle, resigned.
- ¹¹ The Hon. R. J. Hamer, E.D., Minister of Immigration from 4th September, 1962 to 8th July, 1964 ; Minister for Local Government from 8th July, 1964 to 27th April, 1971 ; Minister of Public Works (without salary) from 9th April, 1970 to 11th June, 1970 ; Chief Secretary from 27th April, 1971.
- ¹² Mr. A. C. Holding, Leader of the Opposition from 16th May, 1967.
- ¹³ Mr. Walter Jona, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 17th June, 1970.
- ¹⁴ Mr. A. A. .C. Lind, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 17th June, 1970.
- ¹⁵ Mr. R. S. L. McDonald, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 17th June, 1970.
- ¹⁶ The Hon. J. W. Manson, Minister of the Crown from 21st September, 1965 to 1st December, 1965 ; Minister of State Development from 1st December, 1965 to 11th June, 1970 ; Minister for Tourism (without salary) from 4th January, 1970 to 11th June, 1970.
- ¹⁷ The Hon. E. R. Meagher, M.B.E., E.D., Minister of Immigration from 9th January to 5th September, 1962 ; Minister of Transport and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works (office abolished 15th March, 1965—See Act No. 7228) from 5th September, 1962 to 9th May, 1967 ; Minister of Housing and Minister of Forests (without salary) from 9th May, 1967 ; Minister for Aboriginal Affairs (without salary) from 5th December, 1967.
- ¹⁸ The Hon. T. W. Mitchell, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees, from 3rd September, 1963.
- ¹⁹ The Hon. J. A. Rafferty, Minister of Labour and Industry and Assistant Minister of Education (without salary) from 11th June, 1970.
- ²⁰ The Hon. G. O. Reid, Q.C., Minister of Labour and Industry and Minister of Electrical Undertakings (without salary) from 14th February, 1956, to 1st December, 1965 ; Minister for Fuel and Power from 1st December, 1965 to 9th May, 1967 ; Minister of Immigration (without salary) from 9th May, 1967 to 15th December, 1970 ; Attorney-General from 9th May, 1967 ; Chief Secretary (without salary) from 9th March, 1971 to 27th April, 1971.
- ²¹ The Hon. J. F. Rossiter, Minister of the Crown from 8th July, 1964 to 1st December, 1965 ; Minister of Immigration from 1st December, 1965 to 9th May, 1967 ; Minister of Labour and Industry from 9th May, 1967 to 11th June, 1970 ; Minister of Health from 11th June, 1970.
- ²² The Hon. I. W. Smith, Minister of Water Supply from 11th June, 1970 to 22nd December, 1970 ; Minister for Social Welfare from 22nd December, 1970.
- ²³ Mr. R. N. Stokes, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 1st August, 1961.
- ²⁴ Mr. R. H. Suggett, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 16th May, 1967.
- ²⁵ Sir Edgar S. Tanner, C.B.E., E.D., Chairman of Committees from 17th June, 1970.
- ²⁶ Mr. A. W. Taylor, E.D., one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 17th June, 1970.
- ²⁷ The Hon. L. H. S. Thompson, Minister without Portfolio from 16th July, 1958 to 26th July, 1961 ; Minister of Housing and Minister of Forests (without salary) from 26th July, 1961 to 9th May, 1967 ; Minister of Education from 9th May, 1967.
- ²⁸ Mr. T. C. Trewin, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 14th July, 1964.
- ²⁹ Mr. K. H. Wheeler, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 14th July, 1964.
- ³⁰ The Hon. V. F. Wilcox, Minister of Immigration from 8th July, 1964 to 1st December, 1965 ; Minister of Labour and Industry, from 1st December, 1965 to 9th May, 1967 ; Minister of Transport from 9th May, 1967.
- ³¹ Mr. R. J. Wiltshire, one of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees from 14th July, 1964.
- * The Hon. Sir Henry Bolte resigned his seat on 24th August, 1972. The Bolte Ministry also resigned on the same date and was succeeded by the Hamer Ministry. For details of changes in portfolios see Votes and Proceedings 1972-73 Volume 1.

OFFICERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

<i>Speaker</i>	..	..	..	..	THE HONORABLE SIR VERNON CHRISTIE, M.P.
<i>Chairman of Committees</i>	..	..	..	..	SIR EDGAR STEPHEN TANNER, C.B.E., E.D., M.P.
<i>Clerk of the Legislative Assembly</i>				..	JOHN HAROLD CAMPBELL, Esquire, Dip. Pub. Admin.
<i>Clerk-Assistant</i>	..	..	..	..	IAN NEIL MCCARRON, Esquire.
<i>Second Clerk-Assistant and Clerk of Committees</i>	..	..	..	..	RAYMOND KEITH BOYES, Esquire.
<i>Serjeant-at-Arms</i>	..	..	..	..	JOHN GREGORY LITTLE, Esquire.

VICTORIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 31ST AUGUST, 1971.

1. The Legislative Assembly met pursuant to Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor bearing date the seventeenth day of August, 1971.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.

The Proclamation was read by the Clerk, and is as follows :—

PROROGUING PARLIAMENT AND FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE SECOND SESSION
OF THE FORTY-FIFTH 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 thirty-first day of August, 1971, and I do hereby fix Tuesday, the thirty-first day of August, 1971, 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 Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, the seventeenth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one, and in the twentieth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. J. HAMER,
Acting Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The following Message was delivered by the Usher of the Black Rod :—

MR. SPEAKER :

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

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

3. DEATHS OF THE HONORABLE THOMAS TUKE HOLLWAY AND THE HONORABLE KEITH DODGSHUN.—
Motion made and question—

(1) That this House expresses its sincere sorrow at the death of the Honorable Thomas Tuke Hollway, and places on record its acknowledgment of the valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria as Member of the Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Ballarat from 1932 to 1952 and for the Electoral District of Glen Iris from 1952 to 1955 ; Premier and Treasurer from 1947 to 1950 and in 1952 ; Minister of Public Instruction and Minister of Labour from 1943 to 1945 ; Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, Minister of Water Supply, and Minister of Soldier Settlement in 1948 ; Minister of Transport, Minister in Charge of Electrical Undertakings in 1949 ; and Attorney-General in 1952.

(2) That this House expresses its sincere sorrow at the death of the Honorable Keith Dodgshun, and places on record its acknowledgment of the valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria as Member of the Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Ouyen from 1938 to 1945 and for the Electoral District of Rainbow from 1945 to 1955 ; Chief Secretary from 1947 to 1948 and from 1950 to 1952 ; Minister in Charge of Electrical Undertakings and Minister of Immigration from 1950 to 1952.

—(*Sir Henry Bolte*)

put, after Mr. Speaker and other Honorable Members had addressed the House in support of the motion, and, Honorable Members rising in their places to signify their assent, agreed to unanimously.

4. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Honorable Thomas Tuke Hollway and the late Honorable Keith Dodgshun, the House do now adjourn until a quarter to Eight o'clock this day (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

And then the House, at fifty-four minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until a quarter to Eight o'clock this day.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 31ST AUGUST, 1971.

(QUARTER TO EIGHT O'CLOCK.)

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair.
2. TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.—The following Warrant, nominating the Temporary Chairmen of Committees, was laid upon the Table by Mr. Speaker :—

VICTORIA.

Legislative Assembly.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Standing Order of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Victoria numbered 4A, I do hereby nominate, Reynold Arthur Clarey, Esquire, Alexander Thomas Evans, Esquire, John Joseph Ginifer, Esquire, Walter Jona, Esquire, Alan Alfred Campbell Lind, Esquire, Russell Stanley Leslie McDonald, Esquire, The Honorable Thomas Walter Mitchell, Russell Newton Stokes, Esquire, Robert Harris Suggett, Esquire, Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D., Thomas Champion Trewin, Esquire, Kenneth Henry Wheeler, Esquire, Raymond John Wiltshire, Esquire, to act as Temporary Chairmen of Committees whenever requested so to do by the Chairman of Committees.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

3. PETITION—SALE OF ALCOHOLIC DRINKS.—Mr. Hayes presented a Petition from certain electors of the State of Victoria praying that legislation be enacted to require the sale of drinks with an alcoholic content to be made only from licensed premises.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

4. PAPERS.—Mr. Hamer presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Police Force—Allegations of corruption in connexion with illegal abortion practices—Report of the Board of Inquiry.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

Mr. Reid presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Supreme Court—Report of the Judges for the year 1970.

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 :—

Aerial Spraying Control Act 1966—Aerial Spraying Control (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 94).

Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—Agricultural Colleges (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 141).

Audit Act 1958—Public Accounts and Stores (Calculation of Salaries Railways) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 148).

Births, still-births, deaths and marriages—General Abstract showing the numbers registered during the year 1970.

Chiropodists Act 1968—Chiropodists (Registration) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 174).

Clean Air Act 1958—Clean Air (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 82).

Dried Fruits Act 1958—Victorian Dried Fruits Board (Allowances) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 144).

Education Act 1958—

Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1971, No. 5 (S.R. No. 162).

Resumption of land at Clayton, Eaglehawk, Kensington, Laverton (three papers), and Preston—Certificates of the Minister of Education (seven papers).

Education Act 1958—Teaching Service Act 1958—Education Department (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (Amendment No. 23) (S.R. No. 107).

Exhibition Trustees—Report for the year 1970–71.

Explosives Act 1960—

Explosives (Marking of Detonators) Order 1971 (S.R. No. 87).

Order in Council—Classification of Explosives (S.R. No. 160).

Report of the Chief Inspector of Explosives for the year 1970.

Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents Act 1965—Farm Produce Disputes Committee (Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 143).

Firearms Act 1958—

Firearms (Exemption No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 114).

Firearms (Exemption No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 115).

Forests Act 1958—Forests (Mt. Donna Buang, Cement Creek Turntable and part Mt. Victoria Scenic Reserves) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 161).

Game Act 1958—

Proclamation amending the Third Schedule to the Act (S.R. No. 153).

Proclamation proclaiming sanctuary for native game at Mansfield (S.R. No. 98).

Proclamation revoking proclamation respecting sanctuary for native game at Mansfield (S.R. No. 99).

Geelong Harbor Trust Commissioners—Statement of accounts for the year 1970.

Health Act 1958—

Animal Food (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 165).

Cleanliness (Foods, Drugs and Substances) Amendment Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 163).

Food Premises (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 129).

Labelling of Hazardous Household Substances Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 151).

Night-Soil and Sewage (Contamination of Land) Amendment Regulations 1971 No. 2 (S.R. No. 96).

Offensive Trades (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 167).

Poisonous Substances (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 170).

Road Trauma Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 92).

- Hospitals and Charities Act 1958—Hospitals and Charities (Public Bed Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 166).
- Hospitals Superannuation Act 1965—Hospitals Superannuation (Board) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 171).
- Housing Act 1958—
 Housing (Rents and Rebates) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 84).
 Housing (Standard of Habitation) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 120).
- Land Conservation Council—Proposed investigations submitted to the Minister of Lands with respect to the balanced use of public lands (two papers).
- Land Surveyors Act 1958—Land Surveyors (Title Surveys) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 168).
- Litter Act 1964—Litter Infringement Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 123).
- Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958—Local Authorities Superannuation Regulations 1971 (No. 10) (S.R. No. 116).
- Local Government Act 1958—
 Private Street Construction (Notices) Amendment Regulations No. 4, 1971 (S.R. No. 164).
 Uniform Building (Amendment) Regulations 1971 No. 2 (S.R. No. 104).
- Marine Act 1958—
 Port Rule 132—Rule amended (S.R. No. 108).
 Port Rule (Management of Slipways) 1971 (S.R. No. 83).
- Marketable Securities Act 1970—Marketable Securities Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 147).
- Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—
 Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 137).
 Marketing of Primary Products (Polls and Elections) (Producers of Tobacco Leaf) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 126).
 Proclamation declaring that Eggs shall become the property of the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board.
- Medical Practitioners Act 1970—Medical Practitioners Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 152).
- Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—
 Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works By-Law 105 (S.R. No. 118).
 Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works By-Law 106 (S.R. No. 131).
 Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Special By-Law No. 4. (S.R. No. 132).
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—
 Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendments Various No. 3/71) (S.R. No. 85).
 Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations 1957 (Amendment No. 1/71) (S.R. No. 157).
- Mental Health Act 1959—
 Mental Health (Meal Reimbursement) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 130).
 Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 4) (S.R. No. 95).
 Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 5) (S.R. No. 112).
 Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 6) (S.R. No. 156).
 Mental Health (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 172).
- Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board Superannuation (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 117).
- Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958—
 First Mildura Irrigation Trust (Commissioners' Fees and Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 106).
 Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts (Election of Commissioners) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 136).
- Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—
 Dairy Produce Board (Remuneration and Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 142).
 Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 154).
- Milk Board Act 1958—Milk Board (Milk Shops—Specified Containers) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 122).
- Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—Milk Pasteurization Committee (Remuneration and Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 139).

Motor Car Act 1958—

- Motor Car (Blood and Breath Samples) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 169).
- Motor Car (Commercial Vehicles) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 90).
- Motor Car (Rear Vision Mirrors) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 91).
- Motor Car (Safety Belts) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 124).

Nurses Act 1958—Nurses (Training) Regulations (S.R. No. 119).

Poisons Act 1962—Special Poisons (Ovulatory Stimulant) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 110).

Police Regulation Act 1958—

- Determination No. 177 of the Police Service Board.
- Police (Authorised Strength No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 150).

Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958—Portland Harbor Trust Commissioners (Amendment No. 19) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 158).

Poultry Processing Act 1968—Poultry Processing Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 133).

Public Service Act 1958—

- Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 81).
- Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 109).
- Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 725–756 inclusive (thirty-two papers).
- Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations.
- Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 1–57 inclusive (fifty-seven papers).

Public Trustee Act 1958—Public Trustee (Voluntary Patients) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 97).

Public Works Committee Act 1958—Public Works Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 127).

Railways Act 1958—

- By-Laws Nos. 375 and 384—By-Laws amended (S.R. No. 173).
- Regulation No. 66—Regulation amended (S.R. No. 93).
- Report of the Railway Commissioners for the quarters ended 31st March, 1971 and 30th June, 1971 (two papers).

River Murray Commission—Report for the year 1969–70.

Road Traffic Act 1958—

- Road Traffic (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 111).
- Road Traffic (“L” Plates) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 88).
- Road Traffic (Signals) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 89).

Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Act 1961—Soldier Settlement (Section 106 Mortgages) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 121).

Sale of Land Act 1962—Sale of Land Regulations 1971 (Arbitrator’s Salary and Travelling Expenses) (S.R. No. 146).

Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 5) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 105).

Securities Industry Act 1970—

- Securities Industry (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 102).
- Securities Industry (Exemption) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 125).

Stamps Act 1958—

- Stamps (Exemptions) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 135).
- Stamps (Further Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 134).

State Development Committee Act 1958—State Development Committee (Allowances) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 128).

State Development Committee—Progress Report on the disposal and/or destruction of garbage and other rubbish.—Ordered to be printed.

State Electricity Commission Act 1958—Electrical Approvals Regulations—Proceedings of Electrical Approvals Board (Amendment) 1971 (S.R. No. 159).

State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—

- Report and statement of accounts of the Building Trustees of the Library Council, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science of Victoria for the year 1969–70.
- Report and statement of accounts of the Trustees of the Institute of Applied Science for the year 1969–70.
- Report and statement of accounts of the Trustees of the National Museum for the year 1969–70.

- State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Provident Fund Amendment) General Orders 1971 (S.R. No. 86).
- Stock Medicines Act 1958—Stock Medicines Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 140).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—
 Supreme Court (Issue of Writs) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 100).
 Supreme Court (Removal of Actions) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 149).
 Supreme Court (Service of Writs) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 103).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—Companies Act 1961—Supreme Court (Companies) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 101).
- Teaching Service Act 1958—
 Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations—Amendment Nos. 198, 200, 201, 203, 206, 208 (six papers).
 Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 155).
 Teaching Service (Teachers' Tribunal) Regulations—Amendment Nos. 199, 202, 204, 205, 207, 209 (six papers).
- Teaching Service—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Board of Inquiry appointed to inquire into the teaching service.
- Third Party Insurance—Tenth Annual Report of the Premiums Committee.
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 Borough of Kyabram Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 6, 1970.
 City of Bendigo Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment No. 9, 1971.
 City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 79, 1970.
 Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 20, 1970 (Shire of South Barwon).
 Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Amendment Nos. 7 and 25 (two papers).
 Morwell Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 33, 1970.
 Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955, Amendment No. 10, 1967 (Shire of Barrabool).
 Shire of Bulla Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 22, 1971.
 Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment Nos. 30, 1969, 38, 41, 42, 1970, and 48, 1971 (five papers).
 Shire of Werribee Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 3, 1969.
 Shire of Yackandandah Planning Scheme 1965, Townships of Kiewa and Tangambalanga.
 Shire of Yackandandah Planning Scheme 1965, Township of Yackandandah.
- Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—
 Victorian Inland Meat Authority Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 138).
 Report of the Authority for the year 1969–70.
- Victorian Pipelines Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
- Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 7) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 113).
- West Gate Bridge—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Royal Commission appointed to enquire into the failure of the bridge known as West Gate Bridge.
- West Gate Bridge Royal Commission Act 1970—Report of the Royal Commission into the failure of West Gate Bridge.—Ordered to be printed.
- Wheat Marketing Act 1969—Wheat Marketing (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 145).
5. POLICE FORCE—ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF THE BOARD OF INQUIRY.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Report of the Board of Inquiry into Allegations of Corruption in the Police Force in connexion with Illegal Abortion Practices in the State of Victoria, be taken into consideration to-morrow (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
 6. WEST GATE BRIDGE FAILURE—REPORT OF THE ROYAL COMMISSION.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Report of the Royal Commission into the Failure of the West Gate Bridge, be taken into consideration to-morrow (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
 7. LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That leave of absence for one month, on account of absence overseas, be granted Sir Edgar Stephen Tanner, C.B.E., E.D., the Honorable Member for Caulfield (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

8. **TEMPORARY RELIEF TO MR. SPEAKER AND MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.**—Motion made and question—That during any absence of Mr. Deputy Speaker, Mr. Speaker be authorized to call upon any of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees to temporarily relieve him in the Chair and that during any absence of Mr. Speaker, Mr. Deputy Speaker be similarly authorized to call upon any of the Temporary Chairmen (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
9. **PRIVILEGE BILL—GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Mr. Dunstan obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Parts III. and V. of the ‘ Groundwater Act 1969 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
10. **HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR’S SPEECH.**—Mr. Speaker reported that the House had, that day, attended His Excellency the Governor in the Legislative Council Chamber, when His Excellency was pleased to make a Speech to both Houses of Parliament, which is as follows :—

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

You have been called together today for the Second Session of the Forty-fifth Parliament of the State of Victoria. During the course of this Session measures of importance to the State and for the well-being of its people will be submitted to you.

While Parliament has been in recess much has been done by the Government to implement measures enacted within this context by the previous Session of the Parliament, and I shall briefly review aspects of this work.

Possibly the most significant is that aimed at the preservation of our environment and natural resources. The Environment Protection Authority and the Environment Protection Council have been appointed and have commenced the initial tasks relating to the regulation of the discharge of wastes into the environment and the prevention and control of pollution. Greater public appreciation and understanding in recent times of the vital importance of this work of protecting and improving the quality of the environment will, it is hoped, ensure acceptance of the high standards and strict controls which must necessarily flow from the deliberations of these new authorities.

A positive and active campaign has been waged by the Ports and Harbors Division and the respective Harbor Trusts to combat oil pollution in Victorian ports and coastal waters. This will be reinforced by new legislation in the coming year.

The Land Conservation Council has begun its task of studying the use of all public lands with a view to making recommendations as to the balanced future use of these resources. This is in accordance with the stated intention of the Government to set aside and permanently reserve at least five per cent of the area of the State for national parks, wild life reserves and forest parks. Following the amendment of the Town and Country Planning Act, Statements of Planning Policy have been approved in respect of the conservation of the Mornington Peninsula, the protection of the Dandenong Ranges and the protection of the beautiful Yarra Valley. These Statements of Policy provide a broad basis for overall resources and developmental planning by all public and private interests.

Any discussion of resources must have regard to the human element.

The new Ministry of Social Welfare, which became operative in January, is preparing a programme of future development in its various fields of activity. Regionalization of the full range of its services and the co-ordination of these with other departmental, municipal and voluntary services are prominent features in the planning. Geelong and Preston have been selected as the first areas to be developed as regional centres.

The Ministry will in future administer the school attendance provisions of the Education Act, certain parts of the Adoption of Children Act, and that section of the Mental Health Act relating to security prisoners.

The provision of housing for those in the lower income groups, for pensioners and elderly people, as well as the re-development of slum areas is still a major activity. By the end of June last the Housing Commission had completed nearly 70,000 dwellings, of which 31,707 had been sold.

Following the gazettal of the Urban Renewal Legislation, preparation of urban renewal proposals will be undertaken during the coming year.

General hospital facilities are being steadily developed to match the needs of a growing population and special attention is being given to the provision of facilities for the care of old people, particularly the frail and infirm.

The general programme to rebuild the Alfred Hospital, a major medical teaching institution, is continuing, with the main ward block now under construction. When completed, the hospital will provide some 800 beds in all.

A most interesting and important new project is the Community Health Centre being developed at Queenscliff. This will provide day-care treatment for geriatric cases and also facilities for doctors. It will have a close link with the Geelong Hospital and will be the first of its type to be established in Australia.

Demands on the State education system have risen again this year. There are 12,000 more pupils in the schools than there were in 1970. This in turn creates a need for more teachers and more classrooms.

Additional accommodation is being provided at several Teachers' Colleges so that more young people can be trained as teachers. Secondary teachers qualified in particular subjects are being recruited in the United Kingdom and North America.

Growing demand for tertiary education has made it necessary to provide for the expansion of the universities and the colleges of advanced education.

The state of the rural economy poses major challenges. Not only are members of the farming community experiencing difficulties with low prices for their produce but reduced farm incomes are also making a sharp impact on trade and commerce in country centres. A Rural Reconstruction Scheme and a Marginal Dairy Farms Reconstruction Scheme have been embarked upon, but these measures alleviate rather than overcome what are very major problems. It is therefore essential that effort be made at all levels to see that primary industry once again prospers, not only for the individual but also for the nation.

My advisers have informed me that forestry activities are making a significant contribution to the economy of rural communities. Following the successful establishment at Ballarat last year of a new industry which is a major user of pulp-wood, the Government will make available from State plantations sufficient volumes of timber produce for processing at a large pulp mill being established in the Ovens Valley.

The Government's Farm Forestry Loan Scheme in respect of softwood plantations is attracting increasing attention from land-holders and funds will be provided for its expansion.

The past year was a most satisfactory one for rural water supplies. Not only were irrigation deliveries an all-time record but the irrigation storages finished the year in a sound position and supplies of water for the coming season are assured.

The King River Dam was advanced to the stage where storage of water was possible. A record was achieved when the reservoir filled and overflowed in less than three weeks.

The Lake Mokoan project near Benalla is virtually complete and a considerable volume of water is already in storage.

In the urban field, a start has been made on the Rosslynne Reservoir near Sunbury. Duplication of the important Otway Pipeline is in progress. Both construction and forward planning for the water supply to the important Western Port industrial complex are well advanced.

Under the comprehensive legislative scheme established by the Groundwater Act of 1969, the Mines Department's programme of investigation, evaluation and measurement of the groundwater resources of the State has been expanded and given new impetus. The Department is continuing to test and monitor observation bores in the Koo-Wee-Rup area so that it can identify where problems of over-development and sea water intrusion occur. This was the first area to be declared a Groundwater Conservation Area under the Act.

Industry and State Instrumentalities are increasingly seeking Mines Department geologists to help with engineering geological investigations. Geologists are also intensifying their search for new reserves of sand, gravel, stone and clay. The annual Victorian production of these materials is currently valued at \$40,000,000.

The Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works is engaged on works of major expansion both to its water supply and sewerage systems in order to cater adequately for the needs of the rapidly growing population of the metropolis.

Notable examples of this expansion are the Greenvale Reservoir which commenced filling last month, and the Cardinia Reservoir in the southern foothills of the Dandenong Ranges. This reservoir will have a capacity of 60,000 million gallons, making it the biggest storage in the Board's system.

Work is proceeding on all components of the south-eastern sewerage system with a view to bringing it into operation in 1973 as programmed.

Both the Board of Works and the Country Roads Board are actively pursuing the Government's policy of providing freeways to serve the needs of motor transport.

The Country Roads Board has arranged for works to be carried out during the coming year on the Western, Calder, Frankston, Mulgrave and Eumemmerring, Mornington Peninsula and Hume Freeways, in addition to the extension of dual carriageways on State highways radiating from Melbourne.

The development of public transport is receiving high priority in the overall transportation plan. Work on the Underground Rail Loop has begun. This Loop is a key project in improving Melbourne's public transport system. Other improvements in the rail network will include the construction of the new line to Doncaster along the median of the Eastern Freeway. New express tracks and new suburban trains will substantially add to the quality and the capacity of the public transport network.

Negotiations have taken place for the re-development of the Flinders Street Station area. Agreement has now been reached and legislation seeking to ratify this agreement will be brought before the Parliament this Session.

The Board charged with the task of inquiring into and making recommendations concerning existing land transport in Victoria, is expected to report later this year.

The two gas fields developed in Bass Strait are now in full production and over ninety per cent. of the appliances of all consumers in Victoria using gas have been converted to natural gas. Stabilized crude oil is being transported to refineries from Long Island Point at an average rate of about 280,000 barrels a day and provides nearly sixty per cent. of Australia's present total refinery requirements.

In pursuance of one of the most important objectives of the Gas and Fuel Corporation Act of 1958,—to unify the gas industry—the Corporation late last year purchased the remaining assets of The Gas Supply Company Ltd. in Victoria. These included the gas undertakings at Ballarat, Ararat, Stawell, Warracknabeal, Hamilton, Portland, Warrnambool, Colac, Bacchus Marsh and Wodonga.

As a further step in this programme, the Corporation recently purchased The Geelong Gas Company. Conversion of consumers' appliances at Geelong to use natural gas was completed this month.

The Corporation will lay a system of pipelines to supply natural gas to Ballarat and Bendigo by the winter of 1973 at a cost of approximately \$6,500,000. As tariffs for the gas will be comparable with those in Melbourne this will give aid to local industry and provide a strong inducement for the development of new industry in these country areas.

Hazelwood power station is now virtually completed to its design capacity. In the past financial year it generated more than half of the electricity requirements of the State system. The first generating unit of Yallourn West Power Station is expected to come into operation to meet the winter load of 1972.

As Honorable Members are aware, a most comprehensive and detailed report on the Victoria Police Force by Colonel Sir Eric St. Johnston was tabled during the last Session. The Government has already indicated that it has accepted the recommendations in principle and many have already been implemented or are in the course of being implemented.

Action has already been taken to appoint two assistant commissioners and the Police Regulation Act was amended during the last Session. This will be further amended to provide for a new rank structure for the Force.

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

The Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the current financial year will be laid before you, as also will a Supply Bill to make further provision for the services of the year 1971-72.

Final Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the year 1970-71 will also be submitted to you.

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

During this Session of Parliament legislation will be introduced to provide for daylight saving in this State on an experimental basis as from the end of October.

It is also proposed to introduce legislation to establish a Lands Tribunal, similar to the Lands Tribunal of the United Kingdom. The legislation will confer upon the Tribunal jurisdiction in a variety of matters affecting land.

Legislation to give effect to a recommendation by the Chief Justice's Law Reform Committee will be introduced to provide for the admissibility of statements produced by computers, and to extend the admissibility of documentary evidence.

The Health Act will be amended to provide increased penalties for breaches of the Act and Regulations. Separate legislation will be introduced for the regulation of the practices of Pharmacy and Dentistry. It is intended that each profession be regulated by its own separate Act instead of being part of the Medical Act.

Other health measures will include changes to the Mental Health Act, the Chiropodists Act and the Poisons Act.

Legislation will be introduced to authorize a new power station project at Newport. The boilers of this station will burn natural gas from Victoria's off-shore gas fields. Construction is expected to start next year and the first generating set to be in service in 1976.

Quite a comprehensive programme of other legislation is being planned, and subjects under consideration include :

- the protection of aboriginal sites and relics ;
- the conduct of private hospitals and nursing homes ;
- the constitution of Magistrates Courts and the appointment and registration of Justices of the Peace ;
- the better control of firearms ;
- the protection of the public against unethical motor traders ; and
- necessary Budget bills.

It is with regret that I refer to the death of a former Premier of Victoria, the Honorable T. T. Hollway, and of two former Ministers of the Crown in the Honorable Sir Wilfrid Kent Hughes and the Honorable Keith Dodgshun. Each of these gentlemen rendered distinguished service in the Parliament of this State.

In addressing you today I have reviewed some of the important activities of the Government in promoting the economic and social welfare of the people of the State. This I believe has shown the concern of my Ministers, and those in authority under them in improving the quality of life enjoyed by all our citizens. Their task and that of the Parliament is a complex and demanding one, and it is well that we should, in commencing this new Session of Parliament, ponder upon the responsibilities of the Parliament, of the Government, and indeed of our people, in maintaining our democratic system.

Although the right to express opinions and to protest is one which is inherent in any democratic society, it must be reconciled with the right of other citizens to freedom of movement and to protection from obstruction and violence in the pursuit of their activities at such times. The role of the Victoria Police is to maintain order and prevent violence, and in this difficult task they need and deserve the support and understanding of the whole community.

All the efforts of the Government and people to improve conditions in this State will be of no avail if the people cannot be secure in their life and property.

I now leave you to the discharge of your important duties and pray that your labours may contribute to the welfare and happiness of all sections of the community.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

31st August, 1971.

11. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.—Motion made and question proposed—That the following Address in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House :—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY :

We, the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, in Parliament assembled, beg to express our loyalty to our Most Gracious Sovereign, and to thank Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which you have been pleased to address to Parliament (*Mr. Crellin*)—and, after debate—

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.

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

12. PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Doube, Mr. Lind, Mr. McDonald (*Rodney*), Mr. McLaren, Mr. Reese, Mr. Trezise and Mr. Wheeler be members of the Public Accounts Committee and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records, to move from place to place, and to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; three to be the quorum (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
13. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Doyle, Mr. Edmunds, Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Mr. Lovegrove, Mr. Smith (*Bellarine*), and Mr. Whiting be members of the Statute Law Revision Committee ; and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
14. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Birrell, Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) and Mr. Turnbull be members of the Subordinate Legislation Committee ; and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
15. HOUSE COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Bornstein, Mr. Doube, Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*), Mr. McLaren, and Mr. Mitchell be members of the House Committee ; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
16. LIBRARY COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Doyle, Mr. Edmunds, Mrs. Goble, and Mr. Mitchell be members of the Library Committee ; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
17. PRINTING COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Broad, Mr. Curnow, Mr. Lewis (*Portland*), Mr. MacDonald (*Glen Iris*), Mr. Stephen, Mr. Stokes, and Mr. Whiting be members of the Printing Committee ; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; three to be the quorum (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
18. STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Holding, Mr. Manson, Mr. Ross-Edwards, Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*), Mr. Whiting, and Mr. Wilkes be members of the Standing Orders Committee ; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; five to be the quorum (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
19. COMMITTEES OF SUPPLY AND WAYS AND MEANS—SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Standing Order No. 273A be suspended so as to allow the Committees of Supply and Ways and Means to be appointed this day (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
20. SUPPLY.—Motion made and question—That this House will, this day, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
21. WAYS AND MEANS.—Motion made and question—That this House will, this day, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

28. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 2.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill with respect to the holding and Constitution of Magistrates' Courts the Appointment Powers Duties and Protection of Stipendiary Magistrates Justices and Clerks of Magistrates' Courts and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1971.

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

29. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 2.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Mitchell reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill with respect to the holding and Constitution of Magistrates' Courts the Appointment Powers Duties and Protection of Stipendiary Magistrates Justices and Clerks of Magistrates' Courts and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

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

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

30. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 3.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to amend the rate of compensation of jurors and the fees for civil juries under the *Juries Act 1967*.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1971.

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

31. JURIES COMPENSATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 3.

House resolved into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Clarey reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the Rate of Compensation of Jurors and the Fees for Civil Juries under the 'Juries Act 1967'*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

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

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

32. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—LANDS TRIBUNAL BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 4.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to provide for the Constitution of a Lands Tribunal and to define the Jurisdiction Powers and Procedure of the Tribunal and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1971.

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

33. LANDS TRIBUNAL BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 4.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Clarey reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide for the Constitution of a Lands Tribunal and to define the Jurisdiction Powers and Procedure of the Tribunal and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

34. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

35. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

36. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 14th September next.

37. LANDS TRIBUNAL BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 14th September next.

38. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Supply (Supplementary Estimates) (No. 2) Bill without amendment.

39. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at Three o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

40. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—

Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

41. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Laverton—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Milk Board Act 1958—Statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.
 - Mines Department—Report for the year 1970.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 58–62 inclusive (five papers).
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 5)—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Supply (Supplementary Estimates) (No. 2) Bill.
4. EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section Fourteen of the ‘ Exhibition Act 1957 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
5. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to authorize the Grant of Leases in respect of certain Land at Moonee Ponds in the City of Essendon and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—ESTIMATES FOR 1971–72.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

1971.

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, 1971–72.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 6.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the year 1971–72 in lieu of the Estimates of Expenditure for the first three months of the year 1971–72, transmitted on the 2nd March, 1971, and recommends an appropriation accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1971.

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

7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 7.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Final Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the year 1970–71, and recommends an appropriation accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1971.

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

8. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL.—Mr. Balfour obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Scheme for the Extension of the State Electricity Generating System by the Establishment of a Power Station at Newport* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. FILMS BILL.—Mr. Hamer obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Films and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to authorize certain Pre-Post Betting on the Melbourne Cup, to amend the ‘ Lotteries Gaming and Betting Act 1966 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
11. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL.—Mr. Hamer obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to promote the greater Use of Daylight in certain Months of the Year and to provide for Matters incidental thereto* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
12. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Apprenticeship Act 1958 ’ and to repeal certain Provisions of the ‘ Employers and Employés Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
13. SUPPLY—BUDGET.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
14. SUPPLY—OCTOBER TO DECEMBER, 1971.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
15. SUPPLY—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
16. WAYS AND MEANS—PUBLIC AUTHORITIES CONTRIBUTIONS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
- Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—
- Resolved*—That under and subject to the *Public Authorities (Contributions) Act 1966* as proposed to be amended by the *Public Authorities (Contributions) (Amendment) Bill* there shall be paid in each financial year to and for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors by each public authority a contribution of an amount equal to four per centum of the total revenue of that authority in the last preceding financial year.
- In this resolution “ Public Authority ” means—
- (a) The Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria : and
- (b) The State Electricity Commission of Victoria.
- Ordered—That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
- The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That Sir Henry Bolte and Mr. Hamer do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
17. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Public Authorities (Contributions) Act 1966 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed, and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
- Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
18. WAYS AND MEANS—ACCOMMODATION TAX.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
- Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—
- Resolved*—That under and subject to the Accommodation Tax Bill proposed to be enacted there shall be charged levied and collected for the use of Her Majesty Her heirs and successors a tax at the rate of ten per cent. upon the taxable receipts of a person who carries on or advertises or in any way holds himself out as carrying on the business of providing accommodation in Victoria.
- In this resolution—
- “ Accommodation ” means casual lodging, with or without board or other services, provided for guests in a hotel, motel, hostel, guest house, boarding house, lodging house, apartment house, club or similar establishment but does not include—
- (a) casual lodging in an establishment in which casual lodging is not provided for more than four adult guests ;
- (b) casual lodging provided at a rate lower than a prescribed rate not exceeding \$4 in respect of the occupation of the lodging overnight by one guest ; or

- (c) casual lodging provided by a person prescribed under the regulations as a person exempt from the Bill in respect of the provision by him of casual lodging in connexion with a religious charitable or philanthropic object ;

“ Taxable receipts ” means the total of the amounts received for or in respect of the provision of accommodation after deducting from each amount—

- (a) amounts in respect of goods or services provided in addition to the provision of the accommodation in accordance with a specific request and in respect of which a separate charge was made ; and
- (b) where the amount entitled a person to be provided with a meal, such amount in respect of the meal as is prescribed or as the Comptroller directs in a particular case.

Where a person fails to make a return as prescribed by the Bill he shall subject to and in accordance with the Bill be liable to pay by way of additional tax double the amount of tax that was not paid because the return was not made as prescribed or the amount of \$2 whichever is the greater.

Where tax is not paid within the time prescribed by the Bill additional tax shall be payable under and subject to the Bill at the rate of ten per cent. per annum upon the amount of tax unpaid.

This resolution does not apply to or with respect to—

- (a) the provision of accommodation in an educational institution in connexion with a course of study provided by the institution or by another educational institution with which the first-mentioned institution is affiliated or associated ;
- (b) the provision of accommodation that is incidental to the provision of—
- (i) medical surgical or dental services ;
 - (ii) geriatric services ; or
 - (iii) psychiatric treatment ;
- (c) the provision of accommodation for a person in an establishment in pursuance of an agreement whether or not in writing for a continuous period exceeding one month ; or
- (d) the provision of accommodation for a person in connexion with the practice of the profession or calling of that person being accommodation provided in an establishment under the control of a person with whom the first-mentioned person has a contract of service or employment.

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

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

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

19. ACCOMMODATION TAX BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Imposition of a Tax on and in relation to the Business of providing Casual Accommodation and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

20. WAYS AND MEANS—PAY-ROLL TAX.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the Pay-roll Tax Bill proposed to be enacted there shall be charged, levied and collected for the use of Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, subject as hereinafter provided in this Resolution, a tax at the rate of 3½ per centum on the taxable wages that are paid or payable by an employer.

1. (1) For the purposes of this Resolution taxable wages are, subject to section 4 of this Resolution, wages that are paid or payable by an employer after the month of August, 1971 (whether in respect of services performed or rendered before, during or after that month), and—

- (a) are wages that are paid or payable in Victoria (not being wages so paid or payable in respect of services performed or rendered wholly in one other State) ;
- (b) are wages that are paid or payable elsewhere than in Victoria in respect of services performed or rendered wholly in Victoria ; or
- (c) are wages that are paid or payable elsewhere than in Australia in respect of services performed or rendered mainly in Victoria—

except wages that—

- (d) are paid after the month of August, 1971 but were payable during or before that month ; and
- (e) have been included in a return made under the Commonwealth Act.

(2) For the purposes of paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) of this section wages that are payable to a person by his employer, but have not been paid (not being wages that under the terms of employment are payable in Victoria or in another State) shall be deemed—

- (a) where those wages are payable in respect of services performed or rendered wholly in Victoria—to be wages payable to that person in Victoria ;
- (b) where those wages are not payable in respect of services performed or rendered wholly in Victoria or wholly in one other State and where the wages last paid or payable to that person by that employer were included or are required to be included in a return under the Bill—to be wages payable to that person in Victoria ; and
- (c) where those wages are not deemed by paragraph (a) or (b) of this sub-section or by any provision in a corresponding law of a State that corresponds to either of those paragraphs to be wages payable to that person in Victoria or in another State—to be wages payable to that person by that employer at the place where that person last performed or rendered any services for that employer before those wages became payable.

(3) For the purposes of this section, where a cheque, bill of exchange, promissory note, money order or postal order issued by a post office or any other instrument is sent or given by an employer to a person or his agent at a place in Australia in payment of wages, those wages shall be deemed to have been paid at that place and to have been paid when the instrument was so sent or given.

2. Pay-roll tax shall be paid by the employer by whom the taxable wages are paid or payable.

3. (1) For the purpose of ascertaining the pay-roll tax payable by an employer, there shall, subject to this section, be deducted from the amount of the taxable wages included in a return or assessment under the Bill—

- (a) where the return or assessment relates to one month—the prescribed amount referred to in sub-section (3) ; or
- (b) where the return or assessment relates to a period of more than one month—for each month included in that period, the prescribed amount referred to in sub-section (3).

(2) For the purpose of ascertaining the pay-roll tax payable by an employer who was an employer during part only of a month, the amount to be deducted for that month from the amount of the taxable wages included in a return or assessment relating to that month or a period that includes that month shall be the amount which bears to the prescribed amount referred to in sub-section (3) applicable to the employer the same proportion as the number of days in that month during which the employer was an employer bears to the total number of days in that month.

(3) For the purposes of sub-section (1) and (2), the prescribed amount is—

- (a) where the employer is not entitled under this section to claim another amount—the amount of \$1,733.33 ; or
- (b) where the employer is so entitled—that other amount.

(4) Where an employer is or was required under a corresponding law of a State include any wages in a return made under that law relating to a month or relating to any other period and he is or was also required to include any taxable wages in a return under the Bill relating to that month or any month included in that period, a deduction shall not be made under this section from those taxable wages unless he has notified the Commissioner in the prescribed manner of an amount calculated in the prescribed manner not exceeding \$1,733.33 which he claims to be entitled to deduct for that month or for each month included in that period and for subsequent months or for each month included in subsequent periods, as the case may require.

(5) Where an employer has lodged with the Commissioner a notification in accordance with sub-section (4), he is, if a determination under sub-section (6) or (7) has not been made in respect of that employer, entitled, in any return relating to the month or period in which he served the notification on the Commissioner, or relating to a subsequent month or period to claim, as the prescribed amount, the amount specified in the notification.

(6) If an employer is entitled, in accordance with sub-section (5) to claim an amount as the prescribed amount and the Commissioner is of the opinion that that amount is unreasonably high, the Commissioner may make a determination specifying an amount, not exceeding \$1,733.33, that may be claimed by the employer and the amount so specified shall, notwithstanding sub-section (5), be deemed to be the amount that that employer was or is entitled to claim as the prescribed amount in any return relating to a month or period—

- (a) that ends in the financial year in which the determination is made and is specified in the determination (whether the month or period so specified is before or after, or is the month or period during which, the determination is made) ; or
- (b) that ends in any subsequent financial year.

(7) The Commissioner may, on an application made to him in writing by an employer, at any time make a determination specifying an amount, not exceeding \$1,733.33, that may be claimed by that employer as the prescribed amount or may at any time make such a determination of his own motion, and the amount so specified shall, notwithstanding any other provision of this section, be deemed to be the amount that the employer is, in the return relating to the month or period in which the determination is made and to any subsequent month or period, entitled to claim as the prescribed amount.

(8) The Commissioner shall, as soon as practicable after making a determination under sub-section (6) or (7), serve notice of the determination on the employer concerned.

(9) Where the amount to be deducted in pursuance of this section from the amount of any taxable wages included in any return or assessment relating to a period included in any financial year exceeds the amount of the taxable wages included in that return or assessment, the amount of the excess shall be deducted from the taxable wages included in the return or assessment next made by or on the employer relating to a period included in that financial year.

4. "Taxable wages" do not include wages paid or payable—

- (a) by the Governor of a State ;
- (b) by a religious or public benevolent institution, or a public hospital ;
- (c) by a hospital which is carried on by a society or association otherwise than for the purpose of profit or gain to the individual members of the society or association ;
- (d) by a school or college (other than a technical school or a technical college) which—
 - (i) is carried on by a body corporate, society or association otherwise than for the purpose of profit or gain to the individual members of the body corporate, society or association and is not carried on by or on behalf of the State of Victoria ; and
 - (ii) provides education at or below, but not above, the secondary level of education ;
- (e) by a municipality or by any union or partnership of which all the members are municipalities except to the extent that those wages are paid or payable—
 - (i) for or in connexion with ; or
 - (ii) for or in connexion with the construction of any buildings or the construction of any works or the installation of plant, machinery or equipment for use in or in connexion with—
the supply of electricity or gas, water supply, sewerage, the conduct of abattoirs, of public markets, of parking stations, of cemeteries, of crematoriums or of hostels or of any other activity that is a prescribed activity ;
- (f) to members of his official staff by—
 - (i) a consular or other representative (other than a diplomatic representative) in Australia of any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions or of any other country ; or
 - (ii) a Trade Commissioner representing in Australia any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions ;
- (g) by a specialized agency as defined by section one of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies which was adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on the 21st November, 1947 ;
- (h) by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission ;
- (i) by the Australian-American Educational Foundation ;
- (j) to a person who is a member of the Defence Force of the Commonwealth or of the armed forces of any part of Her Majesty's Dominions, being wages paid or payable by the employer from whose employment the person is on leave by reason of his being such a member.

5. (1) Where the wages included or required to be included in returns relating to a financial year made or to be made by an employer under the Bill, or under the Bill and under a corresponding law of one or more States—

- (a) in the case of an employer who was an employer in Australia during the whole of that financial year—do not exceed the amount prescribed in sub-section (4) in respect of that financial year ; or
- (b) in the case of an employer who was an employer in Australia during part only of that financial year—do not exceed an amount that bears to the amount prescribed in sub-section (4) in respect of that financial year the same proportion as that part of the financial year bears to that financial year—

the Commissioner shall, upon application by the employer made in accordance with sub-section (3), refund or rebate to that employer the amount of pay-roll tax paid or payable, as the case may be, by him to the Commissioner in respect of that financial year or part.

(2) Where the total deductions made, in accordance with section 3 or with a provision of a corresponding law, from the wages included or required to be included in returns relating to a financial year made or to be made by an employer under the Bill, or under the Bill and under a corresponding law of one or more States—

- (a) in the case of an employer who was an employer in Australia during the whole of that financial year—are less than the amount prescribed in sub-section (4) in respect of that financial year ; or

- (b) in the case of an employer who was an employer in Australia during part only of that financial year—are less than an amount (that amount being referred to in paragraph (b) of sub-section (5) as “the proportionate amount”) that bears to the amount prescribed in sub-section (4) in respect of that financial year the same proportion as that part of the financial year bears to that financial year—

the Commissioner shall, upon application by the employer made in accordance with sub-section (3)—

- (c) where the employer has not included and is not required to include any wages paid or payable in respect of that financial year or that part of the financial year, as the case may be, in a return made under a corresponding law of a State, refund or rebate to the employer an amount equal to the pay-roll tax paid or payable, as the case may be, by him to the Commissioner upon the amount of the deficiency ; or
- (d) where the employer has included or is required to include wages paid or payable in respect of that financial year or that part of the financial year, as the case may be, in a return made under a corresponding law of a State and in a return made under the Bill, refund or rebate to the employer an amount equal to the pay-roll tax paid or payable, as the case may be, by him to the Commissioner upon—
- (i) the amount of the deficiency referred to in paragraph (a) or (b), as the case may require ; or
- (ii) the amount, if any, by which the calculated deductions applicable to him in respect of that financial year exceed the total deductions actually made by him in accordance with section 3 in respect of that financial year or part—

whichever amount is the lesser.

(3) An application under sub-section (1) or (2) shall be made within the financial year next following the financial year in respect of which the refund or rebate is applied for.

(4) For the purposes of sub-sections (1) and (2)—

- (a) the amount prescribed in respect of the first financial year after the commencement of this Act, is the amount of \$17,333.33 ; and
- (b) the amount prescribed in respect of any subsequent financial year is \$20,800.

(5) For the purposes of sub-section (2) the calculated deductions applicable to an employer in respect of a financial year are an amount—

- (a) where the employer was an employer (whether or not only in Victoria) during the whole of that financial year—that bears to the amount prescribed under sub-section (4) in respect of that financial year ; or
- (b) where the employer was an employer (whether or not only in Victoria) during part only of that financial year—that bears to the proportionate amount ascertained in accordance with paragraph (b) of sub-section (2) and applicable to that employer—

the same proportion as the total taxable wages included or required to be included in returns made by that employer under the Bill relating to months or other periods ending in that financial year bear to the total wages included or required to be included in returns made by that employer under the Bill and under a corresponding law of one or more States relating to months or other periods ending in that financial year.

(6) Where a person who, during any part of a financial year, did not pay and was not liable to pay, taxable wages satisfies the Commissioner that, by reason of the nature of his trade or business, the taxable wages paid or payable by him fluctuate with different periods of the financial year the Commissioner may treat him—

- (a) if he has conducted that trade or business during the whole of the financial year—as an employer throughout the financial year ; or
- (b) if he has conducted that trade or business during part only of the financial year—as an employer during that part of the financial year.

(7) Notwithstanding anything contained in this section, the total amount refunded or rebated to any employer in pursuance of this section in respect of any financial year shall not exceed the amount of pay-roll tax paid or payable by him to the Commissioner in respect of that financial year.

6. Where an employer fails to make a return as prescribed by the Bill he shall subject to and in accordance with the Bill be liable to pay by way of additional tax double the amount of tax that was not paid because the return was not made as prescribed or the amount of \$2 whichever is the greater.

7. Where tax is not paid within the time prescribed by the Bill additional tax shall be payable under and subject to the Bill at the rate of 10 per centum per annum upon the amount of tax unpaid.

8. (1) In this Resolution, except insofar as the context or subject-matter otherwise indicates or requires—

- “ Australia ” means the States of the Commonwealth ;
- “ Commissioner ” means the person holding office as Commissioner of Pay-roll Tax ;
- “ Commonwealth Act ” means the *Pay-roll Tax Assessment Act* 1941, as subsequently amended, of the Commonwealth ;
- “ company ” includes all bodies and associations (corporate and unincorporate) and partnerships ;
- “ corresponding law ”, in relation to another State means a law in force in that State relating to the imposition upon employers of a tax on wages paid or payable by them and the assessment and collection of that tax, but does not include the Commonwealth Act ;
- “ employer ” means any person who pays or is liable to pay any wages and includes the Crown in right of the State of Victoria and any public, local or municipal body or authority constituted under the law of the Commonwealth or a State unless, being an authority constituted under the law of the Commonwealth, it is immune from the operation of the Bill ;
- “ financial year ” means the period commencing on the 1st September, 1971, and ending on the 30th of June, 1972, and each year thereafter commencing on the first day of July ;
- “ pay-roll tax ” means pay-roll tax chargeable under the Bill ;
- “ person ” includes a body or association (corporate or unincorporate) and a partnership ;
- “ wages ” means any wages, salary, commission, bonuses or allowances paid or payable (whether at piece work rates or otherwise and whether paid or payable in cash or in kind) to an employé as such and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, includes—
 - (a) any payment made by way of remuneration to a person holding an office under the Crown in right of the State of Victoria or in the service of the Crown in right of the State of Victoria ;
 - (b) any payment made under any prescribed classes of contracts to the extent to which that payment is attributable to labour ;
 - (c) any payment made by a company by way of remuneration to a director or member of the governing body of that company ;
 - (d) any payment made by way of commission to an insurance or time-payment canvasser or collector ; and
 - (e) the provision by the employer of meals or sustenance or the use of premises or quarters as consideration or part consideration for the employé’s services.

(2) For the purposes of this Resolution, meals or sustenance provided by an employer shall be deemed to have a value of One dollar fifty cents per week or, in any particular case or class of cases, such other value as is prescribed in respect of that case or class of cases, and the use of premises or quarters provided by an employer shall be deemed to have a value of fifty cents per week or, in any particular case or class of cases, such other value as is prescribed in respect of that case or class of cases.

(3) For the purposes of this Resolution, the Australian Capital Territory (including the Jervis Bay Territory) and the Northern Territory of Australia are together deemed to be a State of the Commonwealth.

(4) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, a reference in this Resolution to taxable wages does not include a reference to wages that are subject to tax under the *Pay-roll Tax Assessment Act* 1941, as subsequently amended and the *Pay-roll Tax Act* 1941, as subsequently amended, of the Commonwealth, except wages that—

- (a) are paid after the month of August, 1971, but were payable during or before that month; and
- (b) have not been included in a return made under the Commonwealth Act.

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

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

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

21. PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill to impose a Tax upon Employers in respect of certain Wages, to provide for the Assessment and Collection of the Tax, and for Purposes connected therewith*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

22. WAYS AND MEANS—GIFT DUTY.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—1. That under and subject to the Gift Duty Bill proposed to be enacted there shall be charged, levied, collected, and paid for the use of Her Majesty as hereinafter provided in this Resolution in respect of gifts, duty at the rates set forth in the Schedule to this Resolution.

2. (1) In this Resolution unless inconsistent with the context or subject-matter—

“ Commissioner ” means the Commissioner of Probate Duties under the *Probate Duty Act 1962* and includes any deputy Commissioner of Probate Duties.

“ Controlled company ” means a corporation that is under the control of not more than five persons and that is neither a corporation in which the public are substantially interested nor a subsidiary of any corporation in which corporation the public are substantially interested.

“ Corporation ” means a corporation as defined in the *Companies Act 1961*.

“ Disposition of property ” means any conveyance, transfer, assignment, settlement, delivery, payment or other alienation of property, whether at law or in equity, and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing includes—

(a) the allotment or issue of shares, in or debentures of a corporation ;

(b) the creation of any trust in property ;

(c) the grant or creation of any lease, mortgage, charge, encumbrance, easement, licence, partnership, power, option or other right, whether at law or in equity, or any interest in property ;

(d) the release, discharge, surrender, forfeiture, renunciation, disclaimer, or abandonment at law or in equity of any debt, contract or chose in action, or of any interest in property ;

(e) the exercise, whether solely or jointly with any other person or with or without the consent of any other person, of a general power of appointment in favour of any person other than the holder of the power ;

(f) for the purposes only of sub-section (12) and (13), the distribution by a controlled company of a dividend upon shares held in that company or of interest on money advanced to that company whether the dividend or interest be paid to the shareholder or creditor entitled thereto or accumulated or invested on his behalf or credited in his name to a loan account or fund however designated or otherwise held or dealt with on his behalf or as he may permit or direct ;

(g) any thing or things done or omitted to be done by any person, or any thing or things done or omitted to be done by two or more persons, either jointly or separately, as a result of which—

(i) the total property or the value of the total property of any person is diminished ; and

(ii) the total property or the value of the total property of any other person is increased—

whether that result ensued from the doing of or the omission to do one or more of those things and whether or not the total property or the value of the total property of the person referred to in sub-paragraph (i) of this paragraph was diminished at the same time as the total property or the value of the total property of the person referred to in sub-paragraph (ii) of this paragraph was increased—

“ Donee ” means a person to whom a gift is made and, where the gift is made to a trustee for the benefit of another person, includes both the trustee and the beneficiary ;

“ Donor ” means a person by whom a gift is made ;

“ General power of appointment ” includes any power or authority which enables the donee, or would enable him if he were of full capacity, to make an appointment in relation to, or dispose of, any property, or to charge any sum of money upon any property, as he thinks fit for his own benefit, but does not include any power exercisable by any person, in a fiduciary capacity, for the benefit only of others arising under a disposition not made by himself, or as tenant for life, or as mortgagee ;

“ Gift ” means any disposition of property which is made (whether with or without an instrument in writing) otherwise than by will, without consideration in money or money’s worth passing from the person to whom or in whose favour the disposition is made to the person by whom the disposition is made, or with any such consideration so passing if the consideration is not fully adequate ;

“ Gift duty ” means the duty chargeable under this Resolution ;

“ Interest in property ” means any estate, interest, right or power whatsoever, whether at law or in equity, in or over property ;

“Property” includes real and personal property, any debt, any chose in action and any estate, interest, right or power whatsoever, whether at law or in equity, in or over property ;

“Territory of the Commonwealth” includes a territory under the trusteeship of the Commonwealth ;

“Voluntary contract” means a contract or agreement entered into (whether with or without an instrument in writing and whether such contract or agreement was made before or after the commencement of this Act) without fully adequate consideration in money or money’s worth.

(2) For the purposes of the definition of “controlled company” in sub-section (1)—

(a) a corporation shall be deemed to be a subsidiary only if, by reason of the beneficial ownership of shares therein, the corporation is under the control of a corporation which is not a controlled company or of two or more corporations none of which is a controlled company ;

(b) a corporation shall be deemed to be a corporation in which the public are substantially interested only if—

(i) shares of the corporation (not being shares in respect of which a fixed rate of dividend, whether with or without a further right to participate in profits, is payable) carrying more than twenty-five per centum of the voting power have been allotted to, or acquired by, and are at the relevant time beneficially owned by, the public, not including a controlled company ;

(ii) the right to transfer those shares is not restricted ; and

(iii) those shares are, in the opinion of the Commissioner, generally available for purchase by the public ;

(c) a corporation shall be deemed to be under the control of not more than five persons—

(i) if any five or fewer persons together possess, or are entitled to acquire, more than one half of the share capital of the corporation ;

(ii) if any five or fewer persons together possess the majority of the voting power at a general meeting of the corporation ;

(iii) if any five or fewer persons together exercise, or are able to exercise, or are entitled to acquire, direct or indirect control of the affairs of the corporation and they cannot be deprived of that control by the exercise of the voting power of any other person or persons at any meeting of the corporation ; or

(iv) if any five or fewer persons together possess, or are entitled to acquire, either more than half of the issued share capital of the company, or such part of that capital as would, if the whole of the income of the company were in fact distributed at the relevant time to the members, entitle them to receive more than half of the amount so distributed ; and

(d) in determining whether a corporation is or is not under the control of not more than five persons, a person who is related to another person and that other person, a person who is a nominee of another person and that other person and any other nominees of that other person, persons in partnership, or persons interested in any shares or obligations of the corporation which are subject to any trust or are part of the estate of a deceased person, shall be treated as one person.

(3) For the purposes of paragraph (d) of sub-section (2)—

(a) a person shall be deemed to be related to another person if one of those persons is the lineal issue, brother, sister, lineal issue of a brother or sister, spouse, ancestor of the spouse, brother or sister of the spouse, spouse of the brother or sister of the spouse, lineal issue of the brother or sister of the spouse, spouse of the lineal issue, spouse of a brother or sister, spouse of the lineal issue of a brother or sister, or spouse of the lineal issue of a brother or sister of the spouse, of the other of those persons ; and

(b) a corporation shall be deemed to be related—

(i) to a person—if the corporation is a controlled company and any of the persons by whom it is controlled is related, as mentioned in paragraph (a), to that person ; or

(ii) to another corporation—if those corporations are controlled companies and if any of the persons by whom either of those corporations is controlled are related, as mentioned in paragraph (a), to any of the persons by whom the other of those corporations is controlled.

(4) A reference in paragraph (a) of sub-section (3) to lineal issue includes a reference—

(a) to a step-child ;

(b) to an adopted child ; and

(c) to a natural child—

and a step-child shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be related to any other person in the same manner as he would be if he were the child of both his step-parent and the spouse of his step-parent.

(5) For the purposes of paragraph (d) of sub-section (2), a person is deemed to be the nominee of another person if, whether directly or indirectly, he possesses on behalf of that other person or may be required to exercise on the direction of or on behalf of that other person any right or power in relation to a corporation.

(6) Where a debt, contract, chose in action or interest in property becomes irrecoverable or unenforceable by action or other process through lapse of time, it shall unless the Commissioner is satisfied that it was not rendered so irrecoverable or unenforceable for the purpose of evading or avoiding gift duty—

(a) for the purposes of paragraph (d) of the definition of “disposition of property” in sub-section (1), be deemed to have been released, discharged, surrendered, forfeited, renounced, disclaimed or abandoned ; and

(b) for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to have been released, discharged, surrendered, forfeited, renounced, disclaimed or abandoned at the time when it became so irrecoverable or unenforceable.

(7) Where, after any debt, contract, chose in action or interest in property has been released, discharged, surrendered, forfeited, renounced, disclaimed or abandoned as mentioned in sub-section (6) so as to constitute a gift, there passes from the donee to the donor any consideration that, had the debt, contract, chose in action or interest in property not become irrecoverable or unenforceable, would have been consideration to which the donor was entitled on account of the debt, contract, chose in action or interest in property, the passing of that consideration shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed not to be a gift.

(8) Where any consideration in relation to a contract passes from one party to the contract to another party to the contract and that contract is void, the passing of the consideration shall, where the Commissioner is of the opinion that, having regard to the nature of the contract, to the circumstances in which the contract was entered into, to any relationship of one party to the contract to any other party to the contract and to any other circumstances that the Commissioner thinks relevant, the contract was *bona fide* entered into in the course of an ordinary commercial transaction and was not entered into for the purpose of evading or avoiding gift duty, be deemed, for the purposes of this Resolution, not to be a gift.

(9) Where—

(a) any consideration in relation to a contract passes from one party to the contract to another party to the contract and that contract is void ; and

(b) there passes from that other party to the first-mentioned party any consideration that, had the contract not been void, would have been consideration to which that first-mentioned party was entitled under the contract—

the passing of the consideration as mentioned in paragraph (b) shall, where the Commissioner is of the opinion that, having regard to the nature of the contract, to the circumstances in which the contract was entered into, to any relationship of one party to the contract to any other party to the contract and to any other circumstances that the Commissioner thinks relevant, the contract was *bona fide* entered into in the course of an ordinary commercial transaction and was not entered into for the purpose of evading or avoiding gift duty, be deemed, for the purposes of this Resolution, not to be a gift.

(10) For the purposes of this Resolution—

(a) a disposition of property referred to in paragraph (g) of the interpretation of “disposition of property” in sub-section (1) shall, notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, be deemed to take effect at the time when the total property or the value of the total property of the person referred to in sub-paragraph (ii) of that paragraph is increased ;

(b) the value of the property in any such disposition shall, notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, be deemed to be an amount that is equivalent to the amount by which the total property or the value of the total property of the person referred to in sub-paragraph (i) of that paragraph is diminished ;

(c) notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, the person referred to in sub-paragraph (i) of that paragraph shall be deemed to be the person by whom a disposition or gift is made and the person referred to in sub-paragraph (ii) of that paragraph shall be deemed to be the person in whose favour or to whom a disposition or gift is made ;

(d) in determining whether or not an increase in the total property or the value of the total property of a person has occurred and, if so, the amount of the increase, no allowance shall be made in respect of any contingency affecting the interest of the person in whose favour or to whom a disposition or gift is made ; and

(e) in determining whether or not a diminution in the total property or the value of the total property of a person has occurred and, if so, the amount of the diminution, no allowance shall be made in respect of any contingency affecting the interest of the person by whom a disposition or gift is made.

(11) Without limiting the generality of the interpretation of “disposition of property” in sub-section (1), where the total property or the value of the total property of a person is diminished as the result, directly or indirectly, of any thing or things done or omitted to be done by a controlled company of which that person is a director, shareholder or creditor or in which that person has a pecuniary interest, or by a person as a director, shareholder or creditor of a controlled company, whether such thing or things was or were done by the controlled company or that person alone or together with any other person or persons—

- (a) that first-mentioned person shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to have made a disposition of property and to be, to the exclusion of any other person, the person by whom the disposition is made ;
- (b) a disposition of property referred to in paragraph (a) shall be deemed to take effect at the time when the diminution referred to in this sub-section takes place ; and
- (c) the value of the property in any such disposition shall be deemed to be an amount that is equivalent to the amount of that diminution, ascertained without any allowance being made in respect of any contingency affecting the interests of the person by whom the disposition is made.

(12) Where—

- (a) a disposition of property—
 - (i) whether by way of dividend, interest or otherwise (but not being an allotment or issue of shares) is made by a controlled company, either alone or together with any other person or persons, to one or more of its members or creditors ; or
 - (ii) (being an allotment or issue of shares) is made by a controlled company whether or not to one of its members ; and
- (b) the resolution or other decision whereby the disposition was made or the obligation to make the disposition was created resulted, either wholly or partly and either directly or indirectly, from the exercise of a right or power that was possessed or, by the constitution of the controlled company expressed to be possessed, by any particular person, either alone or together with any other person or persons or by the exercise of a right or power that was possessed or, by the constitution of the controlled company expressed to be possessed, by him, a particular person, either alone or together with any other person or persons, could have prevented the passing of the resolution or the making of the other decision whereby the disposition was made or the obligation to make the disposition was created—

and that particular person, either alone or together with any other person or persons, could have exercised that or any other right or power whereby a disposition of that property or of property of equivalent value could have been made by the company to himself or themselves, that particular person or that particular person and that other or those other persons, as the case may be, shall for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed, to the exclusion of any other person, to have been the person or persons by whom the disposition of the property is made.

(13) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Resolution, a disposition of property referred to in sub-section (12) and deemed pursuant to that sub-section to have been made by a person other than the controlled company shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to have been made without consideration except to the extent that the consideration, if any, that passed from the person to whom the disposition is made to the person or persons by whom the disposition is made or to the controlled company was, in the opinion of the Commissioner, fully adequate having regard—

- (a) to the nature and extent of the right or power that could have been exercised by the person or persons by whom the disposition is made, as referred to in that sub-section ;
- (b) to any increase in the total property or the value of the total property of the person to whom the disposition is made that resulted from the disposition ;
- (c) to the nature and extent of the respective shareholdings of the shareholders of the company ; and
- (d) to any other circumstances that he thinks relevant.

(14) For the purposes of sub-section (13), the disposition of property shall be deemed to have been made for adequate consideration—

- (a) where the disposition (in the case of a distribution of dividend or an allotment or issue of shares) is made, and all such dispositions (if any) made during the previous three years were made, to all the shareholders of the company in proportion to their respective paid-up shareholdings (not being shareholdings entitled to a fixed rate of dividend) ; or
- (b) to the extent that the person or persons deemed by sub-section (12) to be the person or persons by whom the disposition is made disposes or dispose of such property to himself or themselves.

(15) Nothing in sub-section (12) shall be construed so as to prevent any disposition of property made by a controlled company otherwise than as is mentioned in that sub-section from being a disposition of property for the purposes of this Resolution.

(16) Where a gift is made by a controlled company that is incorporated under the law of a State other than this State or of a Territory of the Commonwealth, but is carrying on business in Victoria, and gift duty is payable in respect of the gift by reason of paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) of section 4 the gift shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to have been made to the donee by each member of the controlled company to the exclusion of any other person and the value of the gift made by each such member shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to be an amount that bears to the value of the property comprised in the gift the same proportion as the value of his paid-up shareholding in the controlled company bears to the value of the paid-up capital of the controlled company.

(17) Where a gift is deemed under sub-section (16) to have been made by a member (in this sub-section referred to as the "donor controlled company") of a controlled company that is itself a controlled company, a gift of the value deemed by that sub-section to have been made by the donor controlled company shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to have been made to the donee by each member of the donor controlled company to the exclusion of any other person and the value of the gift made by each member of the donor controlled company shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to be an amount that bears to that value the same proportion as the value of that member's paid-up shareholding in the donor controlled company bears to the value of the paid-up capital of the donor controlled company.

(18) Without limiting the generality of the interpretation of "gift" in sub-section (1), where a person has a right to recover any money which is due and payable to him and does not take all reasonable steps to enforce payment of that money during the period of twelve months commencing on the date upon which the money first became due and payable or during any subsequent period of twelve months, a gift shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to have been made at the expiration of each such period, and in respect of any such period the value of the gift shall be deemed to be the amount of interest that would have accrued at the expiration of that period if interest, calculated at the rate of seven per centum per annum or such other rate as is fixed from time to time by the Governor in Council by notice published in the *Government Gazette*, on the amount unpaid at the commencement of that period had been payable, or where any interest was actually paid or payable during that period, the amount of interest so calculated reduced by the interest actually paid or payable: Provided that this sub-section shall not apply in the case of a contract *bona fide* entered into in the course of an ordinary commercial transaction which is not entered into for the purpose of evading or avoiding gift duty. For the purposes of this sub-section a debt payable on demand in respect of which no demand has been made shall be deemed to be due on each anniversary of the day on which the debt was incurred.

(19) Where a gift of property is made by two or more persons jointly, the gift shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to have been made by each of them severally and the value of the gift made by each of them shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to be an amount that bears to the total value of the gift the same proportion as the value of his interest in the property immediately before the gift was made bears to the value of the property.

(20) Where the doing of or omission to do any two or more things constitutes a disposition of property within the meaning of this Resolution, the fact that any one of those things itself constitutes such a disposition shall not prevent the doing of or omission to do those two or more things from constituting such a disposition or the doing of or omission to do that one thing from constituting such a disposition.

(21) Where a disposition of property arises by reason of the doing of or omission to do any two or more things and that disposition is a gift in respect of which gift duty is payable and any one or more of those things itself constitutes a disposition of property that is a gift in respect of which gift duty is payable the Commissioner may remit such part of that last-mentioned gift duty as he thinks fit.

(22) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, where a gift that is a disposition of property referred to in sub-sections (11) to (18) inclusive has been made before the coming into operation of the Bill gift duty shall not be payable in respect thereof and it shall not be taken into account in ascertaining whether gift duty is payable in respect of any other gift made by the same donor or in ascertaining the amount of any gift duty so payable.

3. For the purpose of calculating the gift duty payable under this Resolution in respect of a gift, a reference in the Schedule to the value of all relevant gifts shall be construed as a reference to the sum of—

(a) the value of the gift in respect of which the calculation is being made; and

(b) the value of all other gifts made—

(i) at the same time as the gift referred to in paragraph (a), and within eighteen months previously (whether wholly or partly before the commencement of the Bill or not) and within eighteen months subsequently; and

(ii) by the same donor who made the gift referred to in paragraph (a) to the same or to any other donee.

4. (1) Subject to the provisions of the Bill gift duty shall be payable in respect of every gift made after the commencement of the Bill—

(a) where the property the subject of the gift is situated in Victoria at the time when the gift is made; and

(b) where the property the subject of the gift is personal property situated outside Victoria at the time when the gift is made if—

(i) either the donor or the donee, in either case not being a corporation, is, at the time the gift is made, domiciled or resident in Victoria ;

(ii) either the donor or the donee is a corporation incorporated or resident in Victoria ; or

(iii) the donor—

(a) is a corporation incorporated under the law of a State other than this State or of any Territory of the Commonwealth ;

(b) is, at the time when the gift is made, a controlled company ; and

(c) is carrying on business in Victoria—

and gift duty would not, but for the provisions of this sub-paragraph, be payable under the provisions of this Resolution in respect of the gift.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (b) of sub-section (1), gift duty shall not be payable where—

(a) the property the subject of the gift is situated outside the limits of the Commonwealth ;

(b) at the time the gift is made the donor is domiciled or resident outside the limits of the Commonwealth ; and

(c) neither the situation of the property nor the domicile or residence of the donor had been removed from the limits of the Commonwealth with the object of avoiding or evading liability to gift duty.

(3) Where a gift is made by a corporation, being a donor referred to in sub-paragraph (iii) of paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) and the corporation also carries on business outside Victoria the gift shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to be of an amount that bears to the value of the personal property the subject of the gift the same proportion as the value of the assets of the corporation that are situated in Victoria bears to the value of its total assets wherever situated.

5. The gift duty payable in respect of a gift shall be an amount calculated on the value of the gift at the rate per centum in the second column of the Schedule opposite the value of all relevant gifts, specified in the first column of that Schedule, made by the donor.

6. (1) Where the amount of gift duty payable in respect of a gift and calculated at the appropriate rate specified in the Schedule is less than \$5, no gift duty shall be assessed by the Commissioner or payable in respect of that gift.

(2) In ascertaining any remission of duty to be made in respect of a gift or any deduction to be made from the value of a gift, all other gifts made by the same donor to the same donee within eighteen months previously and within eighteen months subsequently shall, together with the gift, be regarded as one gift.

7. (1) A disposition of property made or taking effect in pursuance of or in performance or satisfaction, whether wholly or in part, of a voluntary contract shall, for the purposes of this Resolution, be deemed to be a gift when and so far as the disposition has affected the property or any of the property to which the contract or agreement relates.

(2) For the purposes of this Resolution, a gift shall be deemed to be made after the commencement of the Bill if the disposition of property comprised in the gift is made or takes effect on or after the day specified under the Bill to be the "prescribed day", notwithstanding that a contract or agreement or instrument of title which relates to the property or any part thereof was made or executed before the commencement of the Bill.

8. For the purposes of this Resolution—

(a) shares in or debentures of a corporation incorporated in Victoria shall be deemed to be property situated in Victoria whether the shares or debentures are recorded in a register kept in Victoria or elsewhere ;

(b) shares in or debentures of a corporation incorporated outside Victoria shall be deemed to be property situated in Victoria if they are recorded in a branch register of the company in Victoria ;

(c) where the total property or the value of the total property of a person is diminished as mentioned in paragraph (g) of the interpretation of "disposition of property" in sub-section (1) of section 2 or in sub-section (11) of that section, the property the subject of the disposition shall be deemed to be personal property situated in Victoria in the case where the donor is domiciled or resident in Victoria and personal property situated outside Victoria in any other case ; and

(d) property at sea in the course of transit to Victoria shall be deemed to be property situated in Victoria.

9. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Resolution but except as provided in sub-section (2) gift duty shall not be payable in respect of—

(a) a contribution by an employer to, or for the purpose of establishing, a *bona fide* scheme of superannuation, retirement benefit, or pension for his employé, or any class or classes of his employé, or their dependants ;

- (b) a payment made by an employer, or by the trustees of a fund established by an employer for the purpose of making payments to an employé or the dependants of an employé, in consequence of the retirement of an employé from the service of the employer or in consequence of his death, where the payment is or payments are not excessive having regard to the remuneration of the employé at the time of his retirement or death, to his length of service with the employer and to any payments made to other employés in similar circumstances and such other relevant facts as may be submitted to or otherwise known to the Commissioner ;
 - (c) any gratuity or bonus paid by an employer to an employé during the continuance of the employment where the gratuity or bonus is paid in recognition of special or faithful services rendered and is not excessive having regard to the remuneration of the employé, to his length of service with the employer and to any payments made to other employés in similar circumstances and such other relevant facts as may be submitted to or otherwise known to the Commissioner ;
 - (d) any payments in lieu of wages or salary made by an employer to an employé during his illness or invalidity where the payments are not excessive having regard to the wages or salary to which the employé is ordinarily entitled and to any payments made to other employés in similar circumstances and such other relevant facts as may be submitted to or otherwise known to the Commissioner ;
 - (e) any gift which would be allowed as a deduction under section 21 of the *Probate Duty Act 1962* if it were otherwise subject to duty under that Act or for charitable purposes ;
 - (f) any gift to or by the Commonwealth or a State of the Commonwealth ;
 - (g) any gift where the Commissioner is satisfied—
 - (i) that the value of the gift together with all other gifts made by the same donor to the same donee, whether at the same time, within eighteen months previously (whether wholly or partly before the commencement of this Act or not) or within eighteen months subsequently, does not exceed in the aggregate \$200 and that the gift is made as part of the normal expenditure of the donor ; or
 - (ii) that the gift is made for or towards the maintenance of the wife, husband, child or other person dependent on the donor or for or towards the education or apprenticeship of a child or other person dependent on the donor and is not excessive in amount having regard to the legal or moral obligations of the donor to afford the maintenance, education or apprenticeship ;
 - (h) any premiums, not exceeding \$500 per annum, paid by a person on insurance policies effected by him on his own life and expressed to be for the benefit of his wife or any of his children ; or
 - (i) any moneys paid by an employer to an employé who is a member of or attached to the Naval, Military or Air Forces of the Commonwealth for the purpose of augmenting the employé's pay as a member of any of those Forces.
- (2) In this section “ *bona fide* scheme of superannuation retirement benefit or pension ” means a scheme of superannuation retirement benefit or pension—
- (a) created or arranged by an employer for the benefit of his employés and operated under the terms of an instrument of trust executed by or on behalf of the employer ; or
 - (b) created for the benefit of employés and approved by the Commissioner for the purposes of this Resolution.
- (3) Where any payment, gratuity or bonus referred to in paragraph (a), (b), (c) or (d) of sub-section (1) is found to be excessive within the meaning of that paragraph, gift duty shall be payable under this Resolution only on the part of the payment, gratuity or bonus by which the payment, gratuity or bonus exceeds any part thereof that is found not to be excessive.
10. Where, by virtue of section 9 gift duty is not payable in respect of a gift, the value of the gift shall not be taken into account in ascertaining whether gift duty is payable in respect of any other gift made by the same donor or in ascertaining the amount of any gift duty so payable.
11. Where any disposition of property is made and consideration in money or money's worth passes from the person to whom the disposition is made to the person by whom it is made but the disposition constitutes a gift for the purposes of the Bill by reason of the consideration not being fully adequate, the value of the gift shall, for the purposes of the Bill, be the extent of that inadequacy.
12. For the purpose of computing the value of a gift—
- (a) no allowance shall be made in respect of any contingency affecting the interests of any donee ;
 - (b) subject to the Bill, the value of the gift shall be taken to be its value at the time it is made ; and

- (c) no deduction shall be allowed in respect of any mortgage, charge, encumbrance or liability affecting or incident to the property comprised in the gift existing at the time it is made, if and so far as the donee is entitled as against the donor or any other person or as against any other property to any right of indemnity or contribution in respect of the mortgage, charge, encumbrance or liability.

13. (1) Where any disposition of property is made subject to a reservation of any benefit or advantage in favour of the person by whom the disposition is made, and the whole or any part of that benefit or advantage is subsequently made the subject of a gift from the person by whom the disposition is made to the person to whom it is made, the subsequent gift shall be deemed to have been made at the time of the earlier disposition or upon the commencement of the Bill, whichever is the later.

(2) Where a disposition of property is made—

- (a) in consideration of a sum payable on demand or at a future date and upon terms agreed between the persons by whom and to whom the disposition is made ;
or
(b) in part as a gift and in part in consideration of a sum payable on demand or at a future date and upon terms agreed between the persons by whom and to whom the disposition is made—

that consideration shall be deemed not to be a reservation of benefit or advantage for the purposes of sub-section (1).

14. Where a person evades or attempts to evade the payment of any gift duty by failing to comply with the Bill he shall be liable to pay by way of additional gift duty double the amount of the gift duty that he evaded or attempted to evade by that failure.

15. Where gift duty is not paid within the time prescribed by the Bill additional tax shall be payable under and subject to the Bill at the rate of 10% per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Where the value of all relevant gifts—	The rate per centum of duty on the value of the gift in question shall be—
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Does not exceed \$4,000	Nil
Exceeds \$4,000 and does not exceed \$10,000	3½
Exceeds \$10,000 and does not exceed \$20,000	4½
Exceeds \$20,000 and does not exceed \$30,000	5½
Exceeds \$30,000 and does not exceed \$40,000	6½
Exceeds \$40,000 and does not exceed \$50,000	7½
Exceeds \$50,000 and does not exceed \$60,000	8½
Exceeds \$60,000 and does not exceed \$70,000	9½
Exceeds \$70,000 and does not exceed \$80,000	10½
Exceeds \$80,000 and does not exceed \$100,000	11½
Exceeds \$100,000 and does not exceed \$150,000	14½
Exceeds \$150,000 and does not exceed \$200,000	19½
Exceeds \$200,000	22

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

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

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

23. GIFT DUTY BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to provide for the Imposition, Assessment and Collection of a Duty on certain Gifts, to amend the ‘ Stamps Act 1958’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

24. WAYS AND MEANS—STAMP DUTIES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *Stamps Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Stamps Bill there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty upon any instrument specified hereunder the duties specified hereunder :—

1. BILLS OF EXCHANGE AND PROMISSORY NOTES—

	\$ c.
(1) BILL OF EXCHANGE payable on demand (<i>cheque &c.</i>)	0.06

Exemptions—The same exemptions as are specified under the heading “1. BILLS OF EXCHANGE AND PROMISSORY NOTES—” in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act 1958*.

2. IV. (A) TRANSFER OF MARKETABLE SECURITIES—

(a) With respect to sales and purchases included in a return under sub-section (1) of section 60C of the *Stamps Act 1958* duty calculated on the total consideration for each sale and purchase as follows :—

(i) Where the total consideration is less than \$100 at the rate of 7 cents for every \$25 and also for any fractional part of \$25 ; and

(ii) Where the total consideration is \$100 or more at the rate of 30 cents for every \$100 and also for any fractional part of \$100—

of the sale price or the purchase price as the case may be ; and

(b) Upon the transfer of any marketable security or right in respect of shares of any corporation company or society which has a register in Victoria in which such marketable securities or rights are registered not being a transfer to perfect a sale or purchase to which subdivision (4A) of Division 3 of Part II. applies—

(a) where such transfer is made for a consideration in money or money's worth of not less than the unencumbered value of the marketable security or the right in respect of shares comprised in the transfer—

where the amount or value of the consideration for the transfer—

does not exceed \$100—a stamp duty at the rate of 14 cents for every \$25 and also for any fractional part of \$25 ;
exceeds \$100—a stamp duty at the rate of 60 cents for every \$100 and also for any fractional part of \$100—

of the amount or value of that consideration ;

(aa) where such transfer transfers the beneficial interest in a marketable security or right in respect of shares from one company to another company where one of such companies is the beneficial owner of not less than ninety per centum of the issued share capital of the other company or where not less than ninety per centum of the issued share capital of each of the companies is beneficially owned by a third company and the transfer was not executed in pursuance of or in connexion with an arrangement whereunder the consideration for the transfer was to be provided directly or indirectly by a person other than a company which at the time of the execution of the transfer was associated with either the transferor or the transferee or whereunder the beneficial interest transferred was previously transferred directly or indirectly by such a person as aforesaid.

For the purposes of this paragraph—

(i) “ Company ” includes corporation or society ; and

(ii) a company shall be deemed to be associated with another company if, but not unless, one of them is the beneficial owner of not less than ninety per centum of the issued share capital of the other or not less than ninety per centum of the issued share capital of each of them is in the beneficial ownership of a third company—

where the value of the marketable security or right in respect of shares comprised in the transfer—

does not exceed \$100—a stamp duty at the rate of 14 cents for every \$25 and also for any fractional part of \$25 ;

exceeds \$100—at the rate of 60 cents for every \$100 and also for any fractional part of \$100—

of that value ;

(b) where such transfer is made for a consideration which is or includes a consideration in money or money's worth of less than the unencumbered value of the marketable security or the right in respect of shares comprised in the transfer—

(i) as to the amount of such consideration—

where such amount does not exceed \$100—a stamp duty at the rate of 14 cents for every \$25 and also for any fractional part of \$25 ;

where such an amount exceeds \$100—at the rate of 60 cents for every \$100 and also for any fractional part of \$100 ;

(ii) as to the difference between such amount and such unencumbered value—

the same duty assessed in the same manner and with the same exemptions as on a deed of settlement or gift of property ;

(c) in any other case—

the same duty assessed in the same manner and with the same exemptions as on a deed of settlement or gift of property.

Exemptions—The same exemptions as are specified under section 60B of the *Stamps Act* 1958 and under the heading “ IV. (A) TRANSFER OF MARKETABLE SECURITIES— ” in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act* 1958.

3. VI. (A)—CONVEYANCE OR TRANSFER ON SALE OF ANY REAL PROPERTY OR ANY ESTATE OR INTEREST THEREIN—

Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$20 but does not exceed \$7,000—

	\$ c.
In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	1.50

Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$7,000 but does not exceed \$15,000—

In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	1.75
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Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$15,000 but does not exceed \$100,000—

In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	2.00
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Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$100,000 but does not exceed \$500,000—

In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	2.25
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Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$500,000 but does not exceed \$1,000,000—

In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	2.50
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Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$1,000,000—

In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	3.00
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Exemptions—The same exemptions as are specified under the heading “ VI. (A) CONVEYANCE OR TRANSFER ON SALE OF ANY REAL PROPERTY OR ANY ESTATE OR INTEREST THEREIN— ” in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act* 1958.

4. VI. (B)—LAND TRANSFER—Under the *Transfer of Land Act 1958*—or any corresponding previous enactment—

	\$ c.
(1) Upon every direction under Division one of Part II. or Division five or six of Part IV. of the <i>Transfer of Land Act 1958</i> for the certificate of title to issue to any person other than the applicant on a sale of the land mentioned or referred to in the direction	Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$20 but does not exceed \$7,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 .. 1.50 Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$7,000 but does not exceed \$15,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 .. 1.75
(2) Upon every consent to an application whereby the consenting party relinquishes any estate or interest for valuable consideration	Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$15,000 but does not exceed \$100,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 .. 2.00
(3) Upon every application to bring land under the Act by any person who has purchased such land without having paid the duty in respect of a conveyance or transfer thereof to him ..	Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$100,000 but does not exceed \$500,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 .. 2.25
(4) Upon every transfer of land on a sale thereof ..	Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$500,000 but does not exceed \$1,000,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 .. 2.50 Where the amount or value of the consideration for the sale exceeds \$1,000,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 .. 3.00

Exemptions—The same exemptions as on conveyance or transfer on sale of any real property or any estate or interest therein.

5. VII. PARTITION or division of any real property or any estate or interest therein where any consideration is given for equality : Instruments for effecting same—

	\$ c.
Where the amount or value of the consideration paid or given or agreed to be paid or given for equality exceeds \$20 but does not exceed \$7,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	1.50
Where the amount or value of the consideration paid or given or agreed to be paid or given for equality exceeds \$7,000 but does not exceed \$15,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	1.75
Where the amount or value of the consideration paid or given or agreed to be paid or given for equality exceeds \$15,000 but does not exceed \$100,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	2.00
Where the amount or value of the consideration paid or given or agreed to be paid or given for equality exceeds \$100,000 but does not exceed \$500,000— In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	2.25

Where the amount or value of the consideration paid or given or agreed to be paid or given for equality exceeds \$500,000 but does not exceed \$1,000,000— \$ c.

In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 2.50

Where the amount or value of the consideration paid or given or agreed to be paid or given for equality exceeds \$1,000,000—

In respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 3.00

6. VIII. LEASE or agreement for a lease of any lands or tenements for any definite or indefinite term— \$ c.

(1) Where the consideration or any part of the consideration not being by way of rent moving either to the lessor or to any other person consists of any money or marketable security—

in respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 1.20

(2) Where the consideration or any part of the consideration is any rent—

(a) in respect of a lease for any definite term of less than twelve months, exceeding in the aggregate \$130—

in respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100.. .. . 0.60

(b) in respect of a lease for any definite term of not less than twelve months, at a rate exceeding \$130 per annum—

in respect of the total of such consideration for the full term of the lease, for every \$100, and also for every fractional part of \$100 0.60

(c) in respect of a lease for any indefinite term, at a rate exceeding \$130 per annum—

in respect of such consideration whether reserved as a yearly rent or otherwise, for every \$100, and also for every fractional part of \$100 per annum .. 1.20

(3) Partition or division of the interest of a lessee under a lease of lands or tenements, where any consideration is given for equality : Instrument for effecting same—

where the amount or value of the consideration paid or given or agreed to be paid or given for equality exceeds \$20—

in respect of such consideration for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100 1.20

(4) For every transfer or assignment (otherwise than by way of gift) of any lease where the consideration or any part of the consideration for such lease is any rent at a rate exceeding \$130 per annum—

(a) where the lease is for a definite term—

in respect of each year and fractional part of a year of the unexpired portion of the term, \$0.60, and in addition in respect of each \$100 and fractional part of \$100 of the yearly rent payable at the date of the transfer or assignment whether reserved as a yearly rent or otherwise, \$0.60 ;

(b) where the lease is for an indefinite term—

\$3.00, and in addition in respect of each \$100 and fractional part of \$100 of the yearly rent payable at the date of the transfer or assignment whether reserved as a yearly rent or otherwise, \$0.60.

(5) For every transfer or assignment by way of gift of any lease—

the same duty assessed in the same manner and with the same exemptions as on a deed of settlement or gift of property.

Exemptions—The same exemptions as are specified under the heading—“ LEASE or agreement for a lease of any lands or tenements for any definite or indefinite term—” in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act* 1958.

7. XI. ANNUAL LICENCE—

- (a) To be taken out by any company person or firm of persons whether corporate or unincorporate carrying on in Victoria any assurance or insurance business, and whether the head office or principal place of business of such company person or firm of persons is in Victoria or elsewhere—

\$12 for every \$200 or part of \$200 of premiums of any kind whatsoever received or in any manner charged in account by any such company person or firm or by its his or their agents during the twelve months preceding the year for which such licence is taken out. Such premiums shall be the gross premiums and be counted so as to include any commission or discount, but to exclude the gross amount of premiums, including commission and discount, in respect of re-insurance effected in Victoria with any other such company person or firm if such re-insurance was not made pursuant to any prior obligatory agreement in writing between the insurer and the re-insurer for the acceptance of risks by way of re-insurance and the duty in respect of any one annual licence shall not in any case be less than \$200.

Exemptions—The same exemptions as are specified under the heading—“ XI.—ANNUAL LICENCE— ” in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act 1958*.

- (b) Return of insurance or assurance business under section 110A of the *Stamps Act 1958*—stamp duty at the rate of 6 per centum of the amount of any premium paid or payable.

8. XIX. INSTALMENT PURCHASE AGREEMENT—

- (a) A stamp duty equal to \$1.80 per centum of the purchase price.

Exemptions—The same exemptions as are specified under the heading—“ XIX.—INSTALMENT PURCHASE AGREEMENT— ” in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act 1958*.

- (b) Statement under section 131AC of the *Stamps Act 1958* by a registered person with respect to credit business or rental business—duty under sub-section (1) as if any reference therein to “ one and one-half per centum ” were a reference to “ \$1.80 per centum ” and any reference to “ one-eighth of one per centum ” were a reference to “ \$0.15 per centum ”.

- (c) Note or memorandum under sub-section (1) of section 131AF of the *Stamps Act 1958* with respect to credit business or rental business carried on by an unregistered person—duty under sub-section (2) as if any reference therein to “ one and one-half per centum ” were a reference to “ one and eight-tenths per centum ”.

9. XXI. APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION OF AND NOTICES OF ACQUISITION IN RESPECT OF MOTOR CARS AND COMMERCIAL TRAILERS—

\$ c.

On every application for registration of a motor car or commercial trailer—
for every \$200 of the market value of the motor car or commercial trailer in respect of which the application is made and also for any fractional part of \$200 or such market value 3.00

On every notice of acquisition of a motor car or commercial trailer—
for every \$200 of the market value of the motor car or commercial trailer at the date that the person giving the notice of the acquisition acquired possession of the motor car and also for any fractional part of \$200 of such market value 3.00

Exemptions—The same exemptions as are specified under the heading—“ XXI.—APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION OF AND NOTICES OF ACQUISITION IN RESPECT OF MOTOR CARS AND COMMERCIAL TRAILERS— ” in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act 1958*.

10. XXII. MORTGAGE, BOND, DEBENTURE, OR COVENANT—

\$ c.

- (a) Upon every mortgage, bond, debenture or covenant and upon every foreign security—
where the amount secured thereby does not exceed \$8,000 .. 4.00
where the amount secured thereby exceeds \$8,000 but does not exceed \$10,000—\$4 for the first \$8,000 secured thereby and for every additional \$200 and also for any fractional part of \$200 in excess of \$8,000 0.60
where the amount secured thereby exceeds \$10,000—\$10 for the first \$10,000 secured thereby and for every additional \$200 and also for any fractional part of \$200 in excess of \$10,000 0.70

Exemptions—The same exemptions as are specified under the heading—“ XXII.—MORTGAGE, BOND, DEBENTURE, OR COVENANT— ” in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act 1958*.

- (b) Security for the payment or repayment of money to be lent advanced or paid or which may become due, where the security has *ad valorem* duty denoted thereon—
- (i) if the amount covered by the duty is less than \$10,000 and that amount together with the amount of the excess does not exceed \$10,000—60 cents for every \$200 or fractional part of \$200 of the amount of the excess ;
 - (ii) if the amount covered by the duty is less than \$10,000 and that amount together with the amount of the excess exceeds \$10,000—
 - (a) on the difference between the amount covered by the duty and \$10,000—60 cents for every \$200 or fractional part of \$200 of such difference ; and
 - (b) on the amount of the excess that exceeds \$10,000—70 cents for every \$200 or fractional part of \$200 thereof ; and
 - (iii) if the amount covered by the duty is \$10,000 or more than \$10,000—70 cents for every \$200 or fractional part of \$200 of the amount of the excess.
- (c) Subsequent mortgage within the meaning of section 137LA of the *Stamps Act 1958*—duty at the rate of 60 cents for every \$200 or fractional part of \$200 where the amount of such payment does not exceed \$10,000 and, where the amount of such payment exceeds \$10,000, \$30 for the first \$10,000 and 70 cents for every \$200 or fractional part of \$200 by which the amount of such payment exceeds \$10,000.
- (d) Statutory declaration under section 137M of the *Stamps Act 1958*—duty under sub-section (2) as if the reference in that sub-section to “ Fifty cents ” were a reference to “ 70 cents ” and the reference to “ Twenty-five cents ” were a reference to “ 35 cents ”.

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

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

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

25. STAMPS BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Stamps Act 1958 ’ and for Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

26. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

27. EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 15th September instant.

28. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

29. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 10 *ante*) ; debate resumed.

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.

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

30. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

31. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday next :—

Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

32. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITIONS—SALE OF ALCOHOLIC DRINKS.—Mrs. Goble and Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) respectively, presented Petitions from certain electors of the State of Victoria praying that legislation be enacted to require the sale of drinks with an alcoholic content to be made only from licensed premises.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table.

3. PAPERS.—Mr. Thompson presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Teaching Service—Report of the Board of Inquiry.

Mr. Balfour presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Proposed extension to State Generating System—Report of the State Electricity Commission.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

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

- Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Brunswick—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
- Education Act 1958—Teaching Service Act 1958—Education Department (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (Amendment No. 24) (S.R. No. 175).
- Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Milk and Dairy Supervision (Milk Depot) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 177).
- National Parks Act 1970—National Parks (Committees of Management) Travelling Allowances Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 176).
- Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 63.
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
City of Ararat Planning Scheme 1953, Amendment No. 10, 1969.
Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Amendment No. 16—Milleara Development Area.

4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL.—
The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 8.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to increase the Aggregate Liability for the Granting of Indemnities under the *Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958*.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 7th September, 1971.

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

5. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 8.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Meagher then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to increase the Aggregate Liability for the Granting of Indemnities under the 'Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958'*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

6. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL.—Mr. Wilkes obtained leave, with Mr. Holding, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *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, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE) BILL.—Mr. Wilkes obtained leave, with Mr. Holding, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. FAMILY COURTS BILL.—Mr. Wilkes obtained leave, with Mr. Holding, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision for the Establishment of certain Magistrates’ Courts as Family Courts for the better Determination of Disputes or Matters affecting Family Life, to vest Family Courts with certain Jurisdiction and Powers, and for Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 21st September instant.
10. FILMS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
11. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 21st September instant.
13. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—
- ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.
- Message No. 9.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to declare the Office of Chief Commissioner of Police to be vacant, to make provision with respect to Appointment of a Chief Commissioner of Police and for other purposes.
- The Governor’s Office,
Melbourne, 7th September, 1971.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
15. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor’s Message No. 9.
- House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
- Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
- And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Scaffolding Act 1971 ’* ”.
17. SCAFFOLDING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rafferty, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 24 and Section 26 of the ‘ Summary Offences Act 1966 ’* ”.

19. SUMMARY OFFENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
20. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Sewerage Districts Act 1958’* ”.
21. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Dunstan, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
22. SUPPLY—OCTOBER TO DECEMBER, 1971.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$185,996,800 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1971–72, viz. :—

Division No.	\$
1. Legislative Council—Expenses of Select Committees	1,000
2. Legislative Assembly—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	63,600
3. Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	55,000
4. Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c... ..	96,700
5. Parliament Library—Salaries and General Expenses	15,400
6. Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses	30,900
7. Governor’s Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	47,400
8. Premier’s Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	172,300
9. State Film Centre—Salaries and General Expenses	43,000
10. Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	226,500
11. Agent-General—Salaries and General Expenses	40,400
12. Public Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	182,700
13. Public Service Board Electronic Data Processing Service Bureau—Salaries and General Expenses	111,600
14. Audit Office—Salaries and General Expenses	159,900
15. Chief Secretary’s Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	162,800
16. Totalizator Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	17,000
17. State Accident Insurance Office—Salaries	157,000
18. State Motor Car Insurance Office—Salaries	201,000
19. Workers Compensation Board—Salaries	22,000
20. Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	428,700
21. Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses	17,150
22. Government Statist—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	147,500
23. Police—Salaries and General Expenses	10,636,000
24. Police Service Board—Salaries and General Expenses	2,250
25. State Library, National Museum and Science Museum Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	83,800
26. State Library—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	263,300
27. National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	47,000
28. Science Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	28,300
29. National Gallery—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	237,000
30. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	251,800
31. Family Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,632,800
32. Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	862,100
33. Prisons—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,201,700
34. Training—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	46,600
35. Probation and Parole—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	135,700
36. Labour and Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	488,000
37. Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	63,700,000
38. Teachers Tribunal—Salaries and General Expenses	20,000
39. Attorney-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	421,300
40. Courts Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,410,100
41. Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles—Salaries and General Expenses	467,900
42. Registrar of Companies—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	125,500
43. Rent Control—Salaries and General Expenses	18,000
44. Public Trustee—Salaries and General Expenses	205,600
45. Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	14,160,000
45A. Advance to Treasurer	5,000,000
45B. Pay-roll Tax—Payments on account of State Departments	4,430,000
46. Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses	72,000
47. State Superannuation Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	117,000
48. Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	57,000

Division No.	\$
49. Taxation Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	252,000
50. Stamp Duties—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	250,000
51. Government Printer—Salaries and General Expenses	969,000
52. Crown Lands Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	706,700
53. Survey—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	447,200
54. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General Expenses	87,800
55. Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,400,000
56. Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	635,000
57. Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	136,600
58. Valuer-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	129,900
59. Weights and Measures—Salaries and General Expenses	72,300
60. Town and Country Planning Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	91,700
61. Mines—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	357,400
62. Explosives—Salaries and General Expenses	44,200
63. Gas Regulation—Salaries	14,200
64. Agriculture Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	500,500
65. Agricultural Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	342,500
66. Agriculture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	464,200
67. Horticulture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	591,500
68. Animal Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	384,500
69. Animal Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	236,500
70. Dairying—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	340,800
71. Extension Services—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	43,500
72. Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	12,961,000
73. General Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,500,000
74. Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	873,000
75. Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,070,000
76. Mental Hygiene—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	8,000,000
77. State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	229,600
78. Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	29,000
79. Industrial Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	51,300
80. Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs—Contribution to Aboriginal Affairs Fund	112,000
81. Ministry of Fuel and Power—Salaries and General Expenses	15,300
82. Railway Construction Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	19,300
83. Ministry of Transport—Salaries and General Expenses	17,000
84. Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,142,000
85. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	3,814,000
86. Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	36,145,000
Total	\$185,996,800

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

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

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

Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1971–72 the sum of \$185,996,800 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of Victoria.

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

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

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

24. SUPPLY (OCTOBER TO DECEMBER) BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of One hundred and eighty-five million nine hundred and ninety-six thousand eight hundred dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

25. **GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
26. **ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 10 *ante*) ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Mitchell*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
27. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
28. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 to 12 inclusive, and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.
29. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at one minute past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL.
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 8TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PAPER.**—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Lillydale Planning Scheme 1958, Amendment No. 17, 1970.
3. **EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL.**—Mr. Reid, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Mr. Hamer, obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Evidence Act 1958 ’, make Provision with respect to Privileges and Immunities in relation to Inquiries by Boards and Commissions and for other Purposes and to amend the ‘ Coal Mines Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. **WILLS (INTERESTED WITNESSES) BILL.**—Mr. Reid, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Mr. Hamer, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to re-enact Section 13 of the ‘ Wills Act 1958 ’ to make Provision in the ‘ Administration and Probate Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Power of the Supreme Court to declare Wills to have been duly executed and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. **POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL.**—Mr. Hamer obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to change the Ranks held by certain Members of the Police Force of Victoria, to amend the ‘ Police Regulation Act 1958 ’ to make Consequential Amendments to other Acts and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. **BUILDING SOCIETIES (SPECIAL ADVANCES) BILL.**—Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to increase the Maximum Amount relating to Special Advances under the ‘ Building Societies Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

7. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Balfour obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ National Parks Act 1970 ’ and for other purposes ”*; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL.—Mr. Wilcox obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to ratify and approve an Agreement relating to certain Lands used for the Purposes of the Flinders Street Railway Station and certain other Lands used for Railway Purposes, and make Other Provision in connexion with the said Agreement ”*; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Wilcox obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958 ’ ”*; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
10. UNORDERED GOODS AND SERVICES BILL.—Mr. Rafferty obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill relating to the Sending of Unordered Goods, the making of Charges for Entries in Directories and the rendering of certain Unrequested Services and for other purposes ”*; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
11. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL.—Mr. Dunstan obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill relating to Policies of Accident Insurance in respect of Members of certain Authorities ”*; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
12. SUMMARY OFFENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Shilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
13. SCAFFOLDING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
14. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
15. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Amos*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
16. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 22nd September instant.
17. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Borthwick*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 7 be postponed until after No. 8.
19. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR’S SPEECH.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 10 *ante*); debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Jona*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

20. SUPPLY—BUDGET.—The House, according to order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
22. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 and 9 to 17 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
23. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 6

TUESDAY, 14TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARE DEALINGS.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to the provisions of the *Companies Act 1961* to investigate and report on the circumstances in which any person acquired or disposed of or became entitled to acquire or dispose of any shares in the Geelong Gas Company during the period 1st February 1971 to 16th April 1971 (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

3. PAPER.—Mr. Reid presented—

Geelong Gas Company Share Dealings—Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to the provisions of the *Companies Act 1961* to investigate and report on the circumstances in which any person acquired or disposed of or became entitled to acquire or dispose of any shares in the Geelong Gas Company during the period 1st February 1971 to 16th April 1971.—Return to the foregoing Order.

Ordered to lie on the table and, after debate, to be printed.

4. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARE DEALINGS REPORT.—Mr. Reid made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the report on certain dealings in shares of the Geelong Gas Company.

Motion made, by leave, and question proposed—That this House take note of the Report of the Inspector appointed to investigate certain dealings in shares of the Geelong Gas Company and the Ministerial Statement made thereon (*Mr. Reid*).

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

5. 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. 87) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 181).

Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 88) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 182).

Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Act 1958—Notice and Statement of proposal to abandon an electric tramway in Brunswick-road, Holden-street, Pilkington-street and Barkly-street in the cities of Brunswick and Fitzroy.

Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Loan No. 19) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 180).

Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 178 of the Police Service Board.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service Board (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 64 and 65 (two papers).

Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act 1958—

Soil Conservation (Group Conservation Areas) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 178).

Soil Conservation (Notices and Appeals) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 179).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Moe Planning Scheme 1966, Amendment No. 28, 1970.

6. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Dunstan, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Water Act 1958' with respect to Water Rights and Drainage Rating and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MERCY PRIVATE HOSPITAL (GUARANTEE) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rafferty, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 10.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to authorize the Treasurer of Victoria to guarantee Repayment of certain Moneys proposed to be borrowed by the Sisters of Mercy Property Association and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 14th September, 1971.

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

8. MERCY PRIVATE HOSPITAL (GUARANTEE) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 10.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Ginifer reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Rafferty then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize the Treasurer of Victoria to guarantee the Repayment of certain Moneys proposed to be borrowed by the Sisters of Mercy Property Association and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

9. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOORABBIN LAND (SPECIAL GRANT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 11.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to provide for the Grant of certain Land in the Parish of Moorabbin to the Corporation of the City of Moorabbin.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 14th September, 1971.

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

10. MOORABBIN LAND (SPECIAL GRANT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 11.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Ginifer reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide for the Grant of certain Land in the Parish of Moorabbin to the Corporation of the City of Moorabbin*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

11. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 28th September instant.

12. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 28th September instant.

13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 3 be postponed until after No. 4.

14. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Shilton*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

15. UNORDERED GOODS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 5th October next.

16. BUILDING SOCIETIES (SPECIAL ADVANCES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 9 inclusive be postponed until after No. 10.

18. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
19. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Evidence Act 1958’ with respect to the Use of Documents as Evidence in Legal Proceedings, and for other purposes*”.
20. EVIDENCE (DOCUMENTS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
21. 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 after No. 11.
22. SUPPLY—BUDGET.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
23. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Two o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
24. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 9 inclusive and 12 to 24 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
25. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at forty-nine minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 7.

WEDNESDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—PRICE AND PROFIT CONTROL.—Mr. Kirkwood presented a Petition from certain electors of Victoria praying that legislation be enacted to control prices and profits.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. 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—Regulation amended—No. 66.
4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Supply (October to December) Bill without amendment.
5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 12.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill relating to the Salaries Allowances and Fees of certain Public Officers and for other purposes.
The Governor’s Office,
Melbourne, 15th September, 1971.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
6. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor’s Message No. 12.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Hamer and Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Hamer then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill relating to the Salaries Allowances and Fees of certain Public Officers, and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

7. ABORIGINAL LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Aboriginal Lands Act 1970', and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
8. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That the "Grievance Day" provisions of Standing Order No. 273C be suspended for to-morrow (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
9. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—Mr. Borthwick obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to revoke the Crown Grant of certain Land and the Permanent Reservations of certain Lands and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. WILLS (INTERESTED WITNESSES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
11. WILLS (INTERESTED WITNESSES) BILL.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the proposals contained in the Wills (Interested Witnesses) Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report (*Mr. Wilcox*)—put and agreed to.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after Nos. 3 to 5 inclusive.
13. EVIDENCE (DOCUMENTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 29th September instant.
14. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Shilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 12th October next.
15. MERCY PRIVATE HOSPITAL (GUARANTEE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
16. ABORIGINAL LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Bornstein*)—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question proposed—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 29th September instant (*Mr. Meagher*)—and, after debate—
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
Motion made and question—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 6th October next (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after No. 6.
18. SUPPLY—BUDGET.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
And having to continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock—

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Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.

19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 28th September instant, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 7 to 28 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday, 28th September instant.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday, 28th September instant:—

Statutory Salaries Bill—Second reading.

And then the House, at thirty-three minutes past Five o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday, 28th September instant.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 8.

TUESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - County Court Act 1958—County Court (Amendment) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 190).
 - Education Act 1958—
 - Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1971, No. 6 (S.R. No. 186).
 - Resumption of land at Mernda—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Fisheries Act 1968—Commercial Fishing Licences (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 205).
 - Hospitals and Charities Act 1958—Hospitals and Charities (Personal Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 202).
 - Hospitals Superannuation Act 1965—Hospitals Superannuation (Board) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 201).
 - Housing Act 1958—Housing (Parking of Vehicles) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 183).
 - Land Act 1958—Land Act (Survey Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 184).
 - Land Conservation Council—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Mental Health Act 1959—
 - Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 7) (S.R. No. 188).
 - Mental Health (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 203).
 - Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board (Contributions) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 204).
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Signal Lamps—Use for Warning) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 195).
 - National Parks Act 1970—National Parks (Fees, Tolls and Charges) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 185).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 67 to 73 inclusive (seven papers).
 - Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—
 - Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 6) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 194).
 - Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 7) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 193).
 - Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 8) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 196).
 - Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 9) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 192).
 - Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 10) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 197).
 - Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 11) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 198).
 - Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 12) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 199).
 - State Savings Bank—Reports, statements, returns, &c., for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Taxation—Analysis of Operations—Land Tax for the Assessment year 1970 and Probate Duty for the year 1970–71.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment No. 25, 1969.
 - Transport Regulation Act 1958—Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958—Transport Consolidated (Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 200).
 - Workers Compensation Act 1958—Workers Compensation (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 191).
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 13)—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 21st September instant, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Supply (October to December) Bill.
4. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

5. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 12th October next.
6. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
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 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.
8. GIFT DUTY BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

9. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—GIFT DUTY BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 14.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to provide for the Imposition, Assessment and Collection of a Duty on certain Gifts, to amend the *Stamps Act 1958* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 15th September, 1971.

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

10. GIFT DUTY BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 14.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 8.
12. STAMPS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Broad	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Thompson
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
(<i>Rodney</i>)	
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Loxton
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. MacDonald
Mr. Rafferty	(<i>Glen Iris</i>)

Noes, 18.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Clarey
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Doube

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

13. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Police Regulation (Chief Commissioner) Bill.
Groundwater (Amendment) Bill.
14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
15. PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958’* ”.
17. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Dunstan, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
18. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Two o’clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, and 9 to 35 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
20. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at twenty-nine minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 9.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—GOORNONG POLICE STATION.—Mr. Trethewey presented a Petition from certain residents within the Goornong Police District praying that the House take such action as it may to ensure the continued operation of the police station at Goornong.
Ordered to lie on the table.
3. EAST AUSTRALIAN INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED AND M.B.A. (CREDITS) PTY. LTD.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the report of the inspector appointed pursuant to the provisions of the *Companies Act 1961* to investigate and report the affairs of East Australian Insurance Company Limited and M.B.A. (Credits) Pty. Ltd. (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
4. PAPER.—Mr. Reid presented—
East Australian Insurance Company Limited and M.B.A. (Credits) Pty. Ltd.—Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to the provisions of the *Companies Act 1961* to investigate and report the affairs of East Australian Insurance Company Limited and M.B.A. (Credits) Pty. Ltd.—Return to the foregoing Order.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

5. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Moe Planning Scheme 1966, Amendment No. 27, 1970.
6. SUNDAY ENTERTAINMENT (CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS) BILL.—Mr. Hamer obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 5 of the ‘ Sunday Entertainment Act 1967 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Landlord and Tenant Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to incorporate the Lutheran Church of Australia Victorian District and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.—Mr. Rossiter obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to increase certain Fees and Penalties in the ‘ Health Act 1958 ’, the ‘ Cemeteries Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Clean Air Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. WANT OF CONFIDENCE IN THE MINISTER OF HEALTH.—Motion made and question—That the Minister of Health no longer possesses the confidence of this House (*Mr. Lind*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood

Noes, 45.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Broad	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
(<i>Rodney</i>)	
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Smith
Mr. Mitchell	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Rafferty	

And so it passed in the negative.

11. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, Government Business, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
- And then the House, at twenty-seven minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

THURSDAY, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Lillydale Planning Scheme, 1958, Amendment No. 16, 1970.
3. DENTISTS BILL.—Mr. Rossiter obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to re-enact and amend the Law relating to Dentists and the Practice of Dentistry and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. SUNDAY ENTERTAINMENT (CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
5. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 14th October next.
6. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Shilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
7. PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Further considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
8. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 36 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
10. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 11.

TUESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. RESIGNATION OF SEAT.—Mr. Speaker announced that on Monday, 4th October instant, he had received the following letter :—

Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne,
4th October, 1971.

The Hon. Vernon Christie, M.P.,
Speaker,
Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne 3002.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

It is with some regret that I wish to advise you of my resignation as Member for Gisborne in the Legislative Assembly.

I have arrived at this decision only after a great deal of thought over a considerable period of time. I have felt under an obligation to review my future and, as a result, I have decided upon this course of action.

It has been a privilege to represent the District of Gisborne, which has returned me on two occasions to serve in this Chamber. I have been proud to have been a Member of the Victorian Parliament and I desire to convey to you, Sir, to the Clerks of the House and to the other officers and employees of the House my sincere gratitude for the courtesies extended over the period of the last four and a half years.

I wish the Members of the House well and, in particular, I pray for the success of the forthcoming review of the Constitution so far as it affects the responsibilities and position of the Parliament of Victoria.

Yours faithfully,

JULIAN J. DOYLE,
Member for Gisborne.

3. 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 Machining Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971
(S.R. No. 209).

Apprenticeship (Cooking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 210).

Dairy Products Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 30th June, 1971.

Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Melton and Watsonia—Certificates of the Minister of Education (two papers).

Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958—Geelong Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations (Amendment No. 1/71) (S.R. No. 215).

Grain Elevators Board—Report and statement of accounts for the year ended 31st October, 1970.

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Council of Legal Education—Rules amended (S.R. No. 212).

Liquor Control Act 1968—Liquor Control (King River Canteen) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 207).

National Museum of Victoria Council—Report for the year 1970–71.

Police Regulation Act 1958—

Police (Authorized Strength No. 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 211).

Police (Wearing of Medals) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 208).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 74.

Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Freeways) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 187).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Morwell Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 37, 1970.

Water Act 1958—Water (Lake Eildon Recreational Area) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 213).

Wild Flowers and Native Plants Protection Act 1958—Wild Flowers and Native Plants Protection Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 214).

Zoological Gardens Act 1967—Zoological Gardens Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 206).

4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 15)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Police Regulation (Chief Commissioner) Bill.
Groundwater (Amendment) Bill.

5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 16.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to authorize the granting of Leases of certain Land in the City of Essendon permanently reserved as a Site for Public Recreation, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 5th October, 1971.

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

6. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 16.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize the Granting of Leases of certain Land in the City of Essendon permanently reserved as a Site for Public Recreation, and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 17.

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

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 5th October, 1971.

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

8. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 17.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Balfour then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend Part III. of the 'Coal Mines Act 1958'*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

9. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 19th October instant.

10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after Nos. 3 to 16 inclusive.

11. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 19th October instant.
12. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Dundas*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 19th October instant.
13. PAY-ROLL TAX BILL—DECLARATION OF BILL AS URGENT—LIMITATION OF DEBATE.—Mr. Reid declared that the Pay-roll Tax Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill. Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Reid	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 26.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Clarey	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Evans	Mr. Shilton
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Holding	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
(<i>Dundas</i>)	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Broad
Mr. Lind	Mr. Fell

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Motion made and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—

(a) For the remainder of the Committee stage of the Bill, until 8.30 p.m. this day.

(b) For the remaining stages of the Bill, until 9 p.m. this day.

—(*Mr. Reid*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Reid	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 26.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Clarey	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Evans	Mr. Shilton
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Holding	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
(<i>Dundas</i>)	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Broad
Mr. Lind	Mr. Fell

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

14. PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to.

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a third time (*Mr. Hamer*)—and, after debate—

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the remaining stages of the Bill having expired—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 45.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Bolte	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Crellin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner	(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers</i>
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Fell
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting		
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. Reese	Mr. McCabe		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read the third time.

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

15. FILMS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

16. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—FILMS BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 18.

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

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1971.

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

17. FILMS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 18.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Trewin reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 7 to 28 inclusive be postponed until after No. 29.

19. WAYS AND MEANS—FILM FEES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Trewin reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the Films Bill proposed to be enacted there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors the fees set forth hereunder, namely:—

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Such fee not exceeding \$20 per annum as is prescribed by the Governor in Council to be paid by persons registered under Part I. of the Bill who carry on the business of exhibiting pictures in any theatre.	
Such fee not exceeding \$50 per annum as is prescribed by the Governor in Council to be paid by persons registered under Part I. of the Bill who carry on the business of selling or leasing films for the exhibition of pictures therefrom in any theatre.	
Such fee not exceeding \$20 as is prescribed by the Governor in Council to be paid by persons registered under Part I. of the Bill who act as producers of films.	
For every reel of film or part thereof submitted for the approval of the censor or on the submission of any film already approved to the censor for his approval of any alteration thereof or addition thereto	2.00
For any sample copy of any poster photograph sketch programme slide picture advertisement or written or printed matter in the nature of an advertisement already approved by the censor, submitted for approval of any alteration thereof or addition thereto	4.00
For any appeal to the appeal censor—	
(a) in respect of film submitted—	
for every reel of film or part thereof (with a minimum fee of \$10 for any one film)	4.00
(b) in respect of any sample copy of any poster photograph sketch slide programme or advertisement or written or printed matter—	
for every such sample copy (with a minimum fee of \$5 in respect of any sample copy or copies relating to any one film)	2.00

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

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

20. FILMS BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

21. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Whiting*)—put and agreed to.

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

22. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

23. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 8 to 28 inclusive and 30 to 37 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until tomorrow :—

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

24. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 12.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER, 1971.

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

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

Anti-Cancer Council of Victoria—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Morwell Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 36, 1970.

Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965—

Report for the year 1970.—Ordered to be printed.

Statutes approved by the Governor in Council during the year 1970.

3. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question proposed—That the "Grievance Day" provisions of Standing Order No. 273C be suspended for to-morrow (*Mr. Hamer*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

4. COMPANIES BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Disclosure of Substantial Shareholdings in Companies, to re-enact Provisions of the 'Companies Act 1961' relating to Accounts and Audit, and to Take-over Offers, to amend the 'Companies Act 1961' and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

5. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Instruments Act 1958' and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

6. WANT OF CONFIDENCE IN THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.—Motion made and question proposed—That the Minister of Education no longer possesses the confidence of the House (*Mr. Doube*)—and, after debate—

Motion made and question—That the question be now put (*Mr. Reid*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 36.		Noes, 24.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Evans	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood	
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lewis	Mr. MacDonald
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler	(<i>Portland</i>)	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. McCabe			
Mr. MacDonald	<i>Tellers.</i>		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Smith		
Mr. McLaren	(<i>Bellarine</i>)		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Manson	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		
Mr. Meagher			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Original question—accordingly put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 21.		Noes, 40.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Meagher
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Billing	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reese
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton	Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Reid
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Crellin	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Kirkwood		Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Fell	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Portland</i>)		(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. MacDonald	
		(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	
		Mr. MacDonald	<i>Tellers.</i>
		(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Smith
		Mr. McLaren	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
		Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Manson	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

7. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the "Grievance Day" provisions of Standing Order No. 273C be suspended for to-morrow.
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
8. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
10. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Pay-roll Tax Bill without amendment.
12. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
13. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wheeler*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
14. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 35 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
16. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at six minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 13.

THURSDAY, 7TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARE DEALINGS AND THE HONORABLE VERNON THOMAS HAUSER, M.L.C.—
Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the opinion of the Solicitor-General on matters relating to the Honorable Vernon Thomas Hauser, M.L.C., with respect to the report of the Inspector on Dealings in Shares of the Geelong Gas Company (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.
3. PAPER.—Mr. Reid presented—
Geelong Gas Company Share Dealings and the Honorable Vernon Thomas Hauser, M.L.C.—Solicitor-General's Opinion.—Return to the foregoing order.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Dried Fruits Act 1958—Statement of accounts of the Victorian Dried Fruits Board for the year 1970.
Public Service Board Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 75 to 79 inclusive (five papers).
5. SUPPLY—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and negatived.
Ordered—That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.
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. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 19.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958*.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 7th September, 1971.

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

9. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 19.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment.

Motion made and question—That this Bill be now read a third time (*Mr. Hamer*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Whiting
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith
Mr. Reese	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 21.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read the third time.

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

10. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 4 to 35 inclusive, and Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

12. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 14.

TUESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Co-operation Act 1958—Co-operative Societies (General) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 216).
 - Friendly Societies—Report of the Registrar for the period 1st July, 1967 to 30th June, 1970.
 - Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust—Statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 80 to 83 inclusive (four papers).
 - Science Museum of Victoria—Report for the year 1970–71.
 - Survey Co-ordination Act 1958—Report of national mapping in Victoria and the administration of the Survey Co-ordination Act 1958 for the year 1970–71.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment No. 15, 1970.
 - Town and Country Planning Board—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
3. MESSAGE FROM THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, AS DEPUTY FOR THE GOVERNOR (No. 20)—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 8th October instant, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Pay-roll Tax Bill.
4. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Manson be appointed a member of the Statute Law Revision Committee (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
5. COMPANIES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 26th October instant.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until to-morrow.
7. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
 - Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
 - Motion made, by leave, and question proposed—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
 - Amendment proposed—That after the words “be dispensed with” there be inserted the expression “, except those relating to the payment of fees,” (*Mr. Trezise*)—and, after debate—
 - Question—That the expression proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.
 - The House divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Bornstein	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Ross-Edwards
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Ginfifer	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilkes
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Portland</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lind	Mr. Broad
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Fell

Noes, 33.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Smith
Mr. Billing	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Smith
Mr. Evans	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Stephen
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Hayes	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Jona	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Loxton	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Taylor
Mr. MacDonald	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Templeton
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Reid	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Scanlan	

And so it passed in the negative.

Original question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 33.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Smith	Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Billing	(Bellarine)	Mr. Bornstein	(Rodney)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Evans	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mutton
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Evans	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Stokes	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Hayes	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Jona	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Loxton	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. MacDonald	(Gippsland South)	(Dundas)	Mr. Wilton
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Thompson	(Portland)	Tellers.
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lind	Mr. Broad
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Fell
Mr. Meagher			
Mr. Rafferty			
Mr. Reese	Tellers.		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Crellin		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered and amendments agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.

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

8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—

E. F. HERRING,

Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 21.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of the Constitution Act, the Lieutenant-Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to State Forests.

The Governor's office,
Melbourne, 12th October, 1971.

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

9. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor's Message, No. 21.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Meagher then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to State Forests*" ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

10. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—NEWHAVEN LAND BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

E. F. HERRING,

Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 22.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of the Constitution Act, the Lieutenant-Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to authorize the Granting of Leases of certain Land in the Township of Newhaven, Parish of Phillip Island.

The Governor's office,
Melbourne, 12th October, 1971.

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

11. NEWHAVEN LAND BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor's Message, No. 22.

House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize the Granting of Leases of certain Land in the Township of Newhaven, Parish of Phillip Island*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 25 inclusive be postponed until after No. 26.

13. WAYS AND MEANS—LAND TAX RATES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That subject to the *Land Tax Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Land Tax Bill there shall in the case of each owner of land be charged levied collected and paid for the use of Her Majesty for the year commencing on the 1st day of January, 1972 and ending on the 31st day of December, 1972 the duty of land tax upon land as provided in the Table appended hereto :

Provided that the minimum amount of tax payable for the said year by any taxpayer assessed under the *Land Tax Act 1958* as so proposed to be amended shall be \$1.

TABLE.

Where the Amount of the Taxable Value of Land or Lands as Assessed under the <i>Land Tax Act 1958</i> :—	The Duty of Land Tax shall be :—
Does not exceed \$17,500	0.42 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value
Exceeds \$17,500 but does not exceed \$20,000 ..	\$73.50 plus 0.62 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$17,500
Exceeds \$20,000 but does not exceed \$25,000 ..	\$89.00 plus 0.83 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$20,000
Exceeds \$25,000 but does not exceed \$30,000 ..	\$130.50 plus 1.05 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$25,000
Exceeds \$30,000 but does not exceed \$40,000 ..	\$183.00 plus 1.10 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$30,000
Exceeds \$40,000 but does not exceed \$50,000 ..	\$293.00 plus 1.14 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$40,000
Exceeds \$50,000 but does not exceed \$60,000 ..	\$407.00 plus 1.38 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$50,000
Exceeds \$60,000 but does not exceed \$70,000 ..	\$545.00 plus 1.60 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$60,000
Exceeds \$70,000 but does not exceed \$80,000 ..	\$705.00 plus 1.72 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$70,000
Exceeds \$80,000 but does not exceed \$90,000 ..	\$877.00 plus 1.83 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$80,000
Exceeds \$90,000 but does not exceed \$100,000 ..	\$1,060.00 plus 2.06 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$90,000
Exceeds \$100,000 but does not exceed \$110,000 ..	\$1,266.00 plus 2.18 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$100,000
Exceeds \$110,000 but does not exceed \$120,000 ..	\$1,484.00 plus 2.29 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$110,000
Exceeds \$120,000 but does not exceed \$130,000 ..	\$1,713.00 plus 2.52 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$120,000
Exceeds \$130,000 but does not exceed \$140,000 ..	\$1,965.00 plus 2.75 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$130,000
Exceeds \$140,000 but does not exceed \$150,000 ..	\$2,240.00 plus 2.86 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$140,000
Exceeds \$150,000 but does not exceed \$160,000 ..	\$2,526.00 plus 2.98 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$150,000
Exceeds \$160,000 but does not exceed \$170,000 ..	\$2,824.00 plus 3.09 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$160,000
Exceeds \$170,000	\$3,133.00 plus 3.21 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$170,000

Where the owner of land not being land used for industrial purposes is an absentee the duty of land tax provided in the foregoing provisions of the Table shall be increased by twenty per centum and for purposes of this Table—

- (a) "Absentee" means a person who does not reside in Australia and includes a person who has been absent from Australia for at least twelve months immediately prior to the time when the ownership of his land for the purposes of the Principal Act is determined unless he satisfied the Commissioner that he resides in Australia, but does not include a public officer of the Commonwealth or the State who is absent in the performance of his duties ;

- (b) If at least three-fifths of the entire beneficial interest in any land is owned by absentees or if (where the land is owned by a body corporate) at least three-fifths of the issued share capital of that body corporate is held by absentees, that land shall be deemed to be wholly owned by absentees.

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

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

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

14. LAND TAX BILL.—Mr. Rafferty then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to declare the Rates of Land Tax for the Year ending on the 31st Day of December, 1972, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
 15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 10 of the ‘ Chiropodists Act 1968 ’* ”.
 16. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Dunstan, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
 17. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Agricultural Colleges Act 1958 ’* ”.
 18. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
 19. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Latrobe Valley Act 1958 ’* ”.
 20. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Dunstan, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
 21. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 3 of and the First Schedule to the ‘ Hire-Purchase Act 1959 ’* ”.
 22. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
 23. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Moonee Ponds (Queens Park) Land Bill.
Commonwealth Places (Administration of Laws) Bill.
Stamps Bill.
 24. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o’clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
 25. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 25 inclusive, and 27 to 36 inclusive, and Orders of the Day, General Business be postponed until to-morrow.
 26. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at thirty-eight minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 15.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Ringwood East—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
Liquor Control Commission—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.

3. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Bornstein rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, "The failure of the Minister for Social Welfare to involve municipalities and local communities in the establishment of effective criteria for co-ordinated regional development in his Department."

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion—
Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Bornstein*)—after debate, put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 19.		Noes, 46.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise	Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Fordham		Mr. Burgin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Ginifer		Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Holding		Mr. Dunstan	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Lewis		Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell	Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Hamer	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
		(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
		(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. McLaren	
		Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Manson	Mr. Crellin
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Mitchell	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

4. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL.—Mr. Hamer obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Division 2. of Part VI. of the 'Motor Car Act 1958' with respect to Preliminary Breath Tests and Breath Tests"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 27th October instant.
6. NEWHAVEN LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 27th October instant.
7. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 27th October instant.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Motion made and question proposed—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until to-morrow (*Mr. Reid*)—and, after debate—
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
9. LAND TAX BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
10. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

11. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Dundas*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
12. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Amos*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
13. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fell*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
14. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
15. MERCY PRIVATE HOSPITAL (GUARANTEE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Rafferty*)—put and agreed to.
Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
16. BUILDING SOCIETIES (SPECIAL ADVANCES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
17. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.

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

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- Bill reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
19. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1958’, and for other purposes*”.
20. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time at the next sitting of the House.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day at Ten o’clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
22. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 14 to 43 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
23. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at ten minutes past Twelve o’clock in the morning, adjourned until Ten o’clock this day.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

THURSDAY, 14TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958’ and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
3. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
4. SUNDAY ENTERTAINMENT (CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
5. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time, after debate.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
6. JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
7. MAGISTRATES’ COURTS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
8. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
9. EXHIBITION (BORROWING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
10. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o’clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 to 33 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
13. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at twenty-seven minutes past Four o’clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 17.

TUESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
 2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 86) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 219).
 - Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Exemption No. 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 217).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—The Oats Marketing Board (Exemption) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 218).
 - Pay-roll Tax Act 1971—Pay-roll Tax Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 221).
 - Poisons Act 1962—Drugs of Addiction and Restricted Substances Regulations 1971 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 223).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 84–86 (three papers).
 - Supreme Court Act 1958—
 - Solicitors' Remuneration Order 1971 (S.R. No. 220).
 - Supreme Court (Costs) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 222).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Borough of Kyabram Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 7, 1971.
 - Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 27, 1971 (Shire of South Barwon).
 - Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Amendment No. 22.
 - Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment No. 13, 1968.
 3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 23)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Moonee Ponds (Queens Park) Land Bill.
 - Commonwealth Places (Administration of Laws) Bill.
 - Stamps Bill.
 4. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Amos rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, "the failure of the Minister for State Development to provide such assistance under the *State Development Act 1970* as would enable certain country industries to remain in operation."
- Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion—
Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Amos*)—after debate, put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Bornstein	(Rodney)
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Holding	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	
(Portland)	
Mr. Lind	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Shilton

Tellers.

Noes, 37.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(Bellarine)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Reese	Tellers.
Mr. Reid	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. McCabe

And so it passed in the negative.

5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 24.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill relating to the Remuneration of Judges of the Supreme Court, County Court and Lands Tribunal.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 19th October, 1971.

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

6. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 24.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill relating to the Remuneration of Judges of the Supreme Court, County Court and Lands Tribunal*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—CONSTITUTION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

E. F. HERRING,
Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 25.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act the Lieutenant-Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to re-enact the Law relating to the Constitution of the State of Victoria and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 14th October, 1971.

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

8. CONSTITUTION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor's Message, No. 25.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to re-enact the Law relating to the Constitution of the State of Victoria and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

9. LIBRARY COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Hayes be appointed a member of the Library Committee (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

10. BROTHERHOOD OF ST. LAURENCE (INCORPORATION) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to dissolve St. Laurence Trust Proprietary Limited and St. Laurence Industries Pty. Limited, to establish a Body Corporate to be called the Brotherhood of St. Laurence, to vest certain Properties in such Body Corporate, and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

11. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Sir Henry Bolte, obtained leave, with Mr. Dunstan, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Labour and Industry Act 1958' in relation to Shop Trading Hours, and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

12. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 2nd November next.

13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Mercy Private Hospital (Guarantee) Bill without amendment.
14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to make Provision with respect to Conditions in certain Crown Grants and to amend the ‘ Closer Settlement Act 1938 ’ and for other purposes* ”.
15. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
16. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 2nd November next.
17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 12 inclusive be postponed until after No. 13.
18. DENTISTS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 2nd November next.
19. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Deputy-Speaker announced that Mr. Speaker had ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Borthwick*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
21. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
22. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to make Provision for and with respect to the Protection of Witnesses before the Public Works Committee and the State Development Committee, to amend the ‘ Public Works Committee Act 1958 ’, and the ‘ State Development Committee Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ”.
23. PUBLIC WORKS AND STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
24. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Sections 5 and 56 of the ‘ Poisons Act 1962 ’* ”.
25. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rossiter, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
26. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Films Bill with an amendment.
Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
27. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Two o’clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
28. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, 7 to 12 inclusive, and 14 to 29 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
29. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at forty-eight minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. BEES BILL.—Mr. Borthwick obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to regulate the Keeping of Bees, to prevent the Spread of Disease amongst Bees and for other purposes* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
3. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL.—Mr. Hamer obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to increase Penalties for certain Traffic Infringements* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Labour and Industry Act 1958 ’* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Wilcox, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Mr. Meagher, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Railways Act 1958 ’* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. ANTI-CANCER COUNCIL REPORT.—Motion made and question proposed—That this House take note of the Report of the ANTI-CANCER Council of Victoria for year ended 30th June, 1971 (*Mr. Lind*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Rossiter*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 43.	Noes, 19.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Amos
Mr. Billing	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Doube
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Broad	Mr. Floyd
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Holding
Mr. Evans	Mr. Lewis
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Dundas</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Lind
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Shilton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trezise
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilkes
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wilton
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	
Mr. Rafferty	
Mr. Reese	
	Tellers
	Mr. Fell
	Mr. Kirkwood

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

7. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

8. CONSTITUTION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 10th November next.

9. BROTHERHOOD OF ST. LAURENCE (INCORPORATION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Bornstein*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 10th November next.

10. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question proposed—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next (*Mr. Rafferty*)—and, after debate—

Motion made and question—That the question be now put (*Mr. Reid*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Manson
Mr. Billing	Mr. Meagher
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rafferty
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Reid
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McCabe	
Mr. MacDonald	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Crellin
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Smith
Mr. Maclellan	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 23.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Broad	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Shilton
(<i>Portland</i>)	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next—accordingly put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Manson
Mr. Billing	Mr. Meagher
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rafferty
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Reid
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McCabe	
Mr. MacDonald	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Crellin
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Smith
Mr. Maclellan	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 23.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Broad	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Shilton
(<i>Portland</i>)	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

11. VACANCIES IN MEMBERSHIP OF THE COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received the following communication :—

MINISTER OF EDUCATION
Treasury Place
Melbourne, Vic. 3002
19th October, 1971.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Section 7 of the Monash University Act 1958 provides that three members of the Council of the University 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.

The term of office of the Members appointed pursuant to this provision—The Honorable Raymond William Garrett, A.F.C., A.E.A., M.L.C., The Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., and Robert Clive Fordham, M.P.—expires on the 11th December, 1971 and I should be grateful if you could arrange a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to recommend three members for appointment to the University Council for the four-year term from the 12th December, 1971.

I have addressed a similar letter to the President of the Legislative Council.

Yours truly,

L. H. S. THOMPSON,
Minister of Education.

The Hon. Vernon Christie, M.P.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne, 3002.

12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—VACANCIES IN MEMBERSHIP OF THE COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY.—Acquainting the Assembly that they have agreed to the following resolution :—

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 Monash University.

and requesting the Assembly to name the place and time of such meeting.

Ordered—That the Message be taken into consideration to-morrow.

13. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 26.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to authorize the Granting of a Lease of certain Land at Buninyong permanently reserved as a Site for Public Recreation, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th October, 1971.

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

14. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 26.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize the Granting of a Lease of certain Land at Buninyong permanently reserved as a Site for Public Recreation, and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

15. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 27.

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

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th October, 1971.

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

16. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 27.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the Grain Elevators Act 1958, and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time tomorrow.

17. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Portland*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 3rd November next.

18. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Kirkwood*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

19. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

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

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

21. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.

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

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

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

22. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Daylight Saving Bill.

Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill.

23. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at Ten o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

24. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 to 37 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.

25. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at twenty minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Ten o'clock this day.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

THURSDAY, 21ST OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to a direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Proclamation declaring that oats shall become the property of the Oats Marketing Board.
3. PARLIAMENTARY OFFICERS BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to the Officers of the Parliament of Victoria and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until later this day.
5. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 4th November next.
6. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 4th November next.
7. VACANCIES IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY—MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Message having been read—
Motion made and question—That this House meet the Legislative 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 Monash University, and, as requested by the Legislative Council to name the place and time of such meeting, name the Legislative Assembly Chamber on Tuesday next at a quarter-past six o'clock (*Mr. Thompson*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Legislative Council acquainting them accordingly.
8. FILMS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
Clause 3, page 3, line 12, omit “ threatre ” and insert “ theatre ”.
And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
9. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Deputy-Speaker announced that Mr. Speaker had ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
10. LAND TAX BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Amendment proposed—That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ this Bill be withdrawn and a new Bill introduced declaring the rates of land tax payable by owners of land within the Port Phillip Area as defined in the *Electoral Provinces and Districts Act 1965* and exempting owners of other land from the payment of land tax.” (*Mr. Ross-Edwards*)—and, after debate—
Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 52.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Meagher
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reese
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doube	(Bellarine)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Smith
Mr. Edmunds	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Fordham	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Templeton
(Dundas)	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Trethewey
(Portland)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Lind	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. MacDonald	
(Glen Iris)	Tellers.
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Manson	Mr. Fell

Noes, 7.

Mr. Evans	
(Gippsland East)	
Mr. Mitchell	Tellers.
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Broad
Mr. Trewin	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Whiting	(Rodney)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a third time (*Mr. Rafferty*).

Amendment proposed—That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting “ this Bill be withdrawn and a new Bill introduced with a view to declaring the rates of land tax payable by owners of land within the Port Phillip Area as defined in the *Electoral Provinces and Districts Act 1965* and exempting owners of other land from the payment of land tax—(a) where such land is used or is incidental to the use of that land by an approved decentralized industry ; (b) where such land is used for the purpose of primary production, by a primary producer whose principal or sole source of income (not being less than 80 per cent.) is derived from primary production.” (*Mr. Shilton*)—and, after debate—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith
Mr. Birrell	(Bellarine)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Rafferty	Tellers.
Mr. Reese	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 26.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Simmonds
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Portland)	Mr. Amos
Mr. Lind	Mr. Fell

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read the third time.

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

11. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next at half-past Two o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 36 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday next :—

Bees Bill—Second reading.

13. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 20.

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Co-operative Housing Societies—Report of the Registrar for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Co-operative Societies—Report of the Registrar for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Meetings and Expenses of Members Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 228).
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Glen Waverley—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Health Act 1958—Night-soil and Sewage (Contamination of Land) Amendment Regulations 1971 No. 2 (S.R. No. 224).
 - Liquor Control Act 1968—Liquor Control (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 227).
 - Melbourne University—Report of the Council for the year 1970 ; together with statutes, regulations, and amendments, allowed by His Excellency the Governor of Victoria during 1970.
 - Motor Car Act 1958—
 - Motor Car (Transfer and Roadworthiness Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 230).
 - Motor Car (Transfer and Roadworthiness Amendment No. 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 226).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 87.
 - Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 13) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 229).
 - Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958—Vermin and Noxious Weeds Destruction Board (Appointed Members' Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 225).
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 28)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Mercy Private Hospital (Guarantee) Bill.
 - Daylight Saving Bill.
 - Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Bill.
 - Films Bill.

4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 29.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to make provision with respect to the surrender to Her Majesty of certain land in the Township of Yarragon and the grant to the corporation of the Shire of Narracan of certain other land in that Township.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 26th October, 1971.

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

5. YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 29.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee has agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Surrender to Her Majesty of certain Land in the Township of Yarragon and the Grant to the Corporation of the Shire of Narracan of certain Other Land in that Township*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Dunstan, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 30.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other purposes relating to Irrigation Water Supply Drainage Sewerage Flood Protection and River Improvement, and other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 26th October, 1971.

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

7. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 30.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

Ordered—That Mr. Dunstan and Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Dunstan then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to Irrigation Water Supply Drainage Sewerage Flood Protection and River Improvement, and other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Thompson, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 31.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to amend sub-section (5) of Section 2 of the *Educational Grants Act* 1967 and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 26th October, 1971.

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

9. EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 31.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Thompson and Mr. Rafferty do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Thompson then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend sub-section (5) of Section 2 of the 'Educational Grants Act 1967' and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rafferty, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 32.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to authorize Expenditure on Public Works and Services and for other purposes.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 26th October, 1971.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
11. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 32.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Rafferty and Mr. Balfour do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Rafferty then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill to authorize Expenditure on Public Works and Services and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
12. PARLIAMENTARY OFFICERS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 9th November next.
13. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 9th November next.
14. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 9th November next.
15. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
16. LANDS TRIBUNAL BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

17. LANDS TRIBUNAL BILL.—Motion made, by leave, and question proposed—That the proposals contained in the Lands Tribunal Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report (*Mr. Holding*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
18. COMPANIES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 20 inclusive be postponed until after No. 21.
20. WAYS AND MEANS—COMPANIES FEES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *Companies Act 1961* as proposed to be amended by the Companies Bill there shall be paid to and for the use of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors the following fees, namely :—

	\$	c
(a) for registration of a company whose nominal share capital does not exceed \$10,000	100.	00
(b) for registration of a company whose nominal share capital exceeds \$10,000 the above fee of \$100 with the following additional fees regulated according to the amount of share capital (that is to say)—		
For every \$1,000 of nominal share capital, or part of \$1,000, after the first \$10,000 up to \$200,000	2.	00
For every \$1,000 of nominal share capital, or part of \$1,000, after the first \$200,000, up to \$1,000,000	1.	00
For every \$1,000 of nominal share capital or part of \$1,000, after the first \$1,000,000	0.	50
(c) on lodging notice of increase of share capital—an amount equal to the difference (if any) between the amount which would have been payable under the <i>Companies Act 1961</i> on first registration by reference to its capital as increased and the amount which would have been payable under that Act by reference to its capital immediately before the increase but in the case of a company registered before 15th November, 1956, with a share capital of less than \$10,000 the fee shall be \$15 per \$1,000 or any fractional part of \$1,000 for any increase up to \$10,000 and thereafter an amount calculated as aforesaid.		
(d) for registration of a foreign company the share capital of which consists wholly or partly of shares having no fixed nominal value, one half of the fee that would be payable if those shares had a nominal value being—		
(i) in the case of shares for which a maximum issue price is fixed by the instrument constituting or defining the constitution of the company—the maximum issue price ; and		
(ii) in any other case—\$1.		
(e) on lodging by a foreign company the share capital of which consists wholly or partly of shares having no fixed nominal value, of notice of increase of share capital—one half of the fee that would be payable if those shares had a nominal value calculated in accordance with the preceding paragraph.		
(f) for registering any charge created by a corporation	10.	00
(g) for registering particulars of a series of debentures	10.	00
(h) for registering particulars of each series of debentures where more than one issue in the series	5.	00
(i) on lodging under section 78 of the <i>Companies Act 1961</i> any deed or copy of a deed	50.	00
(j) on lodging any statement in lieu of prospectus, or any deed (or copy of a deed) under section 78 of the <i>Companies Act 1961</i> amending a deed lodged under that section	20.	00
(k) on lodging, in relation to a corporation that is a foreign company incorporated or to be incorporated in another State or Territory of the Commonwealth, any prospectus, or statement under section 82 of the <i>Companies Act 1961</i> being a prospectus or statement registered or acceptable for registration in that other State or Territory	20.	00
(l) on lodging any prospectus or statement under section 82 of the <i>Companies Act 1961</i> , other than a prospectus or statement referred to in the preceding paragraph	50.	00

	\$	c
(m) for lodging an application under section 162C of the <i>Companies Act</i> 1961 ..	25.00	
(n) for entry in the register of charges of any memorandum of satisfaction ..	5.00	
(o) on lodging any Annual Return of a Corporation	12.00	
(p) on lodging any balance sheet of a foreign company	12.00	
(q) on lodging, registering, depositing or filing any other document with or by the Registrar under any Act (where the fee is not specified in any relevant Act or regulation)	4.00	

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

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

21. COMPANIES BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
22. VACANCIES IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY.—Mr. Deputy-Speaker announced that the time had arrived for the House to meet with the Legislative Council in the Legislative Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University. Accordingly Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair at twelve minutes past Six o'clock, and Mr. Speaker resumed it at five minutes past Eight o'clock.
23. VACANCIES IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY.—Mr. Speaker reported that the House had, that day, met with the Legislative Council in the Legislative 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 Monash University and that the Honorable Graham John Nicol, M.L.C., Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., and the Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., had been duly chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council.
24. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
25. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
26. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Lotteries Gaming and Betting (Pre-Post Betting) Bill.
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Amendment) Bill.
27. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Returning the Statutory Salaries Bill and, on consideration of the Bill in Committee, suggesting an amendment.
And the said suggested amendment was read and is as follows :—
Insert the following new clause to follow clause 8 :—
' A. In sub-section (3) of section 8 of the *Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act* 1958 for the words " salary as is " there shall be substituted the words " salary and allowances as are ".'
On the motion of Sir Henry Bolte—Suggested amendment made.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them accordingly.
28. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
29. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 to 20 inclusive and 22 to 32 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.—Mr. Holding presented a Petition from certain citizens of the Ballarat District and other districts of the State of Victoria praying that the House take action as it may to reject the proposals contained in the Labour and Industry (Shop Trading Hours) Bill.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PETITION—STAFFING OF DOVETON HIGH SCHOOL.—Mr. Lind presented a Petition from parents of certain pupils at Doveton high school praying that the House take such action as it may to ensure the appointment of a sufficient number of qualified trained teachers as will allow full time tuition to be undertaken at the school.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
4. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question proposed—That the "Grievance Day" provisions of Standing Order No. 273c be suspended for to-morrow (*Mr. Reid*)—and, after debate—
Motion made and question—That the question be now put (*Mr. Rafferty*)—put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Manson	Mr. McCabe
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Smith
Mr. Rafferty	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 26.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lewis	Mr. McDonald
(<i>Portland</i>)	(<i>Rodney</i>)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.
Original question—accordingly put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Manson	Mr. McCabe
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Smith
Mr. Rafferty	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 26.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lewis	Mr. McDonald
(<i>Portland</i>)	(<i>Rodney</i>)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

5. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to constitute the New Zealand Insurance Trustee Company Limited a Trustee Company within the Meaning of the ‘ Trustee Companies Act 1958 ’, to amend the ‘ Trustee Companies Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. EASTERN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to authorize the Construction of a Line of Railway to connect the Railway from Melbourne to Clifton Hill with East Doncaster, and for other purposes* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Hamer obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Racing Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Lotteries Gaming and Betting Act 1966 ’* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. EASTERN FREEWAY LANDS BILL.—Mr. Borthwick obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill relating to certain Lands in the Cities of Northcote, Kew and Camberwell* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Borthwick obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Land Act 1958 ’ and to make Provision with respect to Leases and Licences* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—Mr. Thompson, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Mr. Rafferty, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision for the Registration of Teachers in State Schools, for the Establishment of Divisional Registration Boards and a Teacher Registration Council and for other purposes* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
11. TEACHING SERVICE (TEACHERS TRIBUNAL) BILL.—Mr. Thompson, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Mr. Rafferty, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to re-constitute the Teachers Tribunal under the ‘ Teaching Service Act 1958 ’ and for Purposes connected therewith* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, after debate, to be read a second time to-morrow.
12. BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE.—Motion made and question proposed—That on Wednesday, 27th October instant, Order of the Day, General Business, No. 1, take precedence of Orders of the Day, Government Business, and that a time not exceeding four hours be allocated for discussion of the said Order (*Mr. Edmunds*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
13. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 33)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
- Lotteries Gaming and Betting (Pre-Post Betting) Bill.
Vegetation and Vine Diseases (Amendment) Bill.
14. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.
- Motion made and question—That the question be now put (*Mr. Dunstan*)—put.
- The House divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. McCabe
Mr. Manson	Mr. Smith
Mr. Meagher	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 25.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Lovegrove	(<i>Rodney</i>)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Original question—accordingly put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
(Glen Iris)	
Mr. McLaren	Tellers.
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. McCabe
Mr. Manson	Mr. Smith
Mr. Meagher	(Bellarine)

Noes, 25.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(Portland)	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Lovegrove	(Rodney)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

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Bill reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Statutory Salaries Bill (including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council) without amendment.
16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to enable the Issue of Composite Licences for the purposes of Section 15 of the ‘Stock Diseases Act 1968’* ”.
17. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time at the next sitting of the House.
18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958’* ”.
19. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Balfour, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time at the next sitting of the House.
20. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘Veterinary Surgeons Act 1958’* ”.
21. VETERINARY SURGEONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time at the next sitting of the House.
22. DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The following Order of the Day, General Business, was read and discharged :—

Business of the House.—Resumption of debate on the question—That on Wednesday, 27th October instant, Order of the Day, General Business, No. 1, take precedence of Orders of the Day, Government Business, and that a time not exceeding four hours be allocated for discussion of the said Order.
23. ANTI-CANCER COUNCIL REPORT.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this House take note of the Report of the Anti-Cancer Council of Victoria for the year ended 30th June, 1971 ; debate resumed.

Amendment proposed—That the following words be added to the motion :—“ and that in view of the contents of the Report, this House condemns the Minister of Health for his failure to so take any positive action to deal with the health hazard of lung cancer ” (Mr. Wilton)—and, after debate—

Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put.

The House divided.

	Ayes, 17.	
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton	
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton	
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds	
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise	
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes	
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton	
Mr. Kirkwood		
Mr. Lewis		
(Dundas)	Tellers.	
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Bornstein	
(Portland)	Mr. Fell	

	Noes, 42.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Ballaarat North)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Gippsland East)	(Gippsland South)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Whiting
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McDonald	
(Rodney)	
Mr. McLaren	Tellers.
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. McCabe
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Smith
Mr. Mitchell	(Bellarine)

And so it passed in the negative.

Question—That this House take note of the Report of the Anti-Cancer Council of Victoria for the year ended 30th June, 1971—put and agreed to.

24. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Shilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 9th November next.
25. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 11th November next.
26. NEWHAVEN LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
27. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Mitchell*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
28. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
29. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Chairman, brought up the Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Statute Law Revision Bill; together with Minutes of Evidence, an Appendix, and an Extract from the Proceedings of the Committee.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report, Appendix, and Extract from the Proceedings of the Committee to be printed.
30. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
31. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 23 inclusive be postponed until after No. 24.

32. **WAYS AND MEANS—NATIONAL PARK FEES.**—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *National Parks Act 1970* as proposed to be amended by the *National Parks (Amendment) Bill* there shall be paid to and for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors by a person carrying on any trade business or occupation in a national park where the Director of National Parks considers it appropriate such fee not exceeding \$100 a day as is fixed by the Director.

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

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

33. **NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.

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

34. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Newhaven Land Bill without amendment.

35. **ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 10 *ante*) ; debate resumed.

Question—put, and Address agreed to.

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

36. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 9th November next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

37. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 to 23 inclusive, and 25 to 37 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday, 9th November next.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday, 9th November next :—

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

And then the House, at twenty-three minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, 9th November next.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 22.

TUESDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—RETAIL TRADING HOURS.—Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) presented a Petition from certain traders from the Greythorn-Trentwood area of North Balwyn praying that the House will take such action as it may to reject any change in the existing laws governing retail trading hours.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. SHARE HAWKING.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the Report of the Company Law Advisory Committee to the Standing Committee of Attorneys-General on Share Hawking (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
4. PAPER.—Mr. Reid presented—
Share Hawking—Report of the Company Law Advisory Committee to the Standing Committee of Attorneys-General.—Return to the foregoing Order.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
5. PAPERS.—Mr. Hamer presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Library Council of Victoria—Report for the year 1969–70.
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 :—
Aboriginal Affairs Act 1967—Aboriginal Affairs (Allowances and Fees Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 234).
Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 89) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 236).
Education Act 1958—
Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1971, No. 7 (S.R. No. 235).
Resumption of land at Boronia—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
Environment Protection Act 1970—Environment Protection Council (Fees and Allowances) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 238).
Forests Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-Law No. 46A (S.R. No. 232).
Marine Act 1958—Port Phillip Pilot Sick and Superannuation Fund (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 231).
Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—The Oats Marketing Board Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 233).
Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.
Melbourne Underground Rail Loop Authority—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 88 to 98 (eleven papers).
Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 15) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 239).
Social Welfare Department—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
State Development Act 1970—State Development (National Parks Advisory Committee) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 237).
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 29 (Shire of South Barwon).
6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 34)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 3rd November instant, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Amendment) Bill.
Statutory Salaries Bill.
Newhaven Land Bill.

7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Wilcox, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 35.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to Railways.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 9th November, 1971.

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

8. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 35.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Meagher do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Wilcox then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to Railways* ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. EASTERN FREEWAY LANDS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 23rd November instant.
10. LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 23rd November instant.
11. EASTERN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fell*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 23rd November instant.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 6 inclusive be postponed until later this day.
13. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 23rd November instant.
14. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 23rd November instant.
16. VETERINARY SURGEONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Dundas*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 68 and Section 101 of the 'Justices Act 1958'* ”.

19. JUSTICES (CIVIL PROCEEDINGS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
20. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to revise the Statute Law.* ”
21. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
22. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
23. YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 23rd November instant.
24. EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
25. GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARE DEALINGS.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this House take note of the Report of the Inspector appointed to investigate certain dealings in shares of the Geelong Gas Company and the Ministerial Statement made thereon ; debate resumed.
Amendment proposed—That the following words be added to the motion :— “ and resolves that the Report be referred back to the Attorney-General for the purpose of further investigation ” (*Mr. Holding*)—and, after debate—
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
26. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Land Tax Bill without amendment.
27. LANDS TRIBUNAL BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the proposals contained in the Lands Tribunal Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report ; debate resumed.
Question—put and agreed to.
28. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 23rd November instant.
29. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 16 and 17 be postponed until later this day.
30. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
31. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
32. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 19 to 50 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Bill—Second reading.
Lands Tribunal Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
Motor Car (Breath Tests) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

 WEDNESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—GEELONG DENTAL CLINIC.—Mr. Birrell presented a Petition from certain citizens of Victoria praying that the House take such action as it may to establish a dental clinic for pensioners and low income families in the Geelong area.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 99–104 (six papers).
4. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Water Authorities Accident Insurance Bill.
Building Societies (Special Advances) Bill.
5. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents Act 1965’ with respect to Persons who may be Employed by Licence Holders* ”.
6. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS (EMPLOYMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958’* ”.
8. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rafferty, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Harbor Boards Act 1958’* ”.
10. HARBOR BOARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Rafferty, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
11. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 36.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to amend the *Housing Act 1958* and the *Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958*, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 10th November, 1971.

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

12. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 36.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Meagher and Mr. Thompson do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Meagher then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Housing Act 1958’ and the ‘ Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

13. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Balfour obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958 ’ and to repeal the ‘ Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1942 ’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
14. JUSTICES (CIVIL PROCEEDINGS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
15. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 24th November instant.
16. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Deputy-Speaker announced that Mr. Speaker had ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question proposed—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Borthwick*)—and, after debate—
Amendment proposed—That after the words “be dispensed with” there be inserted the expression “,except those relating to the payment of fees,” (*Mr. Wilkes*)—and, after debate, by leave, withdrawn.
Question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill—put and agreed to.
Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time, after debate.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desire therein.
17. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Juries (Compensation) Bill.
Coal Mines (Pensions Increase) Bill.
Exhibition (Borrowing Powers) Bill.
18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Companies Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
19. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
20. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Assembly and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Assembly.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
21. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Apprenticeship (Amendment) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
22. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
23. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Eleven o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
24. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 41 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
25. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

THURSDAY, 11TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Radio Trade) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 240).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Moe Planning Scheme 1966, Amendment No. 26, 1970.
3. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Sunday Entertainment (Cinematograph Films) Bill without amendment.
4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Returning the Gift Duty Bill and, on consideration of the Bill in Committee, suggesting amendments.
 - Ordered—That the suggested amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
5. RACE RELATIONS BILL.—Mr. Bornstein obtained leave, with Mr. Wilton, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to affirm and promote Racial Equality in Victoria and for securing the Observance of the International Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Racial Discrimination* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fell*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 25th November instant.
7. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS (EMPLOYMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
8. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Portland*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
9. HARBOR BOARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
10. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

17. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Wilcox, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 37.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to ratify and approve an Agreement relating to certain Lands used for the Purposes of the Flinders Street Railway Station and certain other Lands used for Railway Purposes, and make other Provision in connexion with the said Agreement.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 21st September, 1971.

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

18. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 37.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 10 be postponed until after No. 12.
20. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Balfour*)—put and agreed to.
22. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 and 13 to 44 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
23. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at eighteen minutes past Six o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 25.

TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Education—Report of the Council of Public Education for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - National Fitness Council—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 105 to 107 (three papers).
 - State Electricity Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
 - State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—Report of the Trustees of the National Gallery of Victoria for the year 1965–66.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 38)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Land Tax Bill.
 - Water Authorities Accident Insurance Bill.
 - Building Societies (Special Advances) Bill.
 - Juries (Compensation) Bill.
 - Coal Mines (Pensions Increase) Bill.
 - Exhibition (Borrowing Powers) Bill.
 - Sunday Entertainment (Cinematograph Films) Bill.
 - Apprenticeship (Amendment) Bill.
4. GIFT DUTY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments suggested by the Legislative Council on the consideration of this Bill in Committee having been read, the said suggested amendments were read and are as follows :—
 1. Clause 4, sub-clause (1), line 7, after “ corporation ” insert “ not being a listed corporation ”.
 2. Clause 4, sub-clause (1), page 4, line 4, after “ property ” insert—
 - “ Listed corporation ” means a corporation any of the shares in which are quoted on a stock exchange and any corporation which is by virtue of sub-section (5) of section 6 of the *Companies Act* 1961 deemed to be related to a corporation any of the shares of which are quoted on a stock exchange and in none of the shares of which a natural person has a beneficial interest.
 3. Clause 4, page 6, sub-clause (6), lines 33 and 34, omit “ unless the Commissioner is satisfied it is not rendered ” and insert “ if the Commissioner has reasonable grounds for believing that it was allowed to become ”.
 4. Clause 4, page 8, sub-clause (11), line 37, after “ diminished ” insert “ and the total property or the value of the total property of another person is or may be increased ”.
 5. Clause 4, page 10, sub-clause (14), paragraph (a), line 31, after “ years ” insert “ (other than any such disposition made before the commencement of this Act) ”.
 6. Clause 4, page 11, sub-clause (18), line 38, omit “ seven ” and insert “ five ”.
 7. Clause 5, paragraph (b), sub-paragraph (i), page 13, lines 1 and 2, omit “ (whether wholly or partly before the commencement of this Act or not) ” and insert “ (other than the value of any gift made before the 1st day of September, 1971) ”.
 8. Clause 7, sub-clause (2), omit this sub-clause.
 9. Clause 7, page 14, sub-clause (5), omit this sub-clause.
 10. Clause 11, sub-clause (2), line 39, omit ‘ day specified under section 19 to be the “ prescribed day ” ’ and insert “ commencement of this Act ”.

11. Clause 14, sub-clause (1), page 18, omit paragraph (e) and insert the following paragraphs :—
 ‘(e) any gift—
 (i) to or wholly for the benefit of an institution organization or body of persons whether corporate or unincorporate not formed or carried on for the profit of any individual ; or
 (ii) for charitable purposes ;
 (ea) any gift effected by or under an instrument which is exempt from duty under exemptions (2) to (7) both inclusive under the heading “IX. Settlement or Gift, Deed of”—in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act* 1968;’
12. Clause 14, sub-clause (1), page 18, line 12, omit paragraph (g) and insert the following :—
 “(g) any gift where—
 (i) the value of the gift together with all other gifts made by the same donor to the same donee, whether at the same time, within eighteen months previously (other than the value of any gift made before the 1st day of September, 1971) or within eighteen months subsequently, does not exceed in the aggregate \$200 and that the gift is made as part of the normal expenditure of the donor ;
 (ii) the gift is made for or towards the maintenance of the wife, husband, child or other person dependent on the donor or for or towards the education or apprenticeship of a child or other person dependent on the donor and is not excessive in amount having regard to the legal or moral obligations of the donor to afford the maintenance, education or apprenticeship ;
 (iii) the gift was made solely for *bona fide* commercial purposes ; or
 (iv) the gift was not calculated by the donor to increase the total property or the value of the total property of any other person—but this sub-paragraph does not apply if the donor is deemed to be the donor by the operation of sub-section (11) of section 4.”
13. Clause 14, sub-clause (1), page 18, paragraph (h), line 32, omit “ \$500 ” and insert “ \$1,200 ”.
14. Clause 18, sub-clause (1), line 41, after “ property ” insert “ made after the commencement of this Act ”.
15. Clause 18, sub-clause (1), page 20, lines 4 and 5, omit “ or upon the commencement of this Act, whichever is the later ”.
16. Clause 19, sub-clause (1), lines 21 and 22, omit “ whether that period is partly before and partly after, or is wholly after, the commencement of this Act ” and insert “ but does not include that part of a period which is before the 1st day of September 1971 ; ”.
17. Clause 19, sub-clause (2), paragraphs (c) and (d), omit paragraphs (c) and (d), and insert the following paragraphs :—
 “ () where the gift was made in Australia and—
 (i) it is of a benefit or advantage referred to in section 18—within one month after that gift is actually made ; or
 (ii) in any other case—within one month after making the gift ; or
 () where the gift was made outside Australia and—
 (i) it is of a benefit or advantage referred to in section 18—within two months after that gift is actually made ; or
 (ii) in any other case—within two months after the making of the gift—”.
18. Clause 19, sub-clause (5), omit this sub-clause and insert the following sub-clause :—
 “ () In this section “ gift ” does not include any gift in respect of which gift duty is, by the operation of paragraphs (a) (b) (d) (ea) (f) (h) or (i) of sub-section (1) of section 14, not payable.”
19. Clause 20, page 22, sub-clause (3), omit this sub-clause.
20. Clause 28, page 24, sub-clause (2), omit this sub-clause.
21. Clause 35, sub-clause (3), after “ decision ” insert “ and of the grounds upon which his decision was made ”.
22. Clause 41, line 5, after “ requires ” insert “ for the purposes of this Act ”.
23. Clause 43, sub-clause (1), line 34, omit “ double the amount ” and insert “ an amount equal to the amount ”.
24. Clause 45, line 22, after “ attend ” insert “ at a reasonable time ”.
25. Clause 45, line 25, after “ him ” insert “ for the purposes of this Act ”.
26. Clause 45, line 27, after “ him ” insert “ for the purposes of this Act ”.
27. Clause 47, sub-clause (1), paragraph (b), line 11, after “ conclusive evidence ” insert “ in proceedings by or against the Commissioner ”.

On the motion of Mr. Hamer and, after debate—

Suggested amendments Nos. 1 and 2 made.

Suggested amendment No. 3 made with the following modification :—

Omit “ satisfied it is ” and insert “ satisfied that it was ”.

Suggested amendments Nos. 4 to 27 inclusive made.

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

5. WEST GATE BRIDGE FAILURE—REPORT OF THE ROYAL COMMISSION.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Report having been read—

Motion made and question proposed—That this House take note of the Report of the Royal Commission into the failure of the West Gate Bridge and records its gravest censure of the Government because of ineptitude incompetency and gross dereliction of responsibility in sanctioning unsound defective planning and contracting (*Mr. Edmunds*)—and, after debate—

Amendment proposed—That all the words after “ Bridge ” be omitted (*Mr. Maclellan*)—and, after debate—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Lind	(<i>Portland</i>)

Noes, 44.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Smith
Mr. Evans	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Hamer	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Broad
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Rafferty	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

Question—That this House take note of the Report of the Royal Commission into the failure of the West Gate Bridge—put and agreed to.

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

7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 40 inclusive and Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

8. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fifty-eight minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until tomorrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 26.

WEDNESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

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

2. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—MEAT SHOP TRADING HOURS AND CONDITIONS.—Mr. Rafferty made a Ministerial Statement regarding meat shop trading hours and conditions.

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

Public Service Board—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Town of Stawell Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 2, 1971.

4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Labour and Industry (Shop Trading Hours) Bill without amendment.

5. BEES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to. Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 25th November instant.

6. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Gift Duty Bill (including the amendments suggested by the Council and made by the Assembly and the amendment suggested by the Council and made by the Assembly with a modification) without amendment.

7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after Nos. 3 and 4.

8. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

Motion made and question—That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider a new clause to continue the application of section 408 and section 408A of the *Crimes Act 1958* in force immediately before the commencement of the *Motor Car (Driving Offences) Act 1971* to and in relation to—(a) any sample of blood or breath taken or furnished in pursuance of those provisions for analysis ; and (b) any proceedings referred to in those sections—in the same manner and to the same extent as if the sections had not been repealed (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments and with an amended title, which title is as follows :—

“ A Bill to amend Division 2 of Part VI. of the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’ with respect to Preliminary Breath Tests and Breath Tests and for other purposes.”

Bill as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.

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

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

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

10. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Door to Door Sales and for other purposes* ”.

11. DOOR TO DOOR SALES BILL.—On the motion of *Mr. Reid*, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Wheat Marketing Act 1969 ’ and for Purposes connected therewith* ”.

13. WHEAT MARKETING BILL.—On the motion of *Mr. Borthwick*, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

14. 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.

15. GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARE DEALINGS.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this House take note of the Report of the Inspector appointed to investigate certain dealings in shares of the Geelong Gas Company and the Ministerial Statement made thereon—and on the amendment—That the following words be added to the motion :—“ and resolves that the Report be referred back to the Attorney-General for the purpose of further investigation ” ; debate resumed.

Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 18.		Noes, 43.
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Balfour
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Billing
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Birrell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull	Sir Henry Bolte
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Borthwick
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Broad
Mr. Ginifer		Mr. Burgin
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Dixon
(Dundas)	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Dunstan
Mr. Lind	(Portland)	Mr. Evans
		(Ballarat North)
		Mr. Evans
		(Gippsland East)
		Mrs. Goble
		Mr. Hamer
		Mr. Hayes
		Mr. Jona
		Mr. Loxton
		Mr. MacDonald
		(Glen Iris)
		Mr. McDonald
		(Rodney)
		Mr. McLaren
		Mr. Maclellan
		Mr. Manson
		Mr. Meagher
		Mr. Mitchell
		Mr. Rafferty
		Mr. Reese
		Mr. Reid
		Mr. Ross-Edwards
		Mr. Rossiter
		Mr. Scanlan
		Mr. Smith
		(Bellarine)
		Mr. Smith
		(Warrnambool)
		Mr. Stokes
		Mr. Suggett
		Sir Edgar Tanner
		Mr. Taylor
		(Balwyn)
		Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Whiting
		Mr. Wilcox
		<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. McCabe
		Mr. Taylor
		(Gippsland South)

And so it passed in the negative.

Question—That this House take note of the Report of the Inspector appointed to investigate certain dealings in shares of the Geelong Gas Company and the Ministerial Statement made thereon—put and agreed to.

16. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment:—
 Aboriginal Lands (Amendment) Bill.
 Lutheran Church of Australia Victorian District Incorporation Bill.
17. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Eleven o'clock (Mr. Reid)—put and agreed to.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 39 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
20. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question proposed—That the House do now adjourn (Mr. Reid).
 Debate ensued.

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

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Question—put and agreed to.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
 Speaker.

No. 27.

THURSDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PRESENTATION OF ADDRESS IN REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—Mr. Speaker reported that, as directed by this Honorable House, he had, that day, waited upon His Excellency the Governor and presented to him the Address of the Legislative Assembly, agreed to on 28th October last, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency on the Opening of Parliament.

His Excellency was pleased to make the following Reply :—

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

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

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Melbourne, 18th November, 1971.

3. MEAT INDUSTRY COMMITTEE.—Mr. Trewin brought up a Progress Report from the Meat Industry Committee upon Livestock Selling ; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix. Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix to be printed.
4. PAPERS.—
Mr. Speaker presented—
Finance, 1970–71—The Treasurer's Statement of the Receipts and Payments of the Consolidated Fund and the Trust Fund, year ended 30th June, 1971, accompanied by the Report of the Auditor-General and by the documents specified in the Forty-seventh Section of the Audit Act.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Apprenticeship Act 1958—
Apprenticeship (Sheet Metal Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 242).
Apprenticeship (Tile Laying Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 241).
Audit Act 1958—Public Accounts and Stores (Amendment) Regulations (S.R. No. 245).
Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Milk and Dairy Supervision (Further Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 243).
Workers' Compensation Act 1958—Workers' Compensation Board (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 244).
5. MEAT SHOP TRADING HOURS AND CONDITIONS.—Motion made and question—That the Ministerial Statement concerning the effect of the provisions of the Labour and Industry (Shop Trading Hours) Bill on the hours and conditions of trading for shops offering meats, other than cooked meats, for sale be taken into consideration (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the Ministerial Statement be taken into consideration to-morrow.
6. SUPPLY—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put, after debate, and negatived.
Ordered—That this House will, on Tuesday next, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.
7. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Returning the Judges Salaries and Allowances Bill and, on consideration of the Bill in Committee, suggesting amendments.
And the said suggested amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 4, omit this clause.
2. Title, omit " County Court and Lands Tribunal " and insert " and County Court ".
On the motion of Mr. Reid and after debate—Suggested amendments made.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them accordingly.
8. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Police Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill.
Railways (Amendment) Bill.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until later this day.
10. DOOR TO DOOR SALES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
11. WHEAT MARKETING BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

12. **STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.**—Read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
13. **PUBLIC WORKS AND STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
14. **HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
15. **MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
 Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
16. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The following Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, was presented by Mr. Rafferty, and the same was read :—
- E. F. HERRING,
Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 39.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Lieutenant-Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958* and for other purposes.
- The Governor's office,
 Melbourne, 14th October, 1971.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
17. **MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor's Message, No. 39.
 House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
 Mr. Trewin reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
 And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
 Bill considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the State Electricity Commission (Newport Power Station) Bill without amendment.
19. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Judges Salaries and Allowances Bill (including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council) without amendment.
20. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Magistrates' Courts Bill with an amendment.
 And the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
 Schedule Two, omit "fear favour of affection" and insert "fear favour or affection".
 And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
21. **LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
22. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at forty-five minutes past One o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

23. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 to 40 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

24. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works—Statement of accounts, together with particulars of rates made, for the year 1970–71.
 - Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners—Statement of accounts for the year 1969.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 108 to 110 (three papers).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Barrabool Planning Scheme 1966, Amendment No. 3 (Shire of Barrabool).
 - City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 39, 1971.
 - Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment No. 24, 1970.
 - Shire of Rochester (Wharparilla) Planning Scheme.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 40)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Labour and Industry (Shop Trading Hours) Bill.
 - Gift Duty Bill.
 - Aboriginal Lands (Amendment) Bill.
 - Lutheran Church of Australia Victorian District Incorporation Bill.
 - Police Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill.
 - Railways (Amendment) Bill.
 - Statute Law Revision Bill.
 - State Electricity Commission (Newport Power Station) Bill.
 - Judges Salaries and Allowances Bill.
 - Magistrates' Courts Bill.
4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—COMPANIES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 41.*

Pursuant to the provisions of section 36 of The Constitution Act, the Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly for their consideration the following amendment which he desires to be made in the Bill intituled "An Act to make Provision with respect to the Disclosure of Substantial Shareholdings in Companies, to re-enact Provisions of the *Companies Act* 1961 relating to Accounts and Audit, and to Take-over Offers, to amend the *Companies Act* 1961 and for other purposes" :—

Clause 19, paragraph (b), omit "(4)" and insert "(2)".

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd November, 1971.

On the motion of Mr. Reid, the House agreed to the amendment, and ordered that His Excellency's Message be transmitted to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment, and requesting their concurrence therein.

5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 42.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to provide a Rebate of Gift Duty in respect of certain Gifts of Stock Plant and Land used for Primary Production, to vary the Rates of Gift Duty and to amend the *Gift Duty Act 1971* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd November, 1971.

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

6. GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 42.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Hamer then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to provide a Rebate of Gift Duty in respect of certain Gifts of Stock Plant and Land used for Primary Production, to vary the Rates of Gift Duty and to amend the ‘ Gift Duty Act 1971 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—STAMPS (GIFTS AND SETTLEMENTS) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 43.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to amend the *Stamps Act 1958* with respect to the Duty payable on Deeds of Settlement or Gift, to amend Section 10 of the *Stamps Act 1971* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd November, 1971.

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

8. STAMPS (GIFTS AND SETTLEMENTS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 43.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Hamer then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Stamps Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Duty payable on Deeds of Settlement or Gift, to amend Section 10 of the ‘ Stamps Act 1971 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

9. MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY—VACANCY IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received the following communication :—

Minister of Education,
Treasury Place,
Melbourne, Vic. 3002.
18th November, 1971.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER,

The term of office of the following members of the Council of the University of Melbourne appointed under S5 (a) (ii) of the *Melbourne University Act 1958* expires on the 16th December, 1971 :—

Mr. A. C. Holding, M.P.

Mr. B. J. Dixon, M.P.

I should be grateful if you could furnish a recommendation by members of the Legislative Assembly as to the members to be appointed to these offices for the period of four years commencing on the 17th December, 1971.

Yours truly,
L. H. S. THOMPSON,
Minister of Education.

Hon. V. Christie, M.P.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne, 3002.

Motion made, by leave, and question—That Brian James Dixon, Esquire, and Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment to the Council of the Melbourne University (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

10. YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—Order read for resuming debate adjourned on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

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

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

12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the amendment recommended by His Excellency the Governor in the Companies Bill.

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

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trewin*)—put and agreed to.

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

14. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Eleven o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 41 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

16. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 29.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

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

2. COMPLAINT.—Mr. Holding having raised a matter of privilege, on 23rd November instant, with respect to the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works entering a Crown Reservation when legislation authorizing such entry on to such land is pending in the House.

Mr. Speaker said—I wish to answer the complaint raised yesterday by the Leader of the Opposition. I have studied the submission of the Leader of the Opposition on the alleged breach of privilege on the subject of activities in a portion of the Yarra Bend Park in relation to the Bill listed on the Notice Paper as the Eastern Freeway Lands Bill.

I have re-examined the Bill, the second-reading speech on it, documents laid on the table of this House and relevant legislation of this State. All of these records are freely available. The second-reading speech on the Eastern Freeway Lands Bill includes, on page 2262 of *Hansard*—

Whilst in this Bill Parliamentary approval is sought only to matters which relate to lands which are the subject of the Bill, it is necessary to give some information of the background of the planning of the road project.

This statement, and the Bill itself indicate that in this House rests the authority to approve a change in use of portion of—

certain Crown land, designated Yarra Bend Park, in the parishes of Boroondara and Jika Jika by Order in Council dated 26th March, 1935 . . . permanently reserved as a site for a public park and recreation and by Crown grant dated the same day and entered in the register book of the Office of Titles volume 6443 folium 407 was granted to trustees on trust for that purpose :

This House enacted in Act No. 4194, section 5—

After the proclamation of the public highways and the revocation of the Order in Council referred to in the last preceding section the Governor in Council may in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acts—

- (a) temporarily reserve the land described in the Eighth Schedule as a site for a mental hospital ; and
- (b) permanently reserve the lands described in the Ninth Schedule as a site for a public park and recreation and grant the same to trustees appointed as hereinafter provided subject to such trusts limitations conditions and exceptions as the Governor in Council determines.

Crown grant over these lands was subsequently issued.

The House is being asked in the present Bill to give authority for change in use and entry upon these lands for freeway construction. The Leader of the Opposition bases his submission on the fact that these lands have been subjected to a change in use and have already been entered and worked upon for the purposes of freeway construction and that this has been done before the present authorizing Bill has been approved by this House.

Breach of an existing law is a matter, if need be, for determination in a court of law. To act in anticipation of and without the authority of this House specifically sought—and I underline that—as in this Bill, as a sanction to act, could be considered to call in question the worth of the authority of this House. Any action which calls into question the worth or effectiveness of the authority of this House could be considered a breach of privilege of this House.

Legislative authority must stand up to the test of prevailing over the actions of statutory boards and trusts which have been created through such authority and which look to this authority for power, sanction and franchise. What is at issue is what standing the House considers it has in the exercise of its legislative power in this respect.

On the rather limited material placed before me in the House and in chambers in this case, there appears to be matter for further consideration on the question of breach of privilege. To this extent I find that there is a *prima facie* case.

For that reason I offer the thought to the House that more facts should be established in respect of this whole affair before the House decides whether it should take further action, and before there is debate and argument on it.

So, I submit to the House that the matter raised by the Leader of the Opposition be referred to a Select Committee of Privilege for examination and report. This suggestion would deal with the subject in line with a few precedents in this House and with general practice in the Australian Parliament and the British House of Commons.

3. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
- Water (Amendment) Bill.
 - Essendon (Recreation Ground) Land Bill.
 - Brotherhood of St. Laurence (Incorporation) Bill.
 - State Forests Works and Services Bill.
4. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—Mr. Wilcox obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Rates to be levied by the President Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Hastings on certain Land in the said Shire and for other purposes*" ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to. Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

6. STAMPS (GIFTS AND SETTLEMENTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).

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

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

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Broad	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith
Mr. Reese	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 19.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Mutton	(<i>Portland</i>)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

8. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

9. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 44.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Racing Act 1958* and the *Lotteries Gaming and Betting Act 1966*.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 11th November, 1971.

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

10. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 44.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Suggett reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 13 inclusive be postponed until after No. 14.

12. WAYS AND MEANS—MISCELLANEOUS TOTALIZATOR COMMISSION.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Suggett reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and in accordance with the *Racing Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Racing (Amendment) Bill there shall be deducted as commission out of the moneys invested in every miscellaneous totalizator 14 per centum of the amount so invested.

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

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

13. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.

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

14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Health Services (Fees and Penalties) Bill with amendments.

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

15. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Evidence (Boards and Commissions) Bill.

Public Authorities (Contributions) (Amendment) Bill.

Road Traffic (Penalties) Bill.

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

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

17. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Grain Elevators (Amendment) Bill.

Flinders Street Station Area Redevelopment Bill.

18. EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

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

THURSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. McDonald, Rodney*)—put and agreed to.

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

19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day at Ten o'clock (*Mr. Thompson*)—put and agreed to.

20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 13 inclusive and 15 to 42 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until later this day :—

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

21. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at forty-seven minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Ten o'clock this day.

J. H. CAMPBELL,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,

Speaker.

No. 30.

THURSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Boronia—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 111 to 113 (three papers).
 - Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.

3. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question proposed—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next (*Mr. Wilcox*).

Amendment proposed—That the words “Tuesday next” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression “Tuesday, 7th December next” (*Mr. Wilton*)—and, after debate—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Thompson
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Reid	Mr. Smith
Mr. Rossiter	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 28.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Clarey	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Simmonds
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Broad
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Lind	(<i>Portland</i>)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
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Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
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Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Broad
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Lind	(<i>Portland</i>)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

4. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 2, page 4, paragraph (d), in the Eleventh Schedule omit the expression—

“Apartment-houses—						
containing not more than one apartment .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	5
containing more than one apartment .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	10
Boarding-houses .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	10”

and insert—

“Apartment-houses—						
containing not more than two apartments.. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	10
containing more than two apartments—						
for the first two apartments .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	10
for each additional apartment in excess of two	..	..	..	..	..	1
Boarding-houses—						
for 5 to 10 boarders .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	10
for 11 to 20 boarders .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	15
for more than 20 boarders .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	20”

2. Clause 2, page 4, paragraph (d), in the Eleventh Schedule omit the expression—

“ Private hospitals 40”

and insert—

“ Private hospitals—
 with up to 10 beds 20
 with from 11 to 35 beds 30
 with more than 35 beds 50”

3. Clause 3, omit this clause.

4. Title, omit “, the *Cemeteries Act 1958*”.

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

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

5. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Buninyong (Recreation Reserve) Land Bill without amendment.

6. GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 12 be postponed until after No. 13.

8. WAYS AND MEANS—GIFT DUTY.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Suggett reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *Gift Duty Act 1971* as proposed to be amended by the Gift Duty (Rates and Rebates) Bill there shall be charged levied collected and paid for the use of Her Majesty in respect of gifts, duty at the rates set forth in the Schedule to this Resolution.

SCHEDULE.

First Column.	Second Column.
Where the value of all relevant gifts—	The rate per centum of duty on the value of the gift in question shall be—
Does not exceed \$4,000	Nil.
Exceeds \$4,000 but does not exceed \$6,000	1·5 per cent. plus 0·001 per cent. for each whole dollar by which the value of all relevant gifts exceeds \$4,000.
Exceeds \$6,000 but does not exceed \$14,000	3·5 per cent. plus 0·000125 per cent. for each whole dollar by which the value of all relevant gifts exceeds \$6,000
Exceeds \$14,000 but does not exceed \$74,000	4·5 per cent. plus 0·0001 per cent. for each whole dollar by which the value of all relevant gifts exceeds \$14,000.
Exceeds \$74,000 but does not exceed \$201,777	10·5 per cent. plus 0·00009 per cent. for each whole dollar by which the value of all relevant gifts exceeds \$74,000.
Exceeds \$201,777	22 per cent.

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

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

9. GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.

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

10. COMPLAINT.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That, in view of the public admissions made by the Honorable the Minister for Local Government to the effect that—

1. Freeway construction work already carried out in the Yarra Bend Park was illegal ; and
2. Such work should not have occurred within the Park without the permission of Parliament as sought in the Eastern Freeway Lands Bill—

this House send a Message to the Legislative Council requesting that the Legislative Council give leave to the said Minister to attend this House to be examined, to enable him to fully inform this House—

(a) concerning the said admissions ; and

(b) generally to make such explanation to this House as he considers necessary in order that the House can determine whether any person has been guilty of contempt of this House (*Mr. Holding*)—and, after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 27.		Noes, 33.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald	Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Bornstein	(Rodney)	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Sir Henry Bolte	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull	(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting	Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Holding		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Kirkwood		(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
(Dundas)	Mr. Broad	Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Manson	
Mr. Lovegrove	(Portland)	Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin
		Mr. Reid	Mr. Smith
		Mr. Rossiter	(Bellarine)

And so it passed in the negative.

11. PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.—Mr. Wheeler, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Public Accounts Committee upon the Final Supplementary Estimates 1970–71.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

12. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Motor Car (Breath Tests) Bill.
 Instruments (Amendment) Bill.
 Melbourne Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill.
 Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill.
 Yarragon Lands Exchange Bill.

13. STAMPS (GIFTS AND SETTLEMENTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

14. WAYS AND MEANS—GIFT AND SETTLEMENT STAMP DUTIES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *Stamps Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Stamps (Gifts and Settlements) Bill there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty—

- (1) Upon any instrument, other than a will or codicil, whether voluntary or upon any good or valuable consideration other than a *bona fide* adequate pecuniary consideration and whether revocable or not whereby any property is settled or agreed to be settled in any manner whatsoever or is given or agreed to be given or directed to be given in any manner whatsoever ;
- (2) Upon any instrument declaring that the property vested in the person executing the same shall be held in trust for the person or persons mentioned therein ;
- (3) Upon any instrument whereby an existing trust created verbally is acknowledged evidenced or recorded either by the creator of the trust or by the trustee in any case where, if the trust had originally been created by an instrument, stamp duty would have been chargeable upon such instrument under either clause (1) or clause (2)—

duty calculated as follows :—

Where the value of the property—	\$	c
Exceeds \$20 but does not exceed \$7,000—		
In respect of such value for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	1.50	
Exceeds \$7,000 but does not exceed \$15,000—		
In respect of such value for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	1.75	
Exceeds \$15,000 but does not exceed \$100,000—		
In respect of such value for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	2.00	
Exceeds \$100,000 but does not exceed \$500,000—		
In respect of such value for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	2.25	
Exceeds \$500,000 but does not exceed \$1,000,000—		
In respect of such value for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	2.50	
Exceeds \$1,000,000—		
In respect of such value for every \$100, and also for any fractional part of \$100	3.00	

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

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

15. STAMPS (GIFTS AND SETTLEMENTS) BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

16. EASTERN FREEWAY LANDS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Amendment proposed—That all the words after the word “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until the Bill has been referred to the Public Works Committee for examination and report and the Committee has reported thereon ” (*Mr. Wilton*)—and, after debate—

Declaration of Bill as Urgent—Limitation of Debate.—Mr. Reid declared that the Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill.

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—

Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 33.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Amos	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Billing	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Sir Henry Bolte	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Evans	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Lewis
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Manson		Mr. Lind	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Reese			
Mr. Reid			
Mr. Rossiter	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Smith	Mr. Smith		
(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	(<i>Bellarine</i>)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Motion made and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—

(a) For the remainder of the second reading stage of the Bill, until 10.55 p.m. this day.

(b) For the committee stage of the Bill, until 11.05 p.m. this day.

(c) For the remaining stages of the Bill, until 11.15 p.m. this day.

—(*Mr. Reid*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 33.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Amos	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Billing	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Sir Henry Bolte	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Evans	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Lewis
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Manson		Mr. Lind	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Reese			
Mr. Reid			
Mr. Rossiter	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Smith	Mr. Smith		
(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	(<i>Bellarine</i>)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time—and on the amendment—That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until the Bill has been referred to the Public Works Committee for examination and report and the Committee has reported thereon ”.

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the second reading stage of the Bill having expired—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 36.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Birrell	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Ginifer	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding	Mr. Lewis
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	(Dundas)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
(Gippsland East)	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Shilton	(Portland)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(Rodney)	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Rossiter	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 36.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Birrell	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Ginifer	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding	Mr. Lewis
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	(Dundas)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
(Gippsland East)	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Shilton	(Portland)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(Rodney)	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Rossiter	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a third time (*Mr. Borthwick*)—and, after debate—

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the remaining stages of the Bill having expired—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 36.		Noes, 17.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Birrell	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Doube
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Fell
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Floyd
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton	
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey	
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler	
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wilcox	
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire	
Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. Manson		
Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>	
Mr. Reid	Mr. Burgin	
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Smith	
Mr. Rossiter	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read the third time.

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

17. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at forty-five minutes past One o'clock (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 12 inclusive and 14 to 46 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday next:—

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

19. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 31.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Arrest of Drunken Persons on Private Property ; together with Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—Part IX.
 - Statements of appointments and alterations of classification—
 - Department of the Legislative Assembly.
 - Department of the Legislative Council.
 - Department of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee.
 - Department of the Library.
 - Department of the Reporting Staff of the *Victorian Parliamentary Debates*.
 - Statements of persons temporarily employed—
 - Department of the Legislative Assembly.
 - Department of the Legislative Council.
 - Department of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee.
 - Department of the Library.
 - Department of the Reporting Staff of the *Victorian Parliamentary Debates*.
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of Land at Templestowe—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board—Report for the pool year ended 3rd July, 1971.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Estate Agents Act 1958—Estate Agents (Commission Amendment) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 256).
 - Films Act 1971—Films Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 253).
 - Forests Act 1958—Forests (Part I.—Fire Protection) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 250).
 - Health Act 1958—
 - Animal Food (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 252).
 - Meat Transport Vehicles (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 247).
 - Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958—Local Authorities Superannuation Regulations 1971 (No. 11) (S.R. No. 248).
 - Local Government Act 1958—Local Government (Subdivision and Consolidation Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 246).
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 8) (S.R. No. 254).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Police (Authorized Strength No. 4) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 249).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 114.
 - Soil Conservation Authority—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Superannuation Act 1958—Superannuation (Reserve Units) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 251).
 - Survey Co-ordination Act 1958—Place Names Committee (Members' Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 255).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Barrabool Planning Scheme 1966, Amendment No. 10, 1971.
 - Lara Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment No. 6, 1971.
 - Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment No. 29, 1970.
 - Victorian Inland Meat Authority—Report for the year ended 25th June, 1971.

4. SUPPLY—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$5,105,318 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1970–71, viz :—

Division No.	PARLIAMENT.	\$	\$
1. Legislative Council		6,100	
2. Legislative Assembly		5,141	
3. Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee ..		5,256	
4. Parliamentary Printing		186,675	
5. Parliament Library		803	
6. Parliamentary Debates		2,918	
		<hr/>	206,893
	PREMIER.		
7. Governor's Office		997	
8. Premier's Office		4,031	
9. State Film Centre		793	
10. Soil Conservation Authority		10,162	
13. Public Service Board		9,619	
		<hr/>	25,602
	STATE DEVELOPMENT.		
11. State Development .. .. .		..	10,995
	CHIEF SECRETARY.		
16. Chief Secretary's Office.. .. .		91,917	
21. Fisheries and Wildlife		107	
22. Government Shorthand Writer		7,935	
23. Government Statist		1,231	
24. Police		285,846	
26. State Library National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Administration		5,036	
27. State Library		36,352	
28. National Museum		97	
30. National Gallery		6,474	
		<hr/>	434,995
	SOCIAL WELFARE.		
32. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics ..		35,744	
33. Family Welfare		925,714	
34. Youth Welfare		15,516	
35. Prisons		100,713	
36. Training		4,839	
37. Probation and Parole		1,820	
		<hr/>	1,084,346
	LABOUR AND INDUSTRY.		
38. Labour and Industry .. .. .		..	26,707
	EDUCATION.		
39. Education		124,608	
40. Teachers' Tribunal		4,312	
		<hr/>	128,920
	ATTORNEY-GENERAL.		
41. Attorney-General		47,997	
42. Courts Administration		196,784	
44. Registrar of Companies		18,125	
		<hr/>	262,906
	TREASURER.		
47. Treasury		69,250	
49. Tender Board		416	
50. State Superannuation Board		5,113	
53. Stamp Duties		61	
54. Government Printer		66,434	
		<hr/>	141,274
	LANDS.		
55. Crown Lands Administration .. .. .		..	19,194

Division No.	PUBLIC WORKS.						\$	\$
58. Public Works	50,498	
59. Ports and Harbors	34,394	
							<hr/>	84,892
LOCAL GOVERNMENT.								
60. Local Government	18,619	
63. Town and Country Planning Board	6,986	
							<hr/>	25,605
MINES.								
64. Mines	1,000	
65. Explosives	1,521	
66. Gas Regulation	7,552	
							<hr/>	10,073
AGRICULTURE.								
67. Agriculture Administration	36,897	
68. Agricultural Education	9,903	
69. Agriculture	12,423	
70. Horticulture	64,634	
71. Animal Health	19,284	
72. Animal Industry	31,655	
73. Dairying	15,059	
							<hr/>	189,855
HEALTH.								
75. Health Administration	760,145	
76. General Health	4,464	
77. Tuberculosis	8,718	
78. Maternal and Child Welfare	141,845	
79. Mental Hygiene	18,057	
							<hr/>	933,229
TRANSPORT.								
83. Ministry of Transport	1,342
FORESTS.								
84. Forests Commission	134,547
WATER SUPPLY.								
85. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission	36,473
RAILWAYS.								
86. Railways	1,347,470
Total	<hr/> <hr/> \$5,105,318

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

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1970–71 the sum of \$5,105,318 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of Victoria.

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

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

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

6. SUPPLY (FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) BILL.—Mr. Balfour then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of Five million one hundred and five thousand three hundred and eighteen dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

7. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Further considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.

8. SUPPLY—ESTIMATES FOR 1971-72.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

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

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Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That the following sums be granted to Her Majesty to defray the charges for the year 1971-72 for the several services hereunder specified in addition to the several sums already voted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament for such services, viz. :—

Division No.	PARLIAMENT.	\$	\$
		1,800	
1.	Legislative Council—Expenses of Select Committees	116,300	
2.	Legislative Assembly—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services		
3.	Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee— Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	97,050	
4.	Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c.	129,300	
5.	Parliament Library—Salaries and General Expenses	32,200	
6.	Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses	56,450	
		<hr/>	433,100
	PREMIER.		
7.	Governor's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	98,500	
8.	Premier's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	350,100	
9.	State Film Centre—Salaries and General Expenses	93,050	
10.	Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	478,400	
11.	Agent-General—Salaries and General Expenses	76,370	
12.	Public Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	373,930	
13.	Public Service Board Electronic Data Processing Service Bureau— Salaries and General Expenses	210,650	
14.	Audit Office—Salaries and General Expenses	364,400	
		<hr/>	2,045,400
	CHIEF SECRETARY.		
15.	Chief Secretary's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	257,188	
16.	Totalizator Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	35,600	
17.	State Accident Insurance Office—Salaries	373,700	
18.	State Motor Car Insurance Office—Salaries	467,700	
19.	Workers' Compensation Board—Salaries	45,000	
20.	Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	906,094	
21.	Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses ..	30,800	
22.	Government Statist—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	324,500	
23.	Police—Salaries and General Expenses	21,244,400	
24.	Police Service Board—Salaries and General Expenses	4,703	
25.	State Library National Museum and Science Museum Administration— Salaries and General Expenses	173,550	
26.	State Library—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,297,650	
27.	National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	106,950	
28.	Science Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	65,350	
29.	National Gallery—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	474,900	
		<hr/>	26,808,085
	SOCIAL WELFARE.		
30.	Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	418,000	
31.	Family Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	4,284,300	
32.	Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,562,000	
33.	Prisons—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,341,150	
34.	Training—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	98,900	
35.	Probation and Parole—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	265,100	
		<hr/>	8,969,450
	LABOUR AND INDUSTRY.		
36.	Labour and Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	..	1,014,950
	EDUCATION.		
37.	Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	149,319,883	
38.	Teachers' Tribunal—Salaries and General Expenses	35,850	
		<hr/>	149,355,733
	ATTORNEY-GENERAL.		
39.	Attorney-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	853,600	
40.	Courts Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,859,450	
41.	Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles—Salaries and General Expenses	1,051,650	
42.	Registrar of Companies—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	260,900	
43.	Rent Control—Salaries and General Expenses	38,250	
44.	Public Trustee—Salaries and General Expenses	434,260	
		<hr/>	5,498,110

Division No.	TREASURER.	\$	\$
45.	Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	20,360,436	
45A.	Advance to Treasurer	9,000,000	
45B.	Pay-roll Tax—Payments on account of State Departments ..	5,138,000	
46.	Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses	146,480	
47.	State Superannuation Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	254,250	
48.	Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	120,850	
49.	Taxation Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	494,750	
50.	Stamp Duties—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	494,520	
51.	Government Printer—Salaries and General Expenses	1,977,600	
		<hr/>	37,986,886
	LANDS.		
52.	Crown Lands Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,541,141	
53.	Survey—Salaries, General Expenses and Other Services	944,350	
54.	Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General Expenses	179,100	
		<hr/>	2,664,591
	PUBLIC WORKS.		
55.	Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	4,971,100	
56.	Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,176,480	
		<hr/>	6,147,580
	LOCAL GOVERNMENT.		
57.	Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	280,830	
58.	Valuer-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	287,150	
59.	Weights and Measures—Salaries and General Expenses	154,050	
60.	Town and Country Planning Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	193,600	
		<hr/>	915,630
	MINES.		
61.	Mines—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	779,400	
62.	Explosives—Salaries and General Expenses	92,700	
63.	Gas Regulation—Salaries	30,800	
		<hr/>	902,900
	AGRICULTURE.		
64.	Agriculture Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,178,410	
65.	Agricultural Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	646,800	
66.	Agriculture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,003,850	
67.	Horticulture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,208,309	
68.	Animal Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	796,450	
69.	Animal Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	510,050	
70.	Dairying—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	758,000	
71.	Extension Services—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	99,400	
		<hr/>	6,201,269
	HEALTH.		
72.	Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	27,822,650	
73.	General Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,877,170	
74.	Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,823,590	
75.	Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	3,686,750	
76.	Mental Hygiene—Salaries, General Expenses and Other Services ..	17,110,300	
		<hr/>	53,320,460
	STATE DEVELOPMENT.		
77.	State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	405,900	
78.	Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	55,600	
79.	Industrial Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	108,750	
		<hr/>	570,250
	ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS.		
80.	Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs—Contribution to Aboriginal Affairs Fund .. .. .	..	205,000
	FUEL AND POWER.		
81.	Ministry of Fuel and Power—Salaries and General Expenses .. ..	..	32,700
	RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.		
82.	Railway Construction Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services .. .. .	..	42,550

Division No.	TRANSPORT.	\$
83.	Ministry of Transport—Salaries and General Expenses	28,700
FORESTS.		
84.	Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,379,000
WATER SUPPLY.		
85.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	9,684,100
RAILWAYS.		
86.	Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	66,246,348
	Total	\$381,452,792

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

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 30th day of June, 1972, the sum of \$381,452,792 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of Victoria.

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

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

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

10. APPROPRIATION BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to apply a Sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the Service of the Year ending on the Thirtieth Day of June One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-two and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

11. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 45)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on 30th November last, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Companies Bill.

Water (Amendment) Bill.

Essendon (Recreation Ground) Land Bill.

Brotherhood of St. Laurence (Incorporation) Bill.

State Forests Works and Services Bill.

Evidence (Boards and Commissions) Bill.

Public Authorities (Contributions) (Amendment) Bill.

Road Traffic (Penalties) Bill.

Grain Elevators (Amendment) Bill.

Flinders Street Station Area Redevelopment Bill.

Buninyong (Recreation Reserve) Land Bill.

Health Services (Fees and Penalties) Bill.

Motor Car (Breath Tests) Bill.

Instruments (Amendment) Bill.

Melbourne Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill.

Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill.

Yarragon Lands Exchange Bill.

12. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Housing (Amendment) Bill.

Land (Amendment) Bill.

Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Bill.

13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the National Parks (Amendment) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration later this day.
14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Racing (Amendment) Bill with an amendment.
Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration later this day.
15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Land Act 1958 ’* ”.
16. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time later this day.
17. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day at half-past Ten o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 42 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.

And then the House, at forty minutes past Three o’clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Ten o’clock this day.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 32.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—EDUCATION—TERTIARY COLLEGE FEES AND APPOINTMENT OF ROYAL COMMISSION.—Mr. Birrell presented a Petition from certain residents of Victoria praying that the House take such action as it may to ensure that the fee increases proposed by Victorian Colleges of Advanced Education are not made and to seek the appointment of a Royal Commission to inquire into education in Victoria.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon Prerogative Writs ; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix to be printed.
4. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Birrell brought up a Report from the Subordinate Legislation Committee upon the Housing (Standard of Habitation) Regulations 1971 ; together with Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table.

5. ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE.—Mr. Jona brought up the Eighth Progress Report from the Road Safety Committee upon absolute speed limits, prima facie speed limits and speed zones ; together with Extracts from the Proceedings of the Committee, Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report, Extracts from the Proceedings of the Committee and Appendices to be printed.
6. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Housing Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
7. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
8. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
Clause 17, line 30, after “ by the Board ” insert “ and approved by the Minister ”.
And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
9. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 4, omit this clause.
2. Clause 5, sub-clause (3), page 3, lines 4–6, omit this sub-clause and insert—
“ (3) Sections 5 and 6 of the Principal Act as amended by this section shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1st June 1965.”
And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
10. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL—DECLARATION OF BILL AS URGENT—LIMITATION OF DEBATE.—Mr. Dunstan declared that the Water Supply Works and Services Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill.
Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—
Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—
(a) For the remainder of the second reading stage of the Bill, until 2.40 p.m. this day.
(b) For the Committee stage of the Bill, until 3.10 p.m. this day.
(c) For the remaining stages of the Bill, until 3.25 p.m. this day.
—(*Mr. Dunstan*)—put and agreed to.
11. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the second reading stage of the Bill having expired—
Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Labour and Industry (Amendment) Bill.
Gift Duty (Rates and Rebates) Bill.
Stamps (Gifts and Settlements) Bill.
13. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Health Act 1958—Report of the Commission of Public Health for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
Hospitals Superannuation Board—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.

14. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL—DECLARATION OF BILL AS URGENT—LIMITATION OF DEBATE.—Mr. Wilcox declared that the Railway Works and Services Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill.

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question proposed—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—

- (a) For the remainder of the second reading stage of the Bill, until 4.15 p.m. this day.
- (b) For the Committee stage of the Bill, until 4.30 p.m. this day.
- (c) For the remaining stages of the Bill, until 4.35 p.m. this day.

—(Mr. Wilcox)—and, after debate—

Amendment proposed—That the expressions “4.15 p.m.”, “4.30 p.m.”, and “4.35 p.m.” respectively be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expressions “5.15 p.m.”, “5.45 p.m.”, and “6 p.m.” respectively (Mr. Floyd).

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 36.

Noes, 30.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dixon	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(Gippsland South)
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Templeton
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. MacDonald	
(Glen Iris)	Tellers.
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Manson	Mr. Smith
Mr. Meagher	(Bellarine)

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Broad	(Rodney)
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Moss
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Evans	Mr. Shilton
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Holding	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Portland)	Mr. Amos
Mr. Lind	Mr. Fell

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Original question—put and agreed to.

15. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the second reading stage of the Bill having expired—

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

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a third time (Mr. Wilcox)—and, after debate—

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the remaining stages of the Bill having expired—

Bill read the third time.

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

16. EASTERN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—DECLARATION OF BILL AS URGENT—LIMITATION OF DEBATE.—Mr. Wilcox declared that the Eastern Railway Construction Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill.

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—

- (a) For the remainder of the second reading stage of the Bill, until 5.45 p.m. this day.
- (b) For the Committee stage of the Bill, until 6.10 p.m. this day.
- (c) For the remaining stages of the Bill, until 6.15 p.m. this day.

—(Mr. Wilcox)—put and agreed to.

17. EASTERN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Amendment proposed—That all the words after “That” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until the Bill has been referred to the Public Works Committee for examination and report and the Committee has reported thereon” (Mr. Fell)—and, after debate—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 43.		Noes, 21.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Clarey
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Doube
Mr. Broad	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Fell
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	(<i>Dundas</i>)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey	
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin	
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wheeler	
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Whiting	
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wilcox	
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wiltshire	
Mr. Mitchell		
Mr. Moss		
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>	
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Reid	Mr. Smith	
Mr. Ross-Edwards	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

18. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL—DECLARATION OF BILL AS URGENT—LIMITATION OF DEBATE.—Mr. Balfour declared that the Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill.

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—

(a) For the remainder of the second reading stage of the Bill, until 6.50 p.m. this day.

(b) For the Committee stage of the Bill, until 7 p.m. this day.

(c) For the remaining stages of the Bill, until 7.05 p.m. this day.

—(*Mr. Balfour*)—put and agreed to.

19. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

20. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 46.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958* and to repeal the *Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1942*.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 16th November, 1971.

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

21. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 46.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

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

22. EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL—DECLARATION OF BILL AS URGENT—LIMITATION OF DEBATE.—Mr. Thompson declared that the Education (Teacher Registration) Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill.

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—

- (a) For the remainder of the second reading stage of the Bill, until 10.35 p.m. this day.
 (b) For the Committee stage of the Bill, until 10.50 p.m. this day.
 (c) For the remaining stages of the Bill, until 10.55 p.m. this day.

—(Mr. Thompson)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Smith	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Curnow	(Rodney)
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Doube	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Evans	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Burgin	Sir Edgar Tanner	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fell	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Dunstan	(Balwyn)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
(Ballaarat North)	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler	(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Broad
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire	(Portland)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. McCabe		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Scanlan	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

23. EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
 That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the second reading stage of the Bill having expired—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 41.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise
Sir Henry Bolte	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Broad	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Crellin	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)	(Dundas)	Tellers.
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Evans	(Gippsland South)	(Portland)	Mr. Shilton
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Templeton		
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Whiting		
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire		
(Rodney)			
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. McCabe		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reese	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

Motion made, by leave, and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the remaining stages of the Bill be extended from 10.55 p.m. this day until 11.15 p.m. this day (Mr. Thompson)—put and agreed to.

Bill read the third time, after debate.

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

24. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Appropriation Bill without amendment.
25. EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—SECOND READING—RESUMPTION OF DEBATE.—Ordered—That consideration of this order be postponed until later this day.
26. BEES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
27. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—BEES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 47.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to regulate the Keeping of Bees, to prevent the Spread of Disease amongst Bees and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th October, 1971.

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

28. BEES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 47.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee.

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

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

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

29. EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

[Mr. Speaker left the Chair at twelve minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning and resumed it at thirty-four minutes past Ten o'clock in the morning.]

Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

Amendment proposed—That all the words after "That" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words—"this Bill be withdrawn and redrafted to provide for the establishment of a Needs Commission to examine and determine the needs of schools and students in Government and non-Government primary education and to recommend to the Government of Victoria on a continuous public basis, the level of expenditure necessary to meet the requirements of Victoria's primary school children on the basis of needs and priorities, educational experimentation and regionalization" (*Mr. Doube*)—and, after debate—

Declaration of Bill as Urgent—Limitation of Debate.—Mr. Thompson declared that the Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill.

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—

- (a) For the remainder of the second reading stage of the Bill, until 2.15 p.m. this day.
- (b) For the Committee stage of the Bill, until 3 p.m. this day.
- (c) For the remaining stages of the Bill, until 3.15 p.m. this day.

—(*Mr. Thompson*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 36.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Crellin	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Dunstan	(Balwyn)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Templeton
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Thompson
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Loxton	
Mr. McCabe	
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Smith
Mr. Manson	(Bellarine)
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Reese	(Gippsland South)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the second reading stage of the Bill having expired—

Question—That the words proposed to be omitted (in the motion for second reading) stand part of the question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 42.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Ballaarat North)	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(Rodney)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Manson	Mr. Smith
Mr. Meagher	(Bellarine)
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Reese	(Gippsland South)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed.

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

[Mr. Speaker left the chair at Three o'clock and resumed it at fourteen minutes past Three o'clock.]

Motion made, by leave, and question—That so much of Standing Order 78F (f) as would preclude consideration of an instruction to the Committee on the Bill be suspended (Mr. Thompson)—put and agreed to.

Motion made, by leave, and question—That the resolution of the House this day allotting times for the Educational Grants (Amendment) Bill be read and rescinded and that the time for all remaining stages of the Bill be until 4.00 p.m. this day (Mr. Thompson)—put and agreed to.

Motion made and question—That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider amendments disallowing payment of a capitation grant in respect of a primary school pupil in respect of whom fees of more than \$30.00 per term are payable (Mr. Doube)—put and agreed to.

Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment.

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the remaining stages of the Bill having expired—

Bill read the third time.

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

Noes, 28.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Curnow	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Doube	(Rodney)
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Evans	Mr. Ross-Edwards
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
(Portland)	Mr. Shilton

Noes, 23.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Clarey	(Portland)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lind
Mr. Doube	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Amos
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Shilton
(Dundas)	

30. PAPERS.—

Mr. Speaker presented—

Auditor-General—Supplementary Report for the year 1970–71.

Ordered to lie on the Table and be printed.

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

Consumer Protection Act 1970—Consumer Protection (Consumer Affairs Council Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 257).

Dandenong Valley Authority—Report and statement of accounts for the year ended 30th September, 1970.

Friendly Societies and Benefit Associations—Reports of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies for the year 1968–69, with Appendices ; and on Benefit Associations for the year 1968–69.—Ordered to be printed.

Hospitals and Charities Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.

Lands and Survey—Report of the Department of Crown Lands and Survey for the year 1970–71.

Marine Act 1958—Port Rule No. 132—Rule amended (S.R. No. 258).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 115 to 117 (three papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment 'A', 1971.

Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962—Amendment No. 31, 1970.

Transport Regulation Board—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.

31. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Eastern Freeway Lands Bill.

Public Works and Services Bill.

32. WHEAT MARKETING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

33. PUBLIC WORKS AND STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

34. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Water Supply Works and Services Bill.

Bees Bill.

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

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

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

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

37. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon alternative procedures in preliminary hearings ; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

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

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

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

39. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
40. HARBOR BOARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
41. VETERINARY SURGEONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
42. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 19 to 22 inclusive be postponed until after No. 23.
43. SCAFFOLDING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
44. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
45. JUSTICES (CIVIL PROCEEDINGS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
46. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
47. SUMMARY OFFENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
48. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
49. EVIDENCE (DOCUMENTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
50. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
51. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS (EMPLOYMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.

52. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
53. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
54. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
55. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
56. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the amendment made by the Assembly in the Geelong Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill.
57. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Eastern Railway Construction Bill with an amendment.
And the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
Clause 6, sub-clause (3), line 25, omit “ thinks necessary to ” and insert “ may reasonably and within a reasonable time ”.
And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
58. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or, if Mr. Speaker is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
59. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 31 to 44 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next sitting of the House.
60. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at thirty minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or the Chairman of Committees and notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter, as determined by resolution of the House at this sitting.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 33.

TUESDAY, 29TH FEBRUARY, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to the terms of the resolution of the 2nd December last, Mr. Speaker having fixed this day at Two o'clock as the time of meeting.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **ISSUE OF, AND RETURN TO WRIT.**—Mr. Speaker announced that on the 3rd November last, he had issued a Writ for the election of a Member to serve for the Electoral District of Gisborne, in the place of Julian John Doyle, Esquire, resigned ; and that he had received a return to the said Writ by which it appeared that Athol George Guy, Esquire, had been duly elected in pursuance of the said Writ.
3. **MEMBER SWORN.**—Athol George Guy, Esquire, was then introduced and subscribed the Oath required by law.
4. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Aboriginal Affairs—Report of the Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Boilermaking Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 31/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Cooking Trade) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 275/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Dry Cleaning Trade) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 273/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Electrical Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 29/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Electroplating Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 25/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Engineering Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 32/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Furniture Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 294/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Garment Cutting Trade) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 295/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Instrument Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 26/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Modular Courses No. 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 272/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Modular Courses No. 4) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 36/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Modular Courses No. 5) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 37/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Motor Mechanics Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 27/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Painting Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 293/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Pastrycooking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 11/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Patternmaking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 24/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Printing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 265/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Sheet Metal Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 30/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Vehicle Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 28/1972).
 - Apprenticeship (Waiting Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 276/1971).
 - Architects Act 1958—Architects Registration Board (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 301/1971).
 - Business Names Act 1962—Business Names (Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 266/1971).
 - Companies Act 1961—Companies (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 297/1971).
 - Consumer Affairs Council—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Country Fire Authority Act 1958—
 - Country Fire Authority (Permits) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 277/1971).
 - Country Fire Authority (Permits) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 41/1972).
 - Country Roads Board—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
 - County Court Act 1958—County Court (Costs) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 8/1972).

- Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—Salaries Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 9/1972).
- Education Act 1958—
 Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 7/1972).
 Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1972, No. 2 (S.R. No. 16/1972).
 Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1972, No. 3 (S.R. No. 34/1972).
 Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1972, No. 4 (S.R. No. 39/1972).
- Educational Grants Act 1967—Educational Grants Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 286/1971).
- Fisheries Act 1968—
 Fisheries (Abalone Fishing) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 23/1972).
 Fishing (Commercial Fisheries Council) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 261/1971).
 Fishing (General) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 262/1971).
- Forests Act 1958—Forests (Part V.—Timber Promotion) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 264/1971).
- Gas and Fuel Corporation—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
- Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (Relating to Control of Weighbridges) No. 15 (S.R. No. 296/1971).
- Hairdressers Registration Act 1958—Hairdressers Registration (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 270/1971).
- Health Act 1958—
 Food and Drug Standards (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 38/1972).
 Household Insecticides (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 40/1972).
 Labelling of Hazardous Household Substances Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 2/1972).
 Labelling of Hazardous Household Substances Regulations 1972 (No. 1) (S.R. No. 12/1972).
 Night-soil and Sewage (Contamination of Land) Amendment Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 19/1972).
 Swimming Pools (Water Purification) Amendment Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 283/1971).
- La Trobe University—Report of the Council for the year 1970 ; together with statutes approved by the Governor in Council during 1970.
- Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—
 Report of the Victoria Law Foundation for the year ending 30th September, 1971.
 Solicitors' (Professional Conduct and Practice) Rules 1971.
- Local Government Act 1958—Local Government (Municipal Clerks Board) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 20/1972).
- Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—The Oats Marketing Board (Exemption) (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 33/1972).
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendments 4/71) (S.R. No. 278/1972).
- Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 5/1972).
- Mental Health Authority—Report for the year 1970.—Ordered to be printed.
- Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Loan No. 20) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 13/1972).
- Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958—First Mildura Irrigation Trust (Commissioners' Fees and Travelling Expenses) (Further Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 269/1971).
- Milk Board Act 1958—Milk Board (Prescribed Classes of Premises) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 4/1972).
- Monash University—Report of the Council for the year 1970 ; together with statutes approved by the Governor in Council during 1970.
- Motor Car Act 1958—
 Motor Car (Design Rules No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 300/1971).
 Motor Car (Design Rules No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 299/1971).
 Motor Car (Interim Label) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 42/1972).
 Motor Car (Modification) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 289/1971).
- National Gallery—Reports of the Trustees of the National Gallery for the year 1966–67 and 1967–68 (two papers).
- National Parks Authority—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
- National Parks Authority and the Director of National Parks—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
- Nurses Act 1958—Midwives (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 18/1972).
- Pipelines Act 1967—Pipelines (Construction and Operation) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 282/1971).
- Poisons Act 1962—
 Proclamations amending Schedules to the *Poisons Act* 1962 (two papers).
 Special Poisons (Levodopa) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 21/1972).

- Police Regulation Act 1958—
 Determination Nos. 179 to 183 inclusive of the Police Service Board (five papers).
 Police (Age of Entry of Policewomen) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 281/1971).
 Police (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 280/1971).
 Police (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 15/1972).
 Police (Married Women) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 298/1971).
 Police (Renaming of Police Depot) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 22/1972).
- Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958—
 Portland Harbor Trust Commissioners (Amendment No. 20) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 302/1971).
 Statement of accounts of the Portland Harbor Trust Commissioners for the year 1970—71.
- Protection of Animals Act 1966—
 Protection of Animals (Experiments) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 268/1971).
 Protection of Animals (Rodeos) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 267/1971).
- Psychological Practices Act 1965—Psychologists Registration Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 43/1972).
- Public Service Act 1958—
 Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 284/1971).
 Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 118 to 190 inclusive (seventy-three papers).
- Railways Act 1958—Reports of the Railways Commissioners for the quarters ended 30th September, 1971 and 31st December, 1971 (two papers).
- Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Absolute Speed Limit) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 285/1971).
- Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 14) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 271/1971).
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 16) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 290/1971).
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 17) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 292/1971).
- Securities Industry Act 1970—Securities Industry (Exemption) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 6/1972).
- Stamps Act 1958—
 Stamps (Further Exemptions) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 288/1971).
 Stamps Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 287/1971).
- State Accident Insurance Office and the State Motor Car Insurance Office—Report, and statements of accounts for the year 1970–71.
- State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
- State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Amendment No. 10) General Orders 1971 (S.R. No. 1/1972).
- Stock Diseases Act 1968—Stock Diseases Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 3/1972).
- Sunday Entertainment Act 1967—Sunday Entertainment (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 291/1971).
- Superannuation Act 1958—
 Report of the State Superannuation Board of Victoria for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 Superannuation (Table B) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 35/1972).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—
 Supreme Court (Certificate of Readiness) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 259/1971).
 Supreme Court (Investment of Money in Court) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 260/1971).
- Teaching Service Act 1958—
 Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations—Amendment No. 213.
 Teaching Service (Teachers' Tribunal) Regulations—Amendment Nos. 210 to 212 inclusive and 214 to 218 inclusive (eight papers).
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 Barrabool Planning Scheme 1966, Amendment Nos. 8 and 9 (two papers).
 City of Ararat Planning Scheme 1953, Amendment No. 12, 1970.
 City of Echuca Planning Scheme.
 City of Frankston Planning Scheme.
 City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment Nos. 80 and 84, 1970, 81, 87 and 89, 1971 (five papers).
 City of Mildura Planning Scheme.
 City of Shepparton Planning Scheme 1953, Amendment No. 21, 1970.
 Eildon Reservoir Planning Scheme 1959, (Shire of Mansfield) Amendment No. 7, 1969.
 Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 15, 1970 (City of Geelong).

Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955, Amendment No 11 (Shire of Barrabool).

Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment Nos. 13, 1968, 28, 32, 1970, and 34, 1971 (four papers).

Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment Nos. 35, 1970, 38 and 40, 1971 (three papers).

Valuation of Land Act 1960—Valuation of Land (Fees for Valuations) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 10/1972).

Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965—

Statute 8.1.4—Degree of Master of Engineering and other Degrees (S.R. No. 17/1972).

Statute 9.1—Fees (S.R. No. 279/1971).

Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Statement of guarantee given by the Treasurer for the repayment of advances made to the Victorian Inland Meat Authority.

Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 8) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 263/1971).

West Gate Bridge—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the failure of the bridge known as West Gate Bridge.

Wire Netting Act 1958—Wire Netting Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 274/1971).

Zoological Gardens Act 1967—Zoological Gardens (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 14/1972).

5. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Bill.

Educational Grants (Amendment) Bill.

Railway Works and Services Bill.

Education (Teacher Registration) Bill.

Supply (Final Supplementary Estimates) Bill.

6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 48)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 7th December last, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Gift Duty (Rates and Rebates) Bill.

Stamps (Gifts and Settlements) Bill.

Eastern Freeway Lands Bill.

Land (Surrenders) Bill.

7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 49)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 14th November last, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Housing (Amendment) Bill.

Land (Amendment) Bill.

Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Bill.

Racing (Amendment) Bill.

National Parks (Amendment) Bill.

Labour and Industry (Amendment) Bill.

Public Works and Services Bill.

Wheat Marketing Bill.

Public Works and State Development Committees Bill.

Water Supply Works and Services Bill.

Bees Bill.

Agricultural Colleges (Amendment) Bill.

Chiropodists (Registration) Bill.

Portland Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill.

Harbor Boards (Amendment) Bill.

Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) Bill.

Scaffolding (Amendment) Bill.

Stock Diseases (Composite Licences) Bill.

Justices (Civil Proceedings) Bill.

Closer Settlement Bill.

Summary Offences (Amendment) Bill.

Sewerage Districts (Amendment) Bill.

Evidence (Documents) Bill.

Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts (Amendment) Bill.

Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents (Employment) Bill.
 Latrobe Valley (Amendment) Bill.
 Hire-Purchase (Form) Bill.
 Poisons (Amendment) Bill.
 Geelong Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill.
 Eastern Railway Construction Bill.
 Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Bill.
 Educational Grants (Amendment) Bill.
 Railway Works and Services Bill.
 Education (Teacher Registration) Bill.
 Supply (Final Supplementary Estimates) Bill.

8. APPROPRIATION BILL.—Mr. Speaker announced that, on 14th December last, he had presented to His Excellency the Governor the Appropriation Bill, to which His Excellency was pleased to give the Royal Assent.
9. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ National Art Gallery and Cultural Centre Act 1956 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
10. CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Crimes Act 1958 ’ with respect to Powers of Arrest and for Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
11. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Disposal of Uncollected Goods Act 1961 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
12. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to vary the Restrictions imposed in relation to the Capital and Shares of Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited, to amend the Second Schedule of the ‘ Trustee Companies Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
13. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Firearms Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Licensing of Persons to use, carry, or possess Firearms, to amend the ‘ Game Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
14. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision for the Preservation of Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
15. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AFFILIATED COLLEGES) BILL.—Mr. Thompson, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965 ’ in relation to the Accounts of Affiliated Colleges, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
16. LAND (GREYHOUND RACING) BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Dunstan, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 222A of the ‘ Land Act 1958 ’ to enable Trustees and Committees of Management of Reserved Lands to grant Leases for the Purposes of Greyhound Racing or Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
17. MELBOURNE LAND (ROYAL MELBOURNE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY) BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Dunstan, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill relating to certain Land in the City of Melbourne* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
18. SEAMEN’S (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Seamen’s Act 1958 ’ with respect to Seamen of Foreign Vessels* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
19. DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The following Order of the Day, Government Business, was read and discharged :—
Door to Door Sales Bill—(From Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
 Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.

20. DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The following Order of the Day, Government Business, was read and discharged :—

Unordered Goods and Services Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.

21. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

22. SEAMEN'S (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

23. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

24. LAND (GREYHOUND RACING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

25. MELBOURNE LAND (ROYAL MELBOURNE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

26. CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

27. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after No. 3.

28. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.

Leave having been refused for the suspension of certain Private Bill Standing Orders—

Motion made and question proposed—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilcox*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Guy	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Mitchell	
Mr. Reese	
Mr. Reid	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Broad
Mr. Scanlan	Mr. McCabe

Noes, 21.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

28. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
29. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 5 to 14 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
30. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at nineteen minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 34.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Education—Report of the Minister for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Bulla Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 16, 1971.
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
4. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 3 be postponed until after No. 4.
6. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AFFILIATED COLLEGES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

1972.
VICTORIA.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1972–73.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 50.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly an estimate of expenditure for the months of July, August and September in the year 1972–73, and recommends an appropriation accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 1st March, 1972.

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

8. SUPPLY.—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.—The House, according to order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

9. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 and 5 to 16 inclusive, and Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
11. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Hamer*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 38.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Billing	Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Moss	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Reese	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Reid	Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Evans	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Holding	
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Kirkwood	
Mrs. Goble	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor	(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire		
(<i>Rodney</i>)			
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Broad		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. McCabe		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 35.

TUESDAY, 7TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. FAIR CONSUMER CREDIT LAWS.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the Report on Fair Consumer Credit Laws to the Hon. G. O. Reid, Q.C., M.L.A., Attorney-General for the State of Victoria by a committee of the Law Council of Australia (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
3. PAPER.—Mr. Reid presented—
Fair Consumer Credit Laws—Report to the Attorney-General by a committee of the Law Council of Australia.—Return to the foregoing Order.
Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Adult Education—Report of the Council for the year 1970–71.
Apprenticeship Act 1958—
Apprenticeship (General) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 47).
Apprenticeship (Watch Making Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 44).
Evidence Act 1958—Court Reporting (Fees) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 45).
Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board Superannuation Regulations No. 2, 1972 (S.R. No. 53).
Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 46).
Motor Boating Act 1961—
Motor Boating (Lake Buffalo) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 48).
Motor Boating (Phillip Island Speed Restrictions) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 49).
Police Regulation Act 1958—
Police (Age) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 50).
Police (Authorised Strength No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 51).
Public Service Act 1958—
Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 54).
Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 191 and 192 (two papers).
Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (“L” Plates) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 52).
Rural Finance and Settlement Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 55).
Teachers Tribunal—Reports for the years 1968–69 and 1969–70.—Severally ordered to be printed.
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 72, 1971.
Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 48, 1971.

5. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Lind rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, "The failure of the Government to take steps to provide adequate finance for the proper functioning of the Mental Health Authority."

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion—
Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Lind*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 23.		Noes, 43.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton	Sir Henry Bolte	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Broad	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Fordham		Mrs. Goble	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Ginifer		Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Hamer	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Jona	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Lind	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
		(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Rafferty	
		Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Reid	Mr. Burgin
		Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. McDonald
		Mr. Rossiter	(<i>Rodney</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

6. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL—PRIVATE BILL STANDING ORDERS DISPENSED WITH.—
Motion made and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders, except those relating to the payment of fees be dispensed with, and that the Western Port (Steel Works Rating) Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Wilcox*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 44.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Evans	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Fordham	
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Ginifer	
Mrs. Goble	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. Jona	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Moss			
Mr. Rafferty			
Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Broad		
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Burgin		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

7. **ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Bornstein*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. **FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 21st March instant.
9. **DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered and amendment agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
10. **SEAMEN'S (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. **VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. **WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Evans, Gippsland East*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
13. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
14. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 20 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
15. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 36.

WEDNESDAY, 8TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PETITION—PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICES AND MENTAL HEALTH.**—Sir Edgar Tanner presented a Petition from certain citizens of Victoria praying that the House will take action to repeal the *Psychological Practices Act 1965* and to seek the appointment of a public inquiry into the Mental Health Services of Victoria.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. **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—Regulations amended—No. 193.

4. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 28.	
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Sir Henry Bolte	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Broad	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Taylor	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Turnbull
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)	Mr. Fell	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler	(Dundas)	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lind	
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire	Mr. Lovegrove	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maclellan		Mr. McDonald	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>	(Rodney)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Rossiter	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative—Bill read a second time.

Motion made and question—That the Bill be committed (*Mr. Wilcox*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 42.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
(Ballaarat North)	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)	(Dundas)	Mr. Curnow
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Guy	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox		
(Rodney)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reese	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill considered in Committee.

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

THURSDAY, 9TH MARCH, 1972.

Bill reported without amendment ; read the third time, after debate.

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

5. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 17 inclusive, and Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

7. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at twelve minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 37.

TUESDAY, 14TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Gippsland Folk Museum) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 56).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—The Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board (Registration of Producers) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 58).
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Charges for Quarters, Board, Allowances) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 59).
 - Motor Boating Act 1961—Motor Boating (Curdies River and Curdies Inlet) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 60).
 - Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 61).
 - Stock Diseases Act 1968—Stock Diseases (Composite Licences) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 57).
 - Supreme Court Act 1958—Administration and Probate Act 1958—Supreme Court (Probate) Rules 1972 (S.R. No. 62).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 83, 1970.
 - Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 59, 1970.
3. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Legal Profession Practice Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Road Traffic Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Public Service Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (NO. 2).—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Dunstan, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to revoke the Crown Grant of certain Land and the permanent Reservations of certain Lands and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Dunstan, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958 ’ to enable the Payment of Allowances and Travelling Expenses to Members of the Central Advisory Council* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Mr. Rafferty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to continue a Consumer Affairs Council and a Consumer Protection Bureau, to make further Provision with respect to certain dishonest or undesirable Trade Practices, to consolidate and amend certain Enactments relating to the Protection of the Consumer and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. LAND (GREYHOUND RACING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
10. MELBOURNE LAND (ROYAL MELBOURNE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

11. **CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That the proposals contained in the proposed new section 463 of the *Crimes Act 1958*, to be inserted by clause 2 of the Crimes (Powers of Arrest) Bill, be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
Bill considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. **SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.**—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
13. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Adoption of Children Act 1964 ’* ”.
14. **ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
15. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
16. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 17 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
17. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 38.

WEDNESDAY, 15TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PETITION—DAYLIGHT SAVING.**—Mr. Broad presented a Petition from certain citizens of Victoria praying that the House take such action as it may to prevent the re-introduction of daylight saving in Victoria.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. **PAPER.**—The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 194.
4. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Local Government Act 1958 ’, the ‘ County Court Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Local Government (Further Amendment) Act 1971 ’ and for other purposes.* ”
5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.**—On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. **REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (No. 2).**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 29th March instant.
7. **VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

8. ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Bornstein*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 11 inclusive be postponed until after No. 12.
10. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 29th March instant.
11. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Deputy-Speaker announced that Mr. Speaker had ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, except those relating to the payment of fees, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Reid*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AFFILIATED COLLEGES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
13. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
15. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 11 inclusive and 13 to 21 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 39.

TUESDAY, 21ST MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—TERTIARY EDUCATION FEES.—Mr. Edmunds (on behalf of Mr. Clarey) presented a Petition from certain citizens associated with the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology praying that the House take such action as it may to abolish the payment of tertiary education fees.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Appeal Costs Fund Act 1964—Appeal Costs Fund (Adjournment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 71).
 - Dairy Products Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 31st December, 1971.
 - Dandenong Valley Authority—Report and statement of accounts for the year ended 30th September, 1971.
 - Game Act 1958—Proclamation altering the close season for wild ducks and teal (S.R. No. 63).
 - Health Act 1958—
 - Irradiating Apparatus and Radio-Active Substances (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. 67).
 - Pest Control Operators Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 65).
 - Milk Board Act 1958—Milk Board (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 70).
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Brake Lamp) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 68).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 184 of the Police Service Board.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 195 to 199 (five papers).
 - Road Traffic Act 1958—
 - Road Traffic (Further Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 69).
 - Road Traffic (Traffic Infringements) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 64).
 - Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 3) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 66).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 91, 1971.
 - Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955, Amendment No. 12, (Shire of Barrabool).
 - Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 9) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 72).
4. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NATIONAL TRUSTEES) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to vary the restrictions imposed in relation to the Capital and Shares of National Trustees Executors and Agency Company of Australasia Limited, to amend the Second Schedule of the ‘ Trustee Companies Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. GAME BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Game Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. JUSTICES BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Justices Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Crimes Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Preliminary Examination of Persons charged with Indictable Offences and for Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to constitute a Taxation Board of Review, to make provision concerning Appeals against Decisions Assessments and Determinations relating to Tax and Duty payable under various Acts, to amend the ‘ Land Tax Act 1958 ’ the ‘ Stamps Act 1958 ’ the ‘ Probate Duty Act 1962 ’ the ‘ Gift Duty Act 1971 ’ and the ‘ Pay-roll Tax Act 1971 ’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. LEO CUSSEN INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to establish a Body Corporate under the name of the Leo Cussen Institute for Continuing Legal Education and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

9. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr Smith (*Warrnambool*), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Country Fire Authority Act 1958’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 4th April next.
11. PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Kirkwood*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 4th April next.
13. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
14. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
15. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 51.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to make Provision for the Preservation of Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics.
The Governor’s Office,
Melbourne, 7th March, 1972.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
16. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor’s Message No. 51.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Stokes reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.
17. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.
18. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Seamen’s (Amendment) Bill.
Land (Greyhound Racing) Bill.
Melbourne Land (Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology) Bill.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 18 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at nineteen minutes past Ten o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—TERTIARY EDUCATION FEES.—Mr. Simmonds presented a Petition from certain citizens associated with the La Trobe University praying that the House take such action as it may to abolish the payment of tertiary education fees.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.—Mr. Wheeler, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Public Accounts Committee upon the Auditor-General's Reports for 1970-71.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
4. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Borough of Kyabram Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 8, 1971.
5. MARINE BILL.—Mr. Rafferty obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the ' Marine Act 1958 ' "*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rossiter obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend Sections 38 and 38A of the ' Nurses Act 1958 ' "*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
7. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 52.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958* to enable the Payment of Allowances and Travelling Expenses to Members of the Central Advisory Council.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 15th March, 1972.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
9. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 52.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
10. ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
11. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NATIONAL TRUSTEES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

12. LEO CUSSEN INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
13. TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 5th April next.
14. GAME BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 5th April next.
15. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
16. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.—The House, according to order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
17. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 22 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at forty minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 41.

TUESDAY, 28TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (General) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 76).
 - Extractive Industries Act 1966—Extractive Industries (Board of Examiners for Quarry Managers) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 73).
 - Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1958—Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage (Long Service Leave) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 74).
 - Health Act 1958—Food and Drug Standards (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 75).
 - Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board—Report for the year 1970–71.
 - Entertainments Tax—Report of the Commissioner of Entertainments Tax for the year 1970–71.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Amendment No. 20.
 - Shire of Bulla Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 21, 1971.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 53)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Seamen's (Amendment) Bill.
 - Land (Greyhound Racing) Bill.
 - Melbourne Land (Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology) Bill.
 - Adoption of Children (Amendment) Bill.
4. LIQUOR CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Liquor Control Act 1968' and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to increase the Compensation payable under the 'Workers Compensation Act 1958'*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to extend the Jurisdiction of the County Court in relation to certain Civil Matters and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. SUPREME COURT (CIVIL APPEALS) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Supreme Court Act 1958' with respect to the Powers of the Full Court in hearing and determining Appeals*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

8. **MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.**—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to provide for the Better Administration of the Mt. Hotham Alpine Area*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. **DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL.**—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill relating to certain Lands in the Parish of Currawa*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. **SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Soldier Settlement Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Rural Finance Act 1958 ’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
11. **NATIONAL PARKS—REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR, 1970–71.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this House take note of the Report of the Director of National Parks for the year 1970–71 (*Mr. Wilton*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Scanlan*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
12. **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 after No. 4.
13. **FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
14. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—
- ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.
- Message No. 54.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Firearms Act 1958* with respect to the Licensing of Persons to use, carry, or possess Firearms, to amend the *Game Act 1958*, and for other purposes.
- The Governor’s Office,
Melbourne, 15th March, 1972.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
15. **FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor’s Message No. 54.
- House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
- Mr. Ginifer reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
- And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time, after debate.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
16. **MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
- Disposal of Uncollected Goods (Amendment) Bill.
- Crimes (Powers of Arrest) Bill.
- Trustee Companies (Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited) Bill.
17. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Victorian Arts Centre Bill with an amendment.
- Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
18. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
19. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, and 5 to 18 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
20. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at fifty-eight minutes past Ten o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—Mr. Wilcox presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Victorian Land Transport System—Report of the Board of Inquiry.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 200 and 201 (two papers).
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 39, 1971.
3. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—LAND TRANSPORT BOARD OF INQUIRY.—Mr. Wilcox made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the Report of the Board of Inquiry into the Victorian Land Transport System.
Motion made, by leave, and question proposed—That this House take note of the Ministerial Statement (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 19th April next.
4. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Holding rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, “The failure of the Government to provide adequate education facilities and services to migrant children.”
Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion—
Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Holding*)—after debate, put.
The House divided.

	Ayes, 20.		Noes, 44.
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds	Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Broad	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Fordham		Mr. Crellin	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Ginifer	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Dixon	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Holding	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Dunstan	<i>(Balwyn)</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
<i>(Dundas)</i>	<i>(Portland)</i>	<i>(Ballarat North)</i>	<i>(Gippsland South)</i>
		Mr. Evans	Mr. Templeton
		<i>(Gippsland East)</i>	Mr. Thompson
		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Guy	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Jona	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. McLaren	
		Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. McDonald
		Mr. Mitchell	<i>(Rodney)</i>
		Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith
		Mr. Reese	<i>(Bellarine)</i>

And so it passed in the negative.

5. GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL.—Mr. Rafferty obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to provide for the Establishment of a Government Buildings Advisory Council and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 12th April next.

7. **DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 12th April next.
8. **COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 12th April next.
9. **SUPREME COURT (CIVIL APPEALS) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 12th April next.
10. **SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Dundas*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 12th April next.
11. **MARINE BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fell*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 11th April next.
12. **COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Portland*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 11th April next.
13. **JUSTICES BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 12th April next.
14. **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.
15. **VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
 Clause 4, lines 2-3, omit—
 ‘ section :—
 “ 11. (1) ’
 and insert—
 ‘ sections :—
 “ 11. (1) The committee shall not later than the 30th September 1972 and not later than the 30th September in each year thereafter make a report to the Minister on the operation of this Act.
 (2) Every such report shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within 14 days of the making thereof if Parliament is then sitting and if Parliament is not then sitting within 14 days of the meeting of Parliament.
 12. (1) ’
- And the said amendment was read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
16. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 to 21 inclusive be postponed until after No. 22.
17. **TEACHING SERVICE (TEACHERS TRIBUNAL) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 12th April next.
18. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 to 13 inclusive be postponed until after No. 14.
19. **SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.**—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

20. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 11th April next at Two o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

21. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 to 13 inclusive, 15 to 21 inclusive, and 23 to 30 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday, 11th April next.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday, 11th April next :—

Workers Compensation Bill—Second reading.

22. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question proposed—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Hamer*). Debate ensued.

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

THURSDAY, 30TH MARCH, 1972.

Question—put and agreed to.

And then the House, at fifteen minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday, 11th April next.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 43.

TUESDAY, 11TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—TERTIARY EDUCATION FEES.—Mr. Dixon presented a Petition from certain citizens associated with the National Gallery of Victoria Art School praying that the House take such action as it may to abolish the payment of tertiary education fees.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Aboriginal Affairs Act 1967—Aboriginal Affairs (Allowances and Fees Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 84).
 - Coroners Act 1958—Coroners (Post-mortem Fees and Expenses) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 80).
 - Education Act 1958—Report of the Council of Public Education for the year 1970–71.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Evidence Act 1958—
 - Evidence (Crown Witnesses Allowances) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 78).
 - Evidence (Interpreters Allowances) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 79).
 - Health Act 1958—Cigarette Package Labelling Regulations, 1972 (S.R. No. 85).
 - Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Power Take-off) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 81).
 - Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Council of Legal Education—Rules amended (S.R. No. 83).
 - Local Government Act 1958—Local Government (Market Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 77).
 - Marketable Securities Act 1970—Marketable Securities (Authorized Trustee Corporations) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 82).
 - Poisons Act 1962—Special Poisons (Ovulatory Stimulant) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 86).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 185 of the Police Service Board.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 202–204 (three papers).
 - Racing Act 1958—Racing (Greyhound Racing Grounds Development Board) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 87).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 63, 1970.
4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 55)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 6th April instant, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Disposal of Uncollected Goods (Amendment) Bill.
 - Crimes (Powers of Arrest) Bill.
 - Trustee Companies (Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited) Bill.
 - Victorian Arts Centre Bill.

5. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Crimes Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Justices Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. POLICE OFFENCES BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Part V. of the ‘ Police Offences Act 1958 ’ and section 17 of the ‘ Summary Offences Act 1966 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
7. FILMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 13 of the ‘ Films Act 1971 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
8. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Hamer, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. 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.
10. LIQUOR CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 25th April instant.
11. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 25th April instant.
12. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (NO. 2).—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
13. TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 56.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to constitute a Taxation Board of Review, to make provision concerning Appeals against Decisions Assessments and Determinations relating to Tax and Duty payable under various Acts, to amend the *Land Tax Act 1958* the *Stamps Act 1958* the *Probate Duty Act 1962* the *Gift Duty Act 1971* and the *Pay-roll Tax Act 1971*, and for other purposes.

The Governor’s Office,
Melbourne, 28th March, 1972.

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

15. TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor’s Message NO. 56.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.

16. GAME BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 57.

Noes, 8.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Curnow	(Bellarine)
Mr. Doube	Mr. Smith
Mr. Edmunds	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Fell	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Floyd	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Ginifer	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Guy	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Holding	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Turnbull
(Dundas)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilcox
(Portland)	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Lind	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Loxton	
Mr. McCabe	Tellers.
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Kirkwood

Mr. Evens	Mr. Whiting
(Gippsland East)	
Mr. Mitchell	Tellers.
Mr. Moss	Mr. Broad
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Trewin	(Rodney)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed.

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

17. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—GAME BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 57.

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

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 28th March, 1972.

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

18. GAME BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 57.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

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

19. TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments and with an amended title, which title is as follows :—

“ A Bill to constitute a Victorian Taxation Board of Review, to make provision concerning Appeals against Decisions Assessments and Determinations relating to Tax and Duty payable under various Acts, to amend the ‘ Land Tax Act 1958 ’ the ‘ Stamps Act 1958 ’ the ‘ Probate Duty Act 1962 ’ the ‘ Gift Duty Act 1971 ’ and the ‘ Pay-roll Tax Act 1971 ’, and for other purposes.”

Bill as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.

On the motion of Mr. Hamer, the following amendments were made in this Bill :—

Clause 1, line 10, before "Taxation" insert "Victorian".

Clause 1, line 10, omit "14" and insert "15".

Clause 1, line 11, omit "15-26" and insert "16-27".

Clause 1, line 12, omit "27" and insert "28".

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

20. 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 after No. 10.
21. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to.

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

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Bill read the third time, after debate.

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

22. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
23. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 9 inclusive and 11 to 27 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until later this day :—

Police Offences Bill—Second reading.

Films (Amendment) Bill—Second reading.

Government Buildings Advisory Council Bill—Second reading.

24. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at seventeen minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Three o'clock this day.

J. H. CAMPBELL.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,

Speaker.

No. 44.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Western Port (Steel Works Rating) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
3. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).—Mr. Rossiter obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section 5 of the 'Poisons Act 1962'"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
4. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—Mr. Hamer, after debate, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to authorize certain Football Pools to be carried on in Victoria, to establish a Sports Commission, to make Provision with respect to Financial Assistance for Improvement to certain Sports Grounds, to amend the 'Tattersall Consultations Act 1958' and for other purposes"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. FILMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. POLICE OFFENCES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 26th April instant.
7. GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 20th April instant.

8. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
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. LEO CUSSEN INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Deputy-Speaker announced that Mr. Speaker had ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NATIONAL TRUSTEES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders, except those relating to the payment of fees be dispensed with, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
13. JUSTICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
14. NURSES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dixon	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Thompson
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trethewey
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Guy	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Loxton	
Mr. McCabe	
Mr. McDonald	
(<i>Rodney</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Reid	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

Noes, 19.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	
Mr. Fordham	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Holding	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Lewis
(<i>Dundas</i>)	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. Lind	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill without amendment.
16. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
17. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Eleven o'clock (*Mr. Balfour*)—put and agreed to.
18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 to 32 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at fifty-two minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 45.

THURSDAY, 13TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Noble Park—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 205.
3. SUPPLY—“GRIEVANCE DAY”.—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and negatived.
Ordered—That this House will, this day, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.
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. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 27th April instant.
6. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 27th April instant.
7. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1972.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—
Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$194,675,000 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1972–73, viz. :—

PARLIAMENT

Division No.		\$
100.	Legislative Council—Expenses of Select Committees	1,000
101.	Legislative Assembly—Salaries, General Expenses, and other Services	67,000
102.	Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	58,000
103.	Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c... .. .	69,000
106.	Parliament Library—Salaries and General Expenses	18,000
109.	Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses	38,000

PREMIER

Division No.	\$
120. Governor's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	50,000
121. Premier's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	183,000
127. State Film Centre—Salaries and General Expenses	47,000
130. Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services..	255,000
133. Agent-General—Salaries and General Expenses	40,000
136. Public Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	207,000
139. Public Service Board Electronic Data Processing Service Bureau—Salaries and General Expenses	118,000
142. Audit Office—Salaries and General Expenses	199,000

CHIEF SECRETARY

160. Chief Secretary's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	131,000
166. Totalizator Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	17,000
169. State Accident Insurance Office—Salaries	211,000
172. State Motor Car Insurance Office—Salaries	244,000
175. Workers Compensation Board—Salaries	25,000
178. Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	428,000
181. Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses	18,000
184. Government Statist—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	173,000
187. Police—Salaries and General Expenses	10,425,000
190. Police Service Board—Salaries and General Expenses	3,000
193. State Library, National Museum and Science Museum Administration— Salaries and General Expenses	94,000
196. State Library—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	296,000
199. National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services.. ..	57,000
202. Science Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	35,000
205. National Gallery—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	244,000

SOCIAL WELFARE

240. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	205,000
246. Family Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,517,000
249. Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	685,000
252. Prisons—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,293,000
255. Training—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	55,000
258. Probation and Parole—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	149,000

LABOUR AND INDUSTRY

280. Labour and Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	553,000
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EDUCATION

300. Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	78,500,000
320. Teachers Tribunal—Salaries and General Expenses	20,000

ATTORNEY-GENERAL

350. Attorney-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	488,000
356. Courts Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,636,000
359. Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles—Salaries and General Expenses ..	588,000
362. Registrar of Companies—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	152,000
365. Rent Control—Salaries and General Expenses	23,000
368. Public Trustee—Salaries and General Expenses	245,000

TREASURER

400. Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	7,384,000
403. Advance to Treasurer	3,500,000
406. Pay-roll Tax	3,100,000
412. Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses	73,000
415. State Superannuation Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services..	116,000
418. Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services..	55,000
421. Taxation Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	259,000
424. Stamp Duties—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	221,000
427. Government Printer—Salaries and General Expenses	777,000

LANDS

450. Crown Lands Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	790,000
456. Survey—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	521,000
459. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General Expenses	91,000

PUBLIC WORKS

480. Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,465,000
490. Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	596,000

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Division No.	\$
510. Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	146,000
516. Valuer-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	157,000
519. Weights and Measures—Salaries and General Expenses	76,000
522. Town and Country Planning Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	103,000
MINES	
540. Mines—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	418,000
546. Explosives—Salaries and General Expenses	47,000
549. Gas Regulation—Salaries	17,000
AGRICULTURE	
570. Agriculture Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	588,000
576. Agricultural Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	330,000
579. Agriculture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	517,000
582. Horticulture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	630,000
585. Animal Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	399,000
588. Animal Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	261,000
591. Dairying—Salaries, Expenses, and Other Services	383,000
594. Extension Services—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	56,000
HEALTH	
620. Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	17,903,000
626. General Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,506,000
629. Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	936,000
632. Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,882,000
635. Mental Hygiene—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	8,418,000
STATE DEVELOPMENT	
660. State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	261,000
666. Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	30,000
669. Industrial Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	56,000
ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS	
690. Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs—Contribution to Aboriginal Affairs Fund ..	103,000
FUEL AND POWER	
700. Ministry of Fuel and Power—Salaries and General Expenses	17,000
RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION	
710. Railway Construction Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	35,000
TRANSPORT	
720. Ministry of Transport—Salaries and General Expenses	17,000
FORESTS	
730. Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,260,000
WATER SUPPLY	
740. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	3,760,000
RAILWAYS	
750. Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	33,555,000
Total	<u>\$194,675,000</u>

Ordered—That this House will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

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

8. **WAYS AND MEANS.**—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1972-73 the sum of \$194,675,000 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of Victoria.

Ordered—That this House will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

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

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

9. SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL.—Mr. Hamer then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of One hundred and ninety-four million six hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-three* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

10. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 26 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

And then the House, at thirty-nine minutes past Six o’clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 46.

TUESDAY, 18TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Modular Courses No. 6) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 90).
 - Apprenticeship (Modular Courses No. 7) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 89).
 - Apprenticeship (Plumbing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 88).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—
 - Proclamation declaring that chicory shall become the property of the Chicory Marketing Board.
 - Proclamation declaring that onions shall become the property of the Onion Marketing Board.
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Meal Reimbursement) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 91).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 186 of the Police Service Board.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 206–208 (three papers).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment ' B '.
 - Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 52, 1970.
 - Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 47, 1971.
 - Workers Compensation Board—Balance sheet and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 58)—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill.
4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1971–72.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 59.*

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the year 1971–72, and recommends an appropriation accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 18th April, 1972.

Ordered to lie on the Table with the accompanying Estimates, the Estimates to be printed and referred to the Committee of Supply.
5. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 2nd May next.
6. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
7. SUPREME COURT (CIVIL APPEALS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
- Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

8. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Order read for resuming debate adjourned on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment.

Motion made and question—That this Bill be now read a third time (*Mr. Reid*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Guy	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Reid	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 21.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read the third time.

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

9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
10. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
11. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SOLDIER SETTLEMENT BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—
- ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 60.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Soldier Settlement Act 1958* and the *Rural Finance Act 1958*.
- The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 6th March, 1972.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
12. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 60.
- House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
- Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
- And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

13. MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Amendment proposed—That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until such time as the Land Conservation Council has submitted to the House a report on the proposals contained therein ” (*Mr. Mitchell*)—and, after debate—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 56.		Noes, 7.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. McLaren	Mr. Broad	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Meagher	Mr. Evans	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Billing	Mr. Mutton	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reese	Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Ross-Edwards	
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Whiting	
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Shilton		
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Simmonds		
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Bellarine</i>)		
Mr. Doube	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Dunstan	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)		
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Stephen		
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett		
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner		
Mr. Fell	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Floyd	(<i>Balwyn</i>)		
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Thompson		
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Guy	Mr. Trezise		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Turnbull		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wilton		
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Lewis			
(<i>Portland</i>)			
Mr. Lind			
Mr. Lovegrove			
Mr. Loxton	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Taylor		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed.

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

14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 61.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to provide for the Better Administration of the Mt. Hotham Alpine area.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 6th March, 1972.

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

15. MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 61.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

Bill considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

16. **MARINE BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

17. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MARINE BILL.**—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 62.

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

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 29th March, 1972.

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

18. **MARINE BILL.**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 62.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Jona reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

19. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 14 inclusive be postponed until later this day.

20. **WAYS AND MEANS—PORT FEES.**—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Jona reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *Marine Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Marine Bill there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors the fees set forth hereunder, namely :—

Upon the landing in Victoria of goods—a wharfage and harbors rate not exceeding \$2 per ton or part thereof or of \$2 for 40 cubic feet or part thereof.

Upon all ships arriving in a port in Victoria—duty at such rate not exceeding \$0.15 per ton as is from time to time fixed by the Governor in Council.

Upon a ship arriving in a port in Victoria in ballast—duty at such rate not exceeding \$0.05 per ton per trip as is from time to time fixed by the Governor in Council.

Upon a ship arriving in a port in Victoria during any period of six months only in ballast—duty at such rate not exceeding \$0.10 per ton per trip as is from time to time fixed by the Governor in Council.

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

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

21. **MARINE BILL.**—Considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.

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

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

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

23. **WAYS AND MEANS—BOOKMAKERS STATEMENTS DUTY.**—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *Stamps Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Stamps (Bookmakers' Statements) Bill there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors upon any bookmaker's statement furnished to the Comptroller of Stamps by any bookmaker in respect of bets made by the bookmaker as such, whether the amount wagered by the backer in any such bet is or is not paid to the bookmaker at the time the bet is made—

(a) in respect of the aggregate of the amounts wagered by the backers in all such bets made at the Flemington race-course, the Caulfield race-course, the Sandown race-course, the Moonee Valley race-course, the Royal Showgrounds race-course at Ascot Vale, the Olympic Park greyhound racing sports ground and the Sandown Park greyhound racing sports ground—an amount equal to Two and a quarter per centum of the said aggregate ;

(b) in respect of the aggregate of the amounts wagered by the backers in all such bets made at all other race-courses and sports grounds in Victoria—an amount equal to One and three quarters per centum of the said aggregate ; and

- (c) in respect of all such bets made on any race-course or sports ground in Victoria in relation to which betting-tickets have not been issued by the bookmaker—an amount equal to the sum which the bookmaker would have been required to pay in stamp duty if he had issued in respect of all such bets betting-tickets on the appropriate race-course or sports ground and in the appropriate part thereof as provided in and under heading XIV. of the Third Schedule to the said Act.

For the purposes hereof—

the amount of any bet which is cancelled or called off in accordance with any relevant rule practice or direction of a racing club or sports promoter shall not be included in any such aggregate ; and

a bet for a win and a place or a “ double ” or “ treble ” or other similar bet shall be deemed one bet only.

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

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

Ordered—That Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) and Mr. Hamer do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

24. STAMPS (BOOKMAKERS' STATEMENTS) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Stamps Act 1958’ in relation to Bookmakers’ Statements, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed, and read a second time to-morrow.

25. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Two (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 16 to 24 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—

Public Service (Amendment) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

Victoria Institute of Colleges (Affiliated Colleges) Bill—To be further considered in Committee.

Consumer Protection Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

Local Government Bill—(from Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

Western Port (Steel Works Rating) Bill—Amendments of the Legislative Council—To be considered.

Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

27. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 47.

WEDNESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 85, 1970.
3. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Town and Country Planning Act 1961’ and for other purposes* ”.
4. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

5. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Simmonds rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, "The failure of the Department of Labour and Industry to adequately police the provisions of the Mannequin and Models Determination."

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion—

Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Simmonds*)—after debate, put. The House divided.

Ayes, 18.		Noes, 43.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reese
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Broad	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Fordham		Mr. Crellin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Ginifer		Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Amos	Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Mutton	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
		(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Guy	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
		(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	
		Mr. McDonald	<i>Tellers.</i>
		(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Smith
		Mr. McLaren	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
		Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Meagher	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
		Mr. Mitchell	

And so it passed in the negative.

6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 63.

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

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 18th April, 1972.

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

7. COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 63.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Balfour then brought up a Bill intituled " *A Bill to amend Part III. of the ' Coal Mines Act 1958 ' ;* and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

8. RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled " *A Bill to amend the ' Racing Act 1958 ' with respect to Totalizator Commissions and for other purposes* " ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

9. STAMPS (BOOKMAKERS' STATEMENTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
10. SUPPLY—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1971–72.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
- Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
11. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Trustee Companies (National Trustees) Bill.
Game Bill.
12. 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.
13. MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
14. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Allowances) Bill.
Leo Cussen Institute for Continuing Legal Education Bill.
Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill (No. 2).
15. CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
16. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rafferty, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 64.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to continue a Consumer Affairs Council and a Consumer Protection Bureau, to make further Provision with respect to certain dishonest or undesirable Trade Practices, to consolidate and amend certain Enactments relating to the Protection of the Consumer and for other purposes.
- The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 21st March, 1972.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
17. CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 64.
- House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
- Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
- And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Bill considered in Committee.
- Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Returning the Firearms (Amendment) Bill and, on consideration of the Bill in Committee, suggesting an amendment.
- Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 22 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
- Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

THURSDAY, 20TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. DEATH OF THE HONORABLE GEOFFREY JOHN O'CONNELL.—Motion made and question—That this House expresses its sincere sorrow at the death of the Honorable Geoffrey John O'Connell, a Member of the Legislative Council for the Melbourne Province from 21st June, 1958, and places on record its acknowledgement of the valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after Mr. Speaker and other Honorable Members had addressed the House in support of the motion, and, Honorable Members rising in their places to signify their assent, agreed to unanimously.
3. DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The following Order of the Day, Government Business, was read and discharged :—
Victoria Institute of Colleges (Affiliated Colleges) Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.
4. COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
5. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. FILMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Burgin	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Thompson
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Trethewey
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Guy	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McDonald	
(<i>Rodney</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Broad
Mr. Meagher	Mr. McCabe

Noes, 18.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

7. COMPLAINT.—Mr. Dixon having raised a matter of privilege, on 19th April instant, with respect to certain members addressing an assemblage on the steps of Parliament House on 19th April instant.

Mr. Speaker said—Order ! I have studied the statement of complaint suggested as a breach of privilege by the honorable member for St. Kilda yesterday. The complaint alleges that the Leader of the Opposition and the honorable members for Albert Park and Greensborough addressed an assemblage of more than 50 people on the steps of Parliament House while the Parliament was sitting last evening.

The honorable member for St. Kilda cited the *Unlawful Assemblies and Processions Act 1958*. The consolidated *Unlawful Assemblies and Processions Act No. 6406* had its origin in *Act No. 108 of 1860*, entitled an "Act for Securing the Freedom of the Deliberations of Parliament and for Preventing Disorderly Meetings."

I submit it is not a question as to whether the Act itself has been transgressed by the actions complained of. It is a question of the bearing these actions have on the proper conduct of the affairs of this House. Chapter VIII. of the 17th edition of *May*, entitled "Breaches of Privilege and Contempts" under division A "Acts or Conduct Constituting Breach of Privilege or Contempt", has this to say—

Contempt in General.

It would be vain to attempt an enumeration of every act which might be construed into a contempt, the power to punish for contempt being in its nature discretionary. Certain principles may, however, be collected from the Journals which will serve as general declarations of the law of Parliament. It may be stated generally that any act or omission which obstructs or impedes either House of Parliament in the performance of its functions, or which obstructs or impedes any member or officer of such House in the discharge of his duty, or which has a tendency, directly or indirectly, to produce such results may be treated as a contempt even though there is no precedent of the offence.

Any unlawful assembly of people in the immediate vicinity of Parliament at sitting time can be considered to obstruct or impede either House of Parliament in the performance of its duties. Any member or officer of the House is impeded in the discharge of his duty, if, wishing to clear an unlawful assembly from the precincts of the House, he is unable to do so for fear of offending or molesting members of the House who have joined in that assembly.

To address an assembly is surely to join in the assembly. If a member of this House joins in an unlawful assembly in the immediate vicinity of this House it could be said that his presence in the assembly adds to obstruction or impeding. I specially refer to the matter raised of any member or officer impeded, either directly or indirectly in the discharge of his duties.

In the matter of the complaint from the honorable member for St. Kilda I submit to the House that, in established terms, some contempt of Parliament is involved. This suggests a prima facie case of breach of privilege. I believe it is adequate for me to report that there is a case for further and immediate consideration of this matter by the House.

8. **POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
9. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).**—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rossiter, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 65.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend Section 5 of the *Poisons Act 1962.*
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 18th April, 1972.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
10. **POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 65.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. **PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
12. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 66.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Public Service Act 1958.*
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 18th April, 1972.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
13. **PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 66.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

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

14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 7 be postponed until after Nos. 8 and 9.
15. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Preamble, line 11, omit “ independant ” and insert “ independent ”.
 2. Clause 2, sub-clause (1), omit this sub-clause and insert the following sub-clause :—
“ () In this Act “ the land ” means the land described in the First and Second Schedules to the agreement set out in the Schedule to the *Western Port (Steel Works) Act 1970*.”
 3. Clause 3, sub-clause (3), line 32, omit “ are ” and insert “ is ”.

And the said amendments were read a second time.

On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, and after debate—

Amendments Nos. 1 and 3 agreed to.

Amendment No. 2—

Motion made and question proposed—That this amendment be agreed to (*Mr. Wilcox*)—and, after debate—

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilcox*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the further consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council be adjourned until to-morrow.

16. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Whiting*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

17. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Wednesday next, at half-past Two o'clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government business, Nos. 6, 7, and 10 to 24 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Wednesday next.

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 49.

WEDNESDAY, 26TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. DEATH OF LESLIE JAMES COCHRANE, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., J.P.—Motion made and question—That this House expresses its sincere sorrow at the death of Leslie James Cochrane, Esquire, O.B.E., J.P., and places on record its acknowledgement of the valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria as Member of the Legislative Assembly for the electoral district of Gippsland West from 13th May, 1950 to 30th May, 1970 (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put, after Mr. Speaker and other Honorable Members had addressed the House in support of the motion, and, Honorable Members rising in their places to signify their assent, agreed to unanimously.
3. COMPLAINT.—Motion made and question proposed—That this House deplores the actions of the Honorable the Leader of the Opposition and the Honorable Members for Greensborough and Albert Park in addressing an unlawful assembly on the steps of Parliament House on Wednesday, 19th April instant, and considers them guilty of a contempt of the House of which they are Members and a breach of privilege (*Mr. Dixon*)—and, after debate—
Amendment proposed—That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ this House, having heard the Honorable the Leader of the Opposition, the Honorable the Member for Albert Park, and the Honorable Member for Greensborough in explanation, do now proceed with the business of the House as set down in the Notice Paper ” (*Mr. Wilton*)—and, after debate—
Amendment proposed and question—That after the word “ explanation ” in the proposed amendment there be inserted the words “ and they having expressed their regrets ” (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put and negatived.
Question—That the words proposed to be inserted, as amended, be so inserted—put and agreed to.
Question—That this House, having heard the Honorable the Leader of the Opposition, the Honorable Member for Albert Park, and the Honorable Member for Greensborough, in explanation and they having expressed their regrets, do now proceed with the business of the House as set down in the Notice Paper—put and agreed to.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Clean Air Act 1958—Clean Air (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 93).
Health Act 1958—Health (Treatment of the Scalp) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 94).
Instruments Act 1958—Instruments (Fees) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 95).
Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Explosive-Powered Tools) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 92).
Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations 1957 (Amendment No. 1/72) (S.R. No. 96).
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
City of Bendigo Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment No. 8, 1971.
Town and Country Planning Regulations 1962, Amending Regulations No. 10 (S.R. No. 97).
5. LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That leave of absence for Thursday, 27th and Friday, 28th April instant be granted to Mr. Speaker to enable him to attend an investiture in Canberra (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 67)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Trustee Companies (National Trustees) Bill.
Game Bill.
Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Allowances) Bill.
Leo Cussen Institute for Continuing Legal Education Bill.
Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill.

7. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AFFILIATED COLLEGES) BILL (No. 2).—Mr. Thompson, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Mr. Rafferty, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965 ’ in relation to the Accounts of Affiliated Colleges, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Further considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress; to sit again this day.
9. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Standing Order No. 149 be suspended so far as to allow a motion to be moved for the appointment, without naming the members, of a Select Committee to inquire into and report on the desirability of the take-over scheme proposed by Thomas Nationwide Transport Limited in relation to Ansett Transport Industries Limited having regard to its importance to the economy of the State of Victoria and in particular to transport services in Victoria and whether it is desirable in the public interest that there should be any action by the Parliament or Government of Victoria in relation to the proposed take-over scheme (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
10. ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into and report on the desirability of the take-over scheme proposed by Thomas Nationwide Transport Limited in relation to Ansett Transport Industries Limited having regard to its importance to the economy of the State of Victoria and in particular to transport services in Victoria and whether it is desirable in the public interest that there should be any action by the Parliament or Government of Victoria in relation to the proposed take-over scheme ; such Committee to consist of seven members with power to send for persons, papers and records ; to hear counsel on behalf of the companies and persons who have a particular interest in the subject-matter of the inquiry ; to be empowered in its inquiries to avail itself to such extent as it thinks fit of the assistance of specially qualified persons ; to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; to move from place to place ; to report the minutes of evidence from time to time ; four to be the quorum (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
11. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SELECT COMMITTEE (ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—
- ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.
- Message No. 68.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill relating to a certain Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly and to temporarily impose certain Restrictions in relation to the exercise of Voting Rights and the making of Take-over Offers for Shares in Ansett Transport Industries Limited and for other purposes.
- The Governor’s Office,
Melbourne, 26th April, 1972.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
12. SELECT COMMITTEE (ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor’s Message No. 68.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Wiltshire reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Reid and Mr. Hamer do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill relating to a certain Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly and to temporarily impose certain Restrictions in relation to the exercise of Voting Rights and the making of Take-over Offers for Shares in Ansett Transport Industries Limited and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
13. CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
14. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 25 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
16. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at forty-four minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

THURSDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Deputy-Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*) brought up the Ninth Progress Report from the Joint Select Committee on Road Safety upon the Visual Average Speed Computer and Recorder, (VASCAR); together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendices to be printed.
3. SELECT COMMITTEE (ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
4. GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 69.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to provide for the Establishment of a Government Buildings Advisory Council and for other purposes.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 18th April, 1972.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
6. GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 69.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
7. SELECT COMMITTEE (ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 10 inclusive be postponed until after No. 11.
9. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Deputy-Speaker announced that Mr. Speaker had ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders, except those relating to the payment of fees, be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Reid*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
10. NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That a Select Committee be appointed to enquire into and report upon the proposals contained in the Trustee Companies (New Zealand Insurance Trustee Company Limited) Bill ; such Committee to consist of Mr. Fell, Mr. Fordham, Mr. Guy, Mr. McLaren, Mr. Ross-Edwards, Mr. Shilton, Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*), Mr. Whiting and Mr. Wiltshire ; with power to send for persons, papers, and records ; to hear Counsel on behalf of the Company ; to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; and to report the minutes of evidence from time to time ; five to be the quorum (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

11. NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That each Member of the Select Committee appointed to enquire into and report upon the proposals contained in the Trustee Companies (New Zealand Insurance Trustee Company Limited) Bill shall be entitled to receive by way of re-imbusement of his expenses for his attendance on the said Committee, such fees and expenses as are provided for in Section 8 of the *Parliamentary Committees Act 1968* (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
 12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Reconstitution of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, to amend the ‘ Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958 ’ in relation to that and other matters, and for other purposes* ”.
 13. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Balfour, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
 14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Tattersall Consultations Act 1958 ’* ”.
 15. TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
 16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Dookie Agricultural College Lands Bill without amendment.
 17. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
 18. TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
 19. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Clerk be authorized to correct the numbering of the clauses of the Bill to remove the clerical error therein by re-numbering clause 3 (where second occurring) to read clause 4 (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Whiting*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
 20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 10 inclusive, 12, and 13 be postponed until after No. 14.
 21. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AFFILIATED COLLEGES) BILL (NO. 2).—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
 22. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Environment Protection Act 1970 ’* ”.
 23. ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
 24. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
 25. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 10 inclusive, 12, 13 and 15 to 28 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
 26. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at half-past Five o’clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

EDGAR S. TANNER,
Deputy-Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 51.

TUESDAY, 2ND MAY, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—TEACHERS' TRIBUNAL.—Mr. Doube presented a Petition from certain citizens of the State of Victoria praying that the House take such action as it may to require the Government to issue directions to its representative on the Secondary Teachers' Tribunal.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PETITION—URBAN RENEWAL.—Mr. Bornstein (on behalf of Mr. Clarey) presented a Petition from certain residents living in the area bounded by Princes-street, Cemetery-road, Swanston, Grattan and Nicholson-streets, praying that the House take such action as it may to make certain amendments to the *Urban Renewal Act 1970*.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Bees Act 1971—Bees Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 98).
 - Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (National Trust of Australia) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 103).
 - Health Act 1958—
 - Health Act (Level of Penalties) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 100).
 - Meat Supervision (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 101).
 - Night-soil and Sewage (Contamination of Land) Amendment Regulations 1972 No. 2 (S.R. No. 99).
 - Labour and Industry Department—Report for the year 1971.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Land Conservation Council—Proposed investigation submitted to the Minister of Lands concerning the proclamation of Mick's Creek Water Supply Catchment area.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 209–214 (six papers).
 - Social Welfare Act 1970—Social Welfare (Cadetships) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 102).
 - Superannuation Act 1958—Superannuation (Table B) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 104).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 17, 1971 (City of Geelong).
5. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics Preservation Bill with an amendment.
Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration later this day.
6. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Taxation Appeals Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration later this day.

7. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Marine Bill.
 Country Fire Authority (Amendment) Bill.
 Select Committee (Ansett Transport Industries) Bill.

8. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Doube rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, “The failure of the Government to provide an effective technical education system in Victoria.”

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion—
 Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Doube*)—after debate, put.
 The House divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Giniifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Lind	(<i>Portland</i>)

Noes, 42.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Broad	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Guy	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Moss	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Reese	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

9. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 70)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 Dookie Agricultural College Land Bill.
 Country Fire Authority (Amendment) Bill.
 Select Committee (Ansett Transport Industries) Bill.
10. ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Holding, Mr. McLaren, Mr. Ross-Edwards, Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*), Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Whiting and Mr. Wilton be members of the Ansett Transport Industries Committee (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
11. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
 Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Justices Bill with amendments.
 Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the County Court (Jurisdiction) Bill with an amendment.
 Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration this day.
14. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill.
 Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Bill.

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

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

16. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

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

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Bill read a second time and committed.

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

17. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—The following Messages from His Excellency the Governor were presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same were read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 71.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to authorize certain Football Pools to be carried on in Victoria, to establish a Sports Commission, to make Provision with respect to Financial Assistance for Improvement to certain Sports Grounds, to amend the *Tattersall Consultations Act 1958* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 18th April, 1972.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 72.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that a further Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to authorize certain Football Pools to be carried on in Victoria, to establish a Sports Commission, to make Provision with respect to Financial Assistance for Improvement to certain Sports Grounds, to amend the *Tattersall Consultations Act 1958* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 2nd May, 1972.

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

18. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Messages Nos. 71 and 72.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*) reported that the Committee had agreed to resolutions authorizing an Appropriation and a further Appropriation, respectively, from the Consolidated Fund.

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

19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 21 inclusive be postponed until after No. 22.

20. WAYS AND MEANS—FOOTBALL POOL DUTY.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*) reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That subject to and in accordance with the *Tattersall Consultations Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Sports Promotion Bill there shall be paid into the Consolidated Fund in respect of each football pool conducted by the promoter under his licence a duty equal to 33 per centum of the total amount subscribed to the football pool.

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

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

21. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.

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

22. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Nurses (Amendment) Bill.
Films (Amendment) Bill.

23. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Consumer Protection Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.

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

25. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 21 inclusive and 23 to 30 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until later this day. :—

Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics Preservation Bill—Amendment of the Legislative Council—To be considered.

Taxation Appeals Bill—Amendments of the Legislative Council—To be considered.

Workers Compensation Bill—To be further considered in Committee.

Justices Bill—Amendments of the Legislative Council—To be considered.

County Court (Jurisdiction) Bill—Amendment of the Legislative Council—To be considered.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

Consumer Protection Bill—Amendments of the Legislative Council—To be considered.

And then the House, at twenty-six minutes past Two o'clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Ten o'clock this day.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 52.

WEDNESDAY, 3RD MAY, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Proclamation declaring that tobacco leaf shall become the property of the Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 10, 1970 (Shire of Bellarine).
 - Nyah-Nyah West Planning Scheme 1965.
 - Seymour Planning Scheme.
 - Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 42, 1971.

3. PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That, whereas the Legislative Council on the fourteenth day of October, 1970 resolved *nemine contradicente* that the Legislative Council of Victoria, recognizing that the present relationships between the Commonwealth of Australia and the States call for urgent review and that a durable and acceptable adjustment of powers and responsibilities within the Federal system can only be achieved by effective amendments to the Commonwealth Constitution, request the Government of Victoria to invite the other States to join the Victorian Parliament in preparing such amendments, and subsequently in conferring with the Commonwealth Parliament with a view to submitting agreed amendments to a referendum of the Australian people :

And whereas the Legislative Assembly on the twentieth day of October, 1970 passed *nemine contradicente* a Resolution identical (except in respect of formal matters) :

And whereas the Parliaments of the States of New South Wales and Tasmania have responded to the invitation extended by the Government of Victoria pursuant to that Resolution :

And whereas the Government of Victoria has received indications from the Governments of the other States of Australia that they would be willing to join any Convention to review the operation of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia :

And whereas it is expedient that the Parliament of Victoria should appoint delegates of the Parliament to attend any such Convention :

Now THEREFORE the Legislative Assembly of Victoria further resolve—

1. That for the purposes of the proposed Convention—

- (a) twelve Members of the Parliament of Victoria be appointed as Delegates to the proposed Convention to review the operation of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia and to propose such amendments to that Constitution as they think fit ;
- (b) the four Members appointed by the Legislative Council shall be
- (c) the eight Members appointed by the Legislative Assembly shall be The Honorable R. J. Hamer, A. C. Holding, Esquire, I. F. McLaren, Esquire, The Honorable G. O. Reid, Peter Ross-Edwards, Esquire, The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, M. S. Whiting, Esquire, and F. N. Wilkes, Esquire.

2. That each appointed Member of the Delegation continue as an appointed Member whilst a Member of the Parliament of Victoria or until the House by which he has been appointed otherwise determines.

3. That The Honorable R. J. Hamer be Leader of the Delegation and that A. C. Holding, Esquire, be Deputy-Leader.

4. That where, because of illness or other cause, a Delegate is unable to attend a meeting of the proposed Convention—

- (i) if the Delegate is a Member of the Legislative Council, the Leader may appoint an alternate Member being either ; and
- (ii) if the Delegate is a Member of the Legislative Assembly, the Leader may appoint an alternate Member being either B. J. Evans, Esquire, R. C. Fordham, Esquire, The Honorable E. R. Meagher, The Honorable T. W. Mitchell, A. H. Scanlan, Esquire, or J. T. Wilton, Esquire—

and the Member so appointed shall be a Member of the Delegation for that meeting.

5. That the Leader from time to time make a report to the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly respectively of such information and matters arising out of the proposed Convention as he thinks fit, such report to be laid on the Table of each House.

6. That the Honorable the Attorney-General provide such suitably-qualified assistance for the Delegation as it may require.

7. That the Honorable the Premier inform the Governments of other States and the Commonwealth of this resolution (*Mr. Reid*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

Ordered—That the foregoing Resolution be transmitted to the Legislative Council with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

4. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—“GRIEVANCE DAY”.—Motion made and question—That the “Grievance Day” provisions of Standing Order No. 273C be suspended for to-morrow (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.

5. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—FROZEN FOOD INDUSTRIES OF AUSTRALIA LIMITED COMMITTEE.—Motion made and question proposed—That Standing Order No. 149 be suspended so far as to allow a motion to be moved for the appointment, without naming the members, of a Select Committee to enquire into and report on the desirability of a take-over scheme proposed by International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation, a foreign owned company, in relation to Frozen Food Industries of Australia Limited having regard to its importance to the economy of the State of Victoria and in particular to the food industry and whether it is desirable in the public interest that there should be any action by the Parliament or Government of Victoria in relation to the proposed take-over scheme (*Mr. Holding*).

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day, and that Sir Henry Bolte have leave to continue his speech when the debate is resumed.

6. RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL—SECOND READING—RESUMPTION OF DEBATE.—Ordered—That this Order of the Day be postponed until later this day.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive be postponed until after No. 5.
8. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
 Clause 5, line 11, omit “ 1st July ” and insert “ 1st September ”.
 And the said amendment was read a second time.
 Motion made and question—That this amendment be agreed to, but that the following amendment be made in the Bill.
 Clause 5, line 24, omit “ 1st July ” and insert “ 1st September ”.
 —(*Mr. Reid*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them accordingly.
9. RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed. Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

10. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 73.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Racing Act* 1958 with respect to Totalizator Commissions and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
 Melbourne, 18th April, 1972.

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

11. RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 73.
 House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
 Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
 And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive and 6 to 24 inclusive be postponed until after No. 25.
13. WAYS AND MEANS—TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
 Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—
Resolved—That under and in accordance with Part V. of the *Racing Act* 1958 as proposed to be amended there shall be paid to and for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors—
1. By every club using a totalizator from the commission deducted by the club out of moneys paid directly into the totalizator—
 - (a) in respect of a race meeting held on a racecourse within twenty miles by the nearest practicable route by road or railway or by road and railway from the post office situate at the corner of Bourke and Elizabeth streets in the City of Melbourne—
 - (i) (in the case of commission derived from double quinella and forecast totalizators) twenty-three fifty-sixths ;
 - (ii) (in all other cases) thirty-five fifty-sixths ; and
 - (b) in respect of a race meeting held on a racecourse situate elsewhere in Victoria, fifteen fifty-sixths.

2. By every club using a totalizator from the commission deducted by the club out of moneys derived from bets made through the Totalizator Agency Board, twenty-one fifty-sixths until the Treasurer certifies that the further proportion required be paid into a trust account in the Treasury and applied for and towards recouping racing clubs for their contribution to the payment of the expenses of establishing the Board is no longer necessary and thereafter twenty-two fifty-sixths.
3. By the Totalizator Agency Board from the commission deducted by the Board out of moneys invested in miscellaneous totalizators, twenty-one fifty-sixths until the Treasurer certifies that the further proportion required be paid into a trust account in the Treasury and applied for and towards recouping racing clubs for their contribution to the payment of the expenses of establishing the Board is no longer necessary and thereafter twenty-two sixtieths.
4. By the Totalizator Agency Board from the commission deducted by the Board out of moneys invested in off-course totalizators on race meetings conducted in other States of the Commonwealth of Australia or outside Australia twenty-one fifty-sixths until the Treasurer certifies that the further proportion required be paid into a trust account in the Treasury and applied for and towards recouping racing clubs for their contribution to the payment of the expenses of establishing the Board is no longer necessary and thereafter twenty-two fifty-sixths.

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

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

Motion made and question—That the resolution be agreed to by the House (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dunstan	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Guy	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Broad
Mr. Reese	Mr. Crellin

Noes, 20.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Lind	(<i>Portland</i>)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

14. RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.

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

15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Acquainting the Assembly that they have concurred with the Legislative Assembly in adopting the Resolution relating to a proposed Convention to review the operation of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia, and have filled up—

- (i) the first of the blanks therein by the insertion of the words “ Legislative Council and the ” ;
- (ii) the second of the blanks therein by the insertion of “ The Honorable A. J. Hunt, The Honorable J. W. Galbally, The Honorable I. A. Swinburne, and The Honorable J. M. Tripovich ” ; and
- (iii) the third of the blanks therein by the insertion of “ The Honorable A. R. Mansell, The Honorable G. J. Nicol, or The Honorable J. M. Walton ”.

16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive and 6 be postponed until after No. 7.

17. STAMPS (BOOKMAKERS' STATEMENTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 44.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Lewis	
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Stephen	(Dundas)	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Suggett	(Portland)	Mr. Ginifer
Mrs. Goble	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Lind	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Hamer	(Balwyn)		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Loxton	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Thompson		
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(Rodney)	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Meagher			
Mr. Mitchell	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Broad		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Crellin		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive, 6, and 8 to 11 inclusive be postponed until after No. 12.

19. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time, after debate.

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

20. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—

Agreeing to the amendment now made in the County Court (Jurisdiction) Bill.

Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

- Soldier Settlement (Amendment) Bill.
- Government Buildings Advisory Council Bill.
- Poisons (Amendment) Bill (No. 2).
- Police Offences Bill.
- Public Service (Amendment) Bill.

21. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive be postponed until after No. 6.

22. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment suggested by the Legislative Council on consideration of this Bill in Committee having been read, the said suggested amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 5, page 4, line 40, after “ (b) for a licence for three years—\$6. ” insert the following proviso—

“ Provided that where the applicant satisfies the issuing officer that he is an age or invalid pensioner under the Commonwealth Act for the time being in force relating to social services or is a totally and permanently incapacitated pensioner under the Commonwealth Act for the time being in force relating to the repatriation of discharged servicemen the fees to be paid for a shooter's licence shall be—

- (i) for a licence for one year—\$0.50 ; or
- (ii) for a licence for three years—\$1.50.”.

On the motion of Mr. Hamer—Suggested amendment made.

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

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

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

24. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES (TAKE-OVER OFFERS) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 74.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to make Provision with respect to the Establishment and Functions of a Joint Standing Committee of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly with respect to Take-overs of Companies incorporated in Victoria, to amend the *Parliamentary Committees Act 1968* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 3rd May, 1972.

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

25. PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES (TAKE-OVER OFFERS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 74.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

Ordered—That Mr. Reid and Sir Henry Bolte prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Establishment and Functions of a Joint Standing Committee of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly with respect to Take-overs of Companies incorporated in Victoria, to amend the 'Parliamentary Committees Act 1968' and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time forthwith ; read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time, after debate.

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

26. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Whiting*)—put and agreed to.

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

27. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

28. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 8 to 11 inclusive, 13 to 24 inclusive, and 26 to 33 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day be postponed until to-morrow :—
Government Business.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

Suspension of Standing Order—Appointment of Frozen Food Industries of Australia Limited Committee.—Resumption of debate on the question—That Standing Order No. 149 be suspended so far as to allow a motion to be moved for the appointment, without naming the members, of a Select Committee to enquire into and report on the desirability of a take-over scheme proposed by International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation, a foreign owned company, in relation to Frozen Food Industries of Australia Limited having regard to its importance to the economy of the State of Victoria and in particular to the food industry and whether it is desirable in the public interest that there should be any action by the Parliament or Government of Victoria in relation to the proposed take-over scheme.

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

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

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

THURSDAY, 4TH MAY, 1972.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—ASSISTANCE TO ABORIGINES.—Mr. Bornstein presented a Petition from certain Aboriginal citizens of Victoria praying that the House takes such action as it may in respect of Aborigines to provide immunity from eviction by the Ministry and the Housing Commission, pre-employment vocational training, free legal aid, granting of land rights and compensation and to establish all-Aboriginal regional councils and administrative and advisory bodies on education, finance, land rights and Ministry affairs.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Printing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 106).
 - Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (relating to the Conditions of Employment of Staff) No. 47J (S.R. No. 105).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Police (Authorized Strength No. 2) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 107).
 - Wheat Marketing Act 1969—Wheat Marketing (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 108).
4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Parliamentary Committees (Take-over Offers) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
5. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Dentists Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
6. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Firearms (Amendment) Bill (including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council) with an amendment.
Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration this day.
7. LOCATION OF FOURTH UNIVERSITY.—Motion made and question proposed—That this House express the view that the proposed fourth university be established outside the metropolitan area (*Mr. Shilton*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Hamer*)—after debate, put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 27.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Broad	Mr. Shilton
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Evans	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dixon	Sir Edgar Tanner	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Guy	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Kirkwood	Tellers.
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire	(<i>Dundas</i>)	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. McCabe		Mr. Lind	Mr. McDonald
Mr. MacDonald	Tellers.	Mr. Lovegrove	(<i>Rodney</i>)
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Smith		
Mr. McLaren	(<i>Bellarine</i>)		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Meagher	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until this day.

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

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

9. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Racing (Totalizator Commissions) Bill.
 Stamps (Bookmakers' Statements) Bill.
 Workers Compensation Bill.

10. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Sports Promotion Bill with an amendment.
 Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration this day.

11. COMPANY TAKE-OVERS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That, contingent upon the enactment, this session, of legislation to make provision with respect to the establishment and functions of a Joint Standing Committee of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly with respect to take-overs of companies incorporated in Victoria, Mr. McLaren, Mr. Ross-Edwards, Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) and Mr. Wilton be appointed members of the Committee (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

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

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

13. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Hamer, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 75.

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

The Governor's Office,
 Melbourne, 26th April, 1972.

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

15. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 75.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 7 inclusive be postponed until after No. 8.

17. WAYS AND MEANS—MOTOR CAR REGISTRATION SURCHARGE FEES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *Motor Car Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Motor Car (Amendment) Bill, on the registration or the renewal of the registration of a motor car, in addition to any other fee payable, there shall be paid to and for the use of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors a surcharge of—

(a) 50 cents in the case of—

(i) a motor cycle ;

(ii) a motor car referred to in paragraph (ba), (c) or (eb) under the heading
 “ B.—*Motor cars other than motor cycles*—” in the Second Schedule to the
Motor Car Act 1958 ; or

(iii) a motor car in respect of which the fee payable upon registration is the minimum fee specified in paragraph (g) under the heading

“ B.—*Motor cars other than motor cycles*—” in the Second Schedule to the
Motor Car Act 1958 ; and

(b) \$1, in the case of any other motor car other than a motor car—

(i) referred to in paragraph (d) or (e) under the heading “ B.—*Motor cars other than motor cycles*—” in the Second Schedule to the *Motor Car Act 1958* ; or

(ii) in respect of which no registration fee is otherwise payable.

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

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

26. SUPPLY (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of Eight million dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

27. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 18, sub-clause (1), at the end of the sub-clause insert the following expression :—

“, has notified the owner of the land in writing that he has been so informed, and has allowed time for an appeal to be lodged with the Appeals Committee as hereafter in this section provided or, if an appeal has been lodged, has considered the report of the Appeals Committee on the appeal.

() The owner of any land who receives notice from the Minister under sub-section (1) may within fourteen days after receiving the notice appeal in writing to the Appeals Committee appointed for the purposes of this section on one or both of the following grounds :—

(a) that the relic is not so unique and irreplaceable that it is necessary compulsorily to acquire the land ;

(b) that having regard to the nature of the land or any purpose for which it is used the land should not compulsorily be acquired.

() The Appeals Committee shall consist of—

(a) a stipendiary magistrate nominated by the Minister who shall be Chairman ;

(b) the Protector ; and

(c) a person experienced in land conservation nominated by the Minister.

() Any appeal under this section shall be sent to or lodged with the secretary to the Advisory Committee who shall act as secretary to the Appeals Committee.

() The Appeals Committee—

(a) may regulate its own proceedings in the hearing of an appeal ; and

(b) shall report its findings to the Minister.”

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

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

28. TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 17, page 5, line 10, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
2. Clause 17, page 6, line 23, omit “ thirty ” and insert “ 60 ”.
3. Clause 17, page 7, line 6, omit “ thirty ” and insert “ 60 ”.
4. Clause 19, page 8, line 40, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
5. Clause 19, page 10, line 1, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
6. Clause 19, page 10, line 27, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
7. Clause 22, page 12, line 5, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
8. Clause 22, page 13, line 11, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
9. Clause 22, page 13, line 26, omit “ decision ” and insert “ decisions ”.
10. Clause 22, page 13, line 37, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
11. Clause 24, page 15, line 14, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
12. Clause 24, page 16, line 19, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.
13. Clause 24, page 17, line 1, omit “ 30 ” and insert “ 60 ”.

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

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

29. JUSTICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 2, page 2, line 18, after “ (d) ” insert “ a copy or reproduction of the information relating to the offence with which he is charged and ”.

2. Clause 2, page 5, insert the following expression at the end of the clause :—

‘ 42D. For the purposes of section 42B and section 42C “ statement ” includes any affidavit referred to in Division 9 or Division 10 of Part IV. of the *Evidence Act* 1958.’

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

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

30. CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 41, lines 34–35, omit “ or expedient ”.
2. Clause 43, page 31, line 37, omit “ linings ” and insert “ lining ”.
3. Clause 68, line 23, omit “ of ” and insert “ or ”.
4. Clause 69, line 31, omit “ requested ” and insert “ required ”.
5. Clause 69, line 32, omit “ or convenient ”.

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

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

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

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

32. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

- Coal Mines (Pensions) Bill.
- Motor Car (Amendment) Bill.
- Crimes (Amendment) Bill.

33. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 14 to 16 inclusive be postponed until later this day.

34. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

35. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

- Supply (Supplementary Estimates) Bill.
- Victoria Institute of Colleges (Affiliated Colleges) Bill (No. 2).
- Supreme Court (Civil Appeals) Bill.

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

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

37. PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES (TAKE-OVER OFFERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 2, sub-section (4) of proposed new section 44A, omit “ Take-over Offers ” (where second occurring) and insert “ Take-overs ”.
2. Clause 2, proposed new section 44A, page 2, sub-section (5), omit this sub-section and insert—
“ (5) Four members of the committee shall form a quorum save when the committee meets for the consideration of its report or for the purpose of voting upon any request to the Governor in Council when the quorum shall be five.”
3. Clause 2, page 2, proposed new section 44B, omit “ Governor in Council ” and insert “ Attorney-General ”.
4. Clause 2, page 2, proposed new section 44C, insert the following sub-section to follow sub-section (3) :—
“ () The committee shall have power to send for persons, papers, and records.”
5. Clause 2, page 3, sub-section (2) of proposed new section 44E, after “ Governor in Council ” (where first occurring) insert “ after considering a request from the Committee ”.

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

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

38. DENTISTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 1, line 12, omit “ Part V.—Dental Technicians ss. 29–42 ”.
2. Clause 1, line 13, omit “ VI.” and insert “ V.”.
3. Clause 1, line 13, omit “ 43 ” and insert “ 29 ”.
4. Clause 1, line 14, omit “ VII.” and insert “ VI.”.
5. Clause 1, line 14, omit “ 44–54 ” and insert “ 30–40 ”.

6. Clause 1, line 15, omit " VIII." and insert " VII."
7. Clause 1, line 15, omit " 55-57 " and insert " 41-43 ".
8. Clause 1, line 16, omit " IX." and insert " VIII."
9. Clause 1, line 16, omit " 58 " and insert " 44 ".
10. Clause 1, line 17, omit " X." and insert " IX."
11. Clause 1, line 17, omit " 59 " and insert " 45 ".
12. Clause 2, sub-clause (4), omit this sub-clause.
13. Clause 3, page 2, lines 34 and 35, omit all the words and expressions in these lines.
14. Clause 3, page 2, line 38, omit " VI." and insert " V."
15. Clause 3, page 3, lines 4 and 5, omit all the words and expressions in these lines.
16. Clause 3, page 3, lines 12 and 13, omit all the words and expressions in these lines.
17. Clause 7, line 11, omit "(other than matters in Part V.)"
18. Clause 7, line 15, omit "(other than the provisions of Part V.)"
19. Clause 9, line 15, omit " VIII." and insert " VII."
20. Clause 9, line 29, omit " 50 " and insert " 36 ".
21. After Clause 28, omit the heading " Part V.—Dental Technicians ".
22. Clause 29, omit this clause.
23. Clauses 30-34, omit these clauses.
24. Clause 35, omit this clause.
25. Clause 36, omit this clause.
26. Clauses 37-42, omit these clauses.
27. Clause 44, page 22, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (1) :—
" () A dentist shall at the request of a patient supply an itemized account "
28. Clause 44, sub-clauses (2), (3), and (4), omit these sub-clauses.
29. Clause 45, line 20, omit " 44, 46 and 50 " and insert " 30, 32 and 36 ".
30. Clause 47, page 22, lines 35 and 36, omit " or dental technician ".
31. Clause 47, page 23, lines 2 and 3, omit " or dental technician ".
32. Clause 50, page 23, line 36, omit " 45 " and insert " 31 ".
33. Clause 51, lines 6 and 7, omit " 48 and 50 " and insert " 34 and 36 ".
34. Clause 52, page 25, omit paragraph (g) and insert the following paragraph :—
" (g) the mechanical construction renewal or repair of artificial dentures or dental prostheses by a dental technician dental mechanic or apprentice in dental mechanics in compliance with the directions and under the supervision of a dentist registered under this Act."
35. Clause 53, line 28, omit " 49 " and insert " 35 ".
36. Clause 58, sub-clause (1), paragraph (a), line 27, omit " dental technician ".
37. Clause 58, page 27, lines 14-18, omit all the words and expressions in these lines.
38. Clause 58, page 27, after paragraph (g) insert " shall be guilty of an offence ".
39. Clause 58, page 27, after sub-clause (1) insert the following sub-clause :—
" () Any person who—
(a) is guilty of an offence under paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) shall be liable to a penalty of not less than \$10 nor more than \$200 for every such offence and after conviction for an offence shall be liable to a penalty of \$10 for every day during which such contravention is continued ; or
(b) is guilty of any other offence under sub-section (1) shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty of not more than \$500 or to imprisonment for a term of not more than 6 months and for a second or subsequent offence to a penalty of \$1,000 or to imprisonment for a term of not more than 1 year."
40. Clause 58, page 27, omit sub-clause (2) and insert the following sub-clause :—
" (2) Any proceedings for an offence against this Act may be taken by any person authorized by the Board either generally or in a particular case and in such proceedings no proof of an authority having been given shall be required until evidence is given to the contrary."
41. Clause 58, page 27, line 31, after " paid " insert " to the Board ".
42. Clause 58, page 27, lines 32, 33, 34 and 35, omit all the words and expressions in these lines.
43. Clause 59, page 28, sub-clause (4), omit this sub-clause.

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

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

39. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 8, page 14, paragraph (m), sub-paragraph (i), after " (i) in sub-section (1)—" insert the following expression—

' after paragraph (c) there shall be inserted the following paragraphs—

" (d) in the case of a licensed guard agent or watchman—by having in his possession or carrying a shotgun issued to him for the performance of a detailed duty and during the actual performance of such duty ;

(da) in the case of any duly appointed starter or judge of yacht races or rowing races conducted by a *bona fide* yacht club or rowing club—by having in his possession and using only for starting or finishing races or both a shotgun the property of the club ;

(db) in the case of an authorized officer appointed for the purposes of the *National Parks Act 1958*—by having in his possession or carrying a firearm (other than a pistol) issued to him for the performance of his duty and during the actual course of that duty ;”’

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

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

40. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 12, paragraph (c), omit this paragraph and insert the following paragraph :—

‘ () For sub-section (2) of section 4 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sub-section :—

“ (2) Without affecting the generality of the last preceding sub-section it shall be a condition of a licence in respect of—

(a) a Consultation that not less than sixty per centum ; and

(b) a football pool that not less than fifty-eight per centum—

of the total amount subscribed to the Consultation or pool shall be paid by the promoter by way of prizes in respect of that Consultation or football pool or where any prize offered by the promoter progressively increases with successive Consultations or football pools and may become payable in respect of—

(c) two or more of those Consultations that not less than sixty per centum ; and

(d) two or more of those football pools that not less than fifty-eight per centum—

of the total amount subscribed to those Consultations or football pools shall be paid by the promoter by way of prizes in respect of those Consultations or football pools.”.’

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

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

41. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—The Order of the day for the further consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the amendment postponed on 20th April last for further consideration was read and is as follows :—

2. Clause 2, sub-clause (1), omit this sub-clause and insert the following sub-clause :—

‘ () In this Act “ the land ” means the land described in the First and Second Schedules to the agreement set out in the Schedule to the *Western Port (Steel Works) Act 1970*.’

Debate resumed on question—That amendment No. 2 be agreed to.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 33.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow	(Rodney)
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mutton
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Fell	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dixon	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilkes
(Ballarat North)	(Gippsland South)	(Dundas)	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Guy	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Wheeler	(Portland)	Tellers.
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lind	Mr. Amos
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Shilton
Mr. McCabe			
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reid	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

42. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.

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

FRIDAY, 5TH MAY, 1972.

Bill reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

43. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or, if Mr. Speaker is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

44. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 19 to 27 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next sitting of the House.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the House :—

Government Business.

Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

Town and Country Planning (Amendment) Bill—(from Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

General Business.

Location of Fourth University—Resumption of debate on the question—That this House express the view that the proposed fourth university be established outside the metropolitan area.

45. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at thirty-five minutes past One o'clock in the morning, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or the Chairman of Committees and notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter, as determined by resolution of the House at this sitting.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

SESSION 1971-72.

MESSAGES RECEIVED AFTER THE ADJOURNMENT OF
THE HOUSES ON 5TH MAY, 1972.

MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Mr. Speaker,

The Legislative Council acquaint the Legislative Assembly that they have agreed to the Bill intituled "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of One hundred and ninety-four million six hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two and One thousand and seventy-three" without amendment.

Legislative Council,
Melbourne, 5th May, 1972.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 76.

The Governor informs the Legislative Assembly that he has, on this day, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts of the present Session presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Act.
Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Act.
Nurses (Amendment) Act.
Films (Amendment) Act.
County Court (Jurisdiction) Act.
Soldier Settlement (Amendment) Act.
Government Buildings Advisory Council Act.
Poisons (Amendment) Act (No. 2).
Police Offences Act.
Public Service (Amendment) Act.
Racing (Totalizator Commissions) Act.
Stamps (Bookmakers' Statements) Act.
Workers Compensation Act.
Liquor Control (Amendment) Act.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 9th May, 1972.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 77.

The Governor informs the Legislative Assembly that he has, on this day, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts of the present Session presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics Preservation Act.

Taxation Appeals Act.

Justices Act.

Consumer Protection Act.

Environment Protection (Amendment) Act.

Coal Mines (Pensions) Act.

Motor Car (Amendment) Act.

Crimes (Amendment) Act.

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Reconstitution) Act.

Supply (Supplementary Estimates) Act.

Victoria Institute of Colleges (Affiliated Colleges) Act.

Supreme Court (Civil Appeals) Act.

Tattersall Consultations (Amendment) Act.

Parliamentary Committees (Take-over Offers) Act.

Dentists Act.

Firearms (Amendment) Act.

Sports Promotion Act.

Western Port (Steel Works Rating) Act.

Local Government Act.

Supply (July to September) Act.

Marine Act.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 13th May, 1972.

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PROROGUING PARLIAMENT AND FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING THIRD SESSION OF THE
FORTY-FIFTH 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 Fifth day of September, 1972, and I do hereby fix Tuesday, the Fifth day of September, 1972, aforesaid, at the hour of half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the said Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne : And the Honourable the Members of 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, the twenty-fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two, and in the twenty-first year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. J. HAMER,
Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

SELECT COMMITTEES.

SESSION 1971-72.

1.—ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES.

(Appointed 2nd May, 1972.)

Mr. Holding,
Mr. McLaren,
Mr. Ross-Edwards,
Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*),

Mr. Wheeler,
Mr. Whiting,
Mr. Wilton.

2.—COMPANY TAKE-OVERS (JOINT).

(Appointed 4th May, 1972.)

Mr. McLaren,
Mr. Ross-Edwards,

Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*),
Mr. Wilton.

3.—HOUSE (JOINT).

(Appointed 31st August, 1971.)

Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Bornstein,
Mr. Doube,

Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*),
Mr. McLaren,
Mr. Mitchell.

4.—LIBRARY (JOINT).

(Appointed 31st August, 1971.)

Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Edmunds,

Mrs. Goble,
Mr. Mitchell.

5.—MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Lewis (*Dundas*),
Mr. Suggett,

Mr. Trethewey,
Mr. Trewin.

6.—NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED.

(Appointed 27th April, 1972.)

Mr. Fell,
Mr. Fordham,
Mr. Guy,
Mr. McLaren,
Mr. Ross-Edwards,

Mr. Shilton,
Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*),
Mr. Whiting,
Mr. Wiltshire.

7.—PRINTING.

(Appointed 31st August, 1971.)

Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Broad,
Mr. Curnow,
Mr. Lewis (*Portland*),

Mr. MacDonald (*Glen Iris*),
Mr. Stephen,
Mr. Stokes,
Mr. Whiting.

8.—PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

(Appointed 31st August, 1971.)

Mr. Doube,
Mr. Lind,
Mr. McDonald (*Rodney*),
Mr. McLaren,

Mr. Reese,
Mr. Trezise,
Mr. Wheeler.

9.—ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Dixon,
Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*),Mr. Jona,
Mr. Wilkes.

10.—STANDING ORDERS.

(Appointed 31st August, 1971.)

Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Holding,
Mr. Manson,
Mr. Ross-Edwards,Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*),
Mr. Whiting,
Mr. Wilkes.

11.—STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).

(Appointed 31st August, 1971.)

Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Edmunds,
Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*),Mr. Lovegrove,
Mr. Smith (*Bellarine*),
Mr. Whiting.

12.—SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).

(Appointed 31st August, 1971.)

Mr. Birrell,
Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*),

Mr. Turnbull.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 1.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 16th SEPTEMBER, 1971.

WEDNESDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

No. 1.—SUPPLY—BUDGET—ESTIMATES FOR 1971-72.

DIVISION NO. 1—LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL \$1,800.

Motion made—That this sum be granted to Her Majesty.

—(Sir Henry Bolte.)

Amendment proposed—That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with a view to inserting in place thereof the words “ this Committee refuses to grant such sum until such time as the Government abandons its proposal to impose an accommodation tax.”

—(Mr. Wilton.)

Motion made and question put—That the question be now put.

—(Mr. Wilcox.)

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Billing
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 28.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Simmonds
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Edmunds
(Portland)	Mr. Ginifer

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—

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

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 37.		Noes, 28.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Evans	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey	(Dundas)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox	(Portland)	Mr. Ginifer
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Billing		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY (MORNING), 16TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

No. 3.—

Question—That the following sum be granted to Her Majesty to defray the charges for the year 1971–72 for the service hereunder specified in addition to the several sums already vested in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament for such service, viz. :—

DIVISION NO. 1—LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL \$1,800—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)	Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fell	Mr. Whiting
(Ballarat North)	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler	(Dundas)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire	(Portland)	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Meagher			
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Billing		
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Maclellan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

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SESSION 1971-72.

No. 2.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1971.

TUESDAY, 28th SEPTEMBER, 1971.

PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Clause 10.

The wages liable to pay-roll tax under this Act do not include wages paid or payable—

- (a) by the Governor of a State ;
- (b) by a religious or public benevolent institution, or a public hospital ;
- (c) by a hospital which is carried on by a society or association otherwise than for the purpose of profit or gain to the individual members of the society or association ;
- (d) by a school or college (other than a technical school or a technical college) which—
 - (i) is carried on by a body corporate, society or association otherwise than for the purpose of profit or gain to the individual members of the body corporate, society or association and is not carried on by or on behalf of the State of Victoria ; and
 - (ii) provides education at or below, but not above, the secondary level of education ;
- (e) by a municipality or by any union or partnership of which all the members are municipalities except to the extent that those wages are paid or payable—
 - (i) for or in connexion with ; or
 - (ii) for or in connexion with the construction of any buildings or the construction of any works or the installation of plant, machinery or equipment for use in or in connexion with—
 - the supply of electricity or gas, water supply, sewerage, the conduct of abattoirs, of public markets, of parking stations, of cemeteries, of crematoriums or of hostels or of any other activity that is a prescribed activity ;
- (f) to members of his official staff by—
 - (i) a consular or other representative (other than a diplomatic representative) in Australia of any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions or of any other country ; or
 - (ii) a Trade Commissioner representing in Australia any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions ;
- (g) by a specialized agency as defined by section one of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies which was adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on the 21st November, 1947 ;
- (h) by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission ;
- (i) by the Australian-American Educational Foundation ;
- (j) to a person who is a member of the Defence Force of the Commonwealth or of the armed forces of any part of Her Majesty's Dominions, being wages paid or payable by the employer from whose employment the person is on leave by reason of his being such a member.

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “ water supply, sewerage ” in paragraph (e) be omitted.
—(Mr. Ross-Edwards.)

Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith
Mr. Birrell	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Evans
Mr. Reid	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Stephen

Noes, 28.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Broad	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Clarey	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Evans	Mr. Shilton
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Lind
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Trewin

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 3.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 7th OCTOBER, 1971.

TUESDAY, 5th OCTOBER, 1971.

No. 1.—PAY-ROLL TAX BILL—Clause 10.

The wages liable to pay-roll tax under this Act do not include wages paid or payable—

- (a) by the Governor of a State ;
- (b) by a religious or public benevolent institution, or a public hospital ;
- (c) by a hospital which is carried on by a society or association otherwise than for the purpose of profit or gain to the individual members of the society or association ;
- (d) by a school or college (other than a technical school or a technical college) which—
 - (i) is carried on by a body corporate, society or association otherwise than for the purpose of profit or gain to the individual members of the body corporate, society or association and is not carried on by or on behalf of the State of Victoria ; and
 - (ii) provides education at or below, but not above, the secondary level of education ;
- (e) by a municipality or by any union or partnership of which all the members are municipalities except to the extent that those wages are paid or payable—
 - (i) for or in connexion with ; or
 - (ii) for or in connexion with the construction of any buildings or the construction of any works or the installation of plant, machinery or equipment for use in or in connexion with—
 - the supply of electricity or gas, water supply, sewerage, the conduct of abattoirs, of public markets, of parking stations, of cemeteries, of crematoriums or of hostels or of any other activity that is a prescribed activity ;
- (f) to members of his official staff by—
 - (i) a consular or other representative (other than a diplomatic representative) in Australia of any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions or of any other country ; or
 - (ii) a Trade Commissioner representing in Australia any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions ;
- (g) by a specialized agency as defined by section one of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies which was adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on the 21st November, 1947 ;
- (h) by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission ;
- (i) by the Australian-American Educational Foundation ;
- (j) to a person who is a member of the Defence Force of the Commonwealth or of the armed forces of any part of Her Majesty's Dominions, being wages paid or payable by the employer from whose employment the person is on leave by reason of his being such a member.

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the following expression be added to the clause :—

() by a country employer to a country employee ;
 () The Governor in Council may by Order in Council published in the *Government Gazette* declare—

- (a) any place which is more than 40 miles from the General Post Office at Melbourne ; or
- (b) any place which is outside the metropolitan area at which unemployment is at a materially higher level than in the metropolitan area—

to be an area for accelerated decentralized development.

() In this section—

“ Accelerated development area ” means an area declared to be an area for accelerated decentralized development pursuant to sub-section (2) ;

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No. 4.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 21ST OCTOBER, 1971.TUESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 1971.

No. 1.—PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 2.

In sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Principal Act for the word "three" there shall be substituted the word "four".

—(Sir Henry Bolte.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Loxton	(Gippsland South)
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Templeton
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Thompson
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Trewin
(Rodney)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Reese	Mr. Jona

Noes, 18.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Bornstein	(Portland)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Floyd	
Mr. Fordham	Tellers.
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Holding	(Dundas)
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY (MORNING), 21ST OCTOBER, 1971.

No. 2.—WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 3.

After section 65A of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sections :—

“ 65B. (1) In addition to basic additional and special water rights the Commission may, subject to and in accordance with the provisions of sections 65C and 65D, apportion extra water rights.

(2) Save as otherwise expressly provided, extra water rights apportioned to any land shall not be reduced at any time except to such extent as is approved by the Commission on the request of the occupier if the occupier is the owner, or of the occupier and owner if the occupier is not the owner.

65C. (1) The Commission on the application of the occupier or owner of any land within an irrigation district which is under intense culture and—

(i) to which a basic water right is apportioned ; or

(ii) which is not commanded by gravitation with water from the works—

may apportion to such land as an extra water right such volume of water as in the opinion of the Commission is required for the reasonable irrigation of such land :

Provided that any volume of extra water rights apportioned in accordance with the provisions of Schedule Three B to any land on the application of the occupier or owner thereof shall be deemed to be sufficient for the reasonable irrigation of so much of such land as is under intense culture.

(2) Every extra water right apportioned to any land by the Commission before the commencement of the *Water Act* 1964 shall be deemed to have been properly apportioned to the land in accordance with the law in force at the time of the apportionment and such apportionment shall continue in force until varied in accordance with the provisions of the *Water Act* 1958 or any corresponding subsequent enactment notwithstanding anything done or omitted to be done in respect of such apportionment or any defect error or omission in the basis upon which the apportionment was made.

(3) Where the Commission acquires any land forming portion of a holding to which water rights have been apportioned the Commission may on the application of the owner apportion to the remainder of such holding a volume of extra water rights not exceeding the volume of water rights which was apportioned to the land acquired. Such apportionment shall not limit nor be limited by any apportionment made under any other provision of this section.

(4) Water for the irrigation of any land to which an extra water right is apportioned but which is not commanded by gravitation with water at the point of supply shall be raised by the occupier or owner of such land in a manner approved by the Commission and shall be measured at the point of supply.

(5) Having regard to the soil type and topography of any land in the Redcliffs, Merbein, Robinvale, Nyah or Tresco Irrigation Districts or the Murray Valley or Swan Hill Irrigation Areas in respect of which an application is made for an extra water right the Commission may make it a condition for the apportionment of such extra water right to any land not commanded by gravitation that the whole or any portion of the land which the Commission may specify shall not be irrigated except by spraying.

(6) The applicant for an extra water right may within twelve months of the apportionment thereof appeal to the Appeal Board for the amendment or removal of any condition imposed pursuant to the last preceding sub-section and the decision of the Appeal Board confirming amending or removing any such condition shall be final and shall take effect immediately.

(7) Any extra water right to which such a condition attaches may on any infringement of the condition be cancelled by the Commission.

65D. (1) The Governor in Council may upon the certificate of the Commission that water is available for the purpose by Order from time to time—

(a) declare that extra water rights are available for apportionment under this section to land within the Goulburn-Murray irrigation district ; and

(b) specify the ratio of water rights to land upon which the entitlement of land to any such apportionment shall be based.

(2) Where an Order in Council has been made under sub-section (1) the occupier or owner of any land within the Goulburn-Murray irrigation district may from time to time make application to the Commission for an apportionment of extra water rights to such land.

(3) Upon receipt of an application under this section the Commission shall subject to sub-section (4) apportion to the land in respect of which the application is made the volume of water rights specified in the application.

(4) The total volume of water rights that may be apportioned to any land under this section shall not exceed the volume calculated in accordance with the ratio specified by the Governor in Council pursuant to sub-section (1).

(5) In this section "land" means commanded and suitable land within the meaning of Schedule Three B or, where the commanded and suitable land of the applicant is of an area less than 100 acres, suitable land within the meaning of the said Schedule up to 100 acres.

(6) An apportionment of water rights under this section shall not limit or be taken into account in calculating the volume of water to be apportioned as water rights under any other provision of this Act.

65E. (1) Nothing in this Act shall entitle a person to the supply of water to any land within any irrigation district other than during an irrigation period.

(2) In this section "irrigation period" in respect of any irrigation district, means any period fixed under the provisions of any by-law for the supply of water to lands in respect of which an irrigation charge is made and where no periods are so fixed means the whole of the period for which an irrigation charge is made."

—(Mr. Dunstan.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression "sections 65C and 65D" in proposed section 65B be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression "section 65C".

—(Mr. Whiting.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	Tellers.
Mr. Manson	Mr. Evans
Mr. Meagher	(Ballaarat North)
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Stephen

Noes, 25.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Broad	(Rodney)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Ross-Edwards
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Edmunds
(Portland)	Mr. Trewin

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 5.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 28th OCTOBER, 1971.

THURSDAY (MORNING), 28th OCTOBER, 1971.

LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.—Clause 2.

Section 80 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) In sub-section (1)—

(i) paragraphs (c) and (d) ;

(ii) the expression “ and on Fridays until the hour of ten o'clock ” appearing in the first proviso ; and

(iii) the second proviso—
are repealed.

(b) Sub-section (2A) is repealed.

(c) In sub-section (2C) the expression “ or (2A) ” (where twice occurring) is repealed.

—(*Mr. Rafferty.*)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Suggett
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McCabe	
Mr. MacDonald	
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Manson	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Taylor
	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

Noes, 25.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Broad	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Evans	Mr. Shilton
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fordham
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Simmonds

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 6.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 11th NOVEMBER, 1971.

WEDNESDAY, 10th NOVEMBER, 1971.

LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 2.

In section 30 of the Principal Act after the words “ at the request ” there shall be inserted the words “ to the court ”.

—(Mr. Reid.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 42.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
(Rodney)	
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Evans
Mr. Mitchell	(Gippsland East)
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Reese	(Gippsland South)

Noes, 18.

Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Holding	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(Portland)	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. Lind	Mr. Doube

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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No. 7.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 18th NOVEMBER, 1971.

THURSDAY, 18th NOVEMBER, 1971.

HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 5.

After section 67 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :—

“ 67A. (1) Where the Commission is required by this Part to consult with the council of any municipality before taking any step, the Commission shall give notice in writing to the clerk of the municipality of its wish to consult with the council describing the subject-matter of the consultation it proposes.

(2) If by reason of the failure or refusal of the council to make proper arrangements for the consultation, the Commission is not able to consult with the council before the expiration of a period of ninety days after notice is given to the clerk of the municipality in accordance with this section, the Minister may, with the consent of the Minister for the time being administering the *Local Government Act 1958* authorize the Commission in writing to take the step as if the Commission had consulted with the council in accordance with this Part, and the Commission may take the step accordingly.”

—(Mr. Meagher.)

Question—That clause 5 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Reid
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dunstan	(Bellarine)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McDonald	
(Rodney)	
Mr. McLaren	Tellers.
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Broad
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 18.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	Tellers.
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
(Portland)	Mr. Ginifer

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 8.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 25th NOVEMBER, 1971.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1971.

No. 1.—DENTISTS BILL—Clause 2.

(1) The Acts mentioned in the Schedule to the extent thereby expressed to be repealed are hereby repealed accordingly.

(2) Subject to and in accordance with this Act—

- (a) all persons things and circumstances appointed or created by or under the repealed Acts or existing or continuing under any of such Acts immediately before the commencement of this Act shall continue to have the same status operation and effect as they respectively would have had if such Acts had not been so repealed ;
- (b) in particular and without affecting the generality of the foregoing paragraph such repeal shall not disturb the continuity of status operation or effect of any regulation by-law order decision registration appointment application approval direction permit declaration certificate licence injunction appeal notice proceeding liability or right made effected issued granted given passed fixed accrued incurred or acquired or existing or continuing by or under any of those Acts before the commencement of this Act.

(3) The Dental Board of Victoria as reconstituted under this Act shall be deemed to be the same body as before the commencement of this Act.

—(Mr. Rossiter.)

Amendment proposed—That the following sub-section be inserted to follow sub-section (3) :—

“() Any regulations made under the *Apprenticeship Act* 1958 with respect to the course of instruction and experience for the trade of dental mechanic which are in force immediately prior to the commencement of this Act shall cease to have any force or effect on the 1st January, 1973.”

—(Mr. Rossiter.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 36.		Noes, 28.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Broad	(Rodney)
Sir Henry Bolte	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Evans	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Dixon	(Balwyn)	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Evans	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler	(Dundas)	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire	(Portland)	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Maclellan		Mr. Lind	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reese	(Bellarine)		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Stephen		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—Clause 8.

(1) The Board may from time to time subject to the approval of the Governor in Council make alter and repeal by-laws regulating its proceedings and sittings and the election of a chairman and generally as to the conduct of its business.

(2) The Board may appoint—

(a) a standing committee to investigate and report from time to time on the practice of aspects of dentistry by dental auxiliaries and on the provisions of this Act and the regulations relating to dental auxiliaries ; and

(b) an advisory committee to investigate and report on the administration of other provisions of this Act.

(3) The standing committee shall consist of a chairman, at least one representative of each class of dental auxiliary and such other persons as the Board thinks fit.

(4) The advisory committee shall consist of a chairman and such other persons as the Board thinks fit.

(5) A member of a committee may be removed from his office at any time by the Minister.

—(Mr. Rossiter.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ such other persons as the Board thinks fit ” in sub-section (4) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ not more than ten other persons ”.

—(Mr. Lind.)

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

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 37.		Noes, 27.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	(Rodney)
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Sir Henry Bolte	(Bellarine)	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)	(Dundas)	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson	(Portland)	Mr. Fordham
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Lind	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lovegrove	
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Meagher			
Mr. Rafferty	Tellers.		
Mr. Reese	Mr. McLaren		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Trethewey		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—Clause 35.

- (1) The committee may cancel or suspend the licence of any dental technician—
- (a) whose licence has been obtained by fraud or misrepresentation ;
 - (b) who in Victoria is convicted of an indictable offence or who outside Victoria is convicted of an offence which if committed in Victoria would be an indictable offence ; or
 - (c) who contravenes this Act or the regulations—
- and during the period specified in the order of suspension or (as the case may be) upon the making of the order of cancellation such person shall cease to be so licensed and shall be disqualified from being licensed under this Part.
- (2) The cancellation or suspension of the licence may at any time and for such reasons as the committee thinks fit be annulled by the committee and thereupon the disqualification shall cease.
- (3) Before so cancelling or suspending the licence of any person the committee shall—
- (a) send by registered letter through the post addressed to such person at his address appearing in the roll notice in writing of the intention of the committee to hold an inquiry and of the place and time of the inquiry and of the contravention or the nature of the conduct alleged ;
 - (b) afford such person reasonable opportunity of giving an explanation personally or in writing ; and
 - (c) hold full inquiry into the matter.
- (4) Where the committee orders the cancellation or suspension of the licence of or refuses to grant a licence to any person it shall notify such person of such order or refusal by registered letter through the post addressed to such person at his address appearing on the roll or his last known address.
- (5) Any person who feels aggrieved by any order of the committee cancelling or suspending the licence of such person or by any decision of the committee refusing to license such person may appeal therefrom to a stipendiary magistrate within three months after the notification of such order or decision to such person.
- (6) The magistrate shall entertain inquire into and decide upon the appeal and for that purpose may do all such matters and things relating thereto and in the same manner and to the same extent as he is empowered to do in the exercise of his ordinary jurisdiction and his decision shall be final and without appeal.

—(Mr. Rossiter.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “a stipendiary magistrate” in sub-section (5) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “the County Court”.

—(Mr. Lind.)

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

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(Rodney)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Evans
Mr. Rafferty	(Ballaarat North)
Mr. Reese	Mr. Stephen

Noes, 20.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Portland)	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. Lind	Mr. Fell

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

No. 4.—LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 5, *as amended*.

(1) Division 2 of Part VII. of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) After section 104 there shall be inserted the following sections :—

“ 104A. (1) A person who sells bread or on whose behalf bread is sold in the course of trade or business beyond a distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked shall, **subject to sub-section (2)**, be guilty of an offence against this Division unless he proves that he had taken all reasonable steps to prevent the commission of the offence and that the offence had been committed without his knowledge.

104B. In any proceedings for an offence against this Division—

(a) it shall be sufficient to allege that bread found on premises or in a vehicle was carted or delivered or sold (whichever is applicable) beyond a distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked if because of—

- (i) a label or wrapping or any writing or mark on a label or wrapping on the bread or any impressing or embossing on the bread ;
- (ii) any document on the premises or in the vehicle purporting to be a document with respect to sale or delivery ;
- (iii) the ownership of the vehicle or the employment of its driver ; or
- (iv) a statement made by the occupier of the premises or the owner or driver of the vehicle—

the inspector who examines the bread on the premises or the vehicle has reason to believe that the bread was carted or delivered or sold (as the case may be) beyond the distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked ;

(b) the onus of proof—

- (i) that bread alleged to be carted or delivered or sold in the course of trade or business was not carted or delivered or sold in the course of trade or business ;
- (ii) that bread alleged to be carted or delivered or sold beyond a distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked was not carted or delivered or sold beyond the said distance of thirty miles ;
- (iii) that bread alleged to be carted or delivered or sold on behalf or any person was not carted or delivered or sold on behalf of that person—

shall in all cases be upon the defendant.”;

(b) Section 106A shall be renumbered as section 106C ;

(c) After section 106 there shall be inserted the following sections :—

“ 106A. Where a corporation liable to be charged for an offence against this Division is by virtue of section 6 of the *Companies Act* 1961 a subsidiary of another corporation, then that other corporation may be charged and convicted of the offence as if it were the actual offender.

106B. In this Division unless the contrary intention appears—

“ Owner ” in respect of a vehicle which is a motor car within the meaning of the *Motor Car Act* 1958 means the owner and the proprietor within the meaning of that Act, and “ ownership ” has a corresponding interpretation.

“ Sell ” includes sell (whether by wholesale or retail or by means of any machine or mechanical device) and barter or exchange ; and also of bringing to sell or offering or exposing for sale or keeping or having in possession for sale or sending forwarding delivering or receiving for or on sale or otherwise directing causing suffering permitting or attempting any of such acts or things and “ sale ” has a corresponding interpretation.”

(2) In section 1 of the Principal Act in that part of the table relating to Division 2 of Part VII. for the expression “ 106A ” there shall be substituted the expression “ 106C ”.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That the following sub-section be inserted to follow proposed new section 104A :—

“(2) Sub-section (1) shall not apply to the sale of bread which has been carted or delivered beyond a distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked if the cartage or delivery of the bread does not constitute an offence under sub-section (4) of section 104.”

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 40.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Amos	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Broad	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Dixon	(Bellarine)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Kirkwood	
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)	(Dundas)	Mr. Edmunds
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Mutton	(Portland)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin		
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting		
(Rodney)	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Billing		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. McCabe		
Mr. Reese			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 5.—

Question—That clause 5, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 39.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese	Mr. Amos	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Broad	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dunstan	(Bellarine)	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Kirkwood	
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	(Dundas)	Mr. Edmunds
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)	Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Mutton	(Portland)
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey		
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(Rodney)	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Billing		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. McCabe		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 6.—Clause 9, as amended.

Section 198 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) In sub-section (1) for the word “ whatever ” there shall be substituted the expression “, other than a deduction permitted to be made by virtue of sub-section (1B),”;

(b) After sub-section (1) there shall be inserted the following sub-sections :—

“ (1A) For the purposes of this section a payment is a payment in money if it is made—

(a) in cash ; or

(b) with the authority in writing of the person employed—

(i) by cheque, postal order or money order payable to the person ;
or

(ii) into a bank account specified in the authority by a person.

(1B) From any moneys payable under sub-section (1) by an employer to a person employed by him the employer may deduct and pay on behalf of the employé any payment authorized in writing by the employé to be so deducted and paid.

(1C) Where the employé withdraws in writing—

(a) the authority given pursuant to paragraph (b) of sub-section (1A) and no authority is given in writing for payment in any of the other ways mentioned in that paragraph, the employer shall pay the employé in cash ;

(b) the authority given pursuant to sub-section (1B) with respect to a deduction and payment which was authorized by the employé, the employer shall cease to make that deduction and payment.”

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Question—That clause 9, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 43.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(Rodney)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	
Mr. Rafferty	Tellers.
Mr. Reese	Mr. Evans
Mr. Reid	(Gippsland East)
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 19.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Curnow
(Portland)	Mr. Mutton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 7.—LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—New clause A.

After section 135 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :—

“ 135A. (1) Where under section 134 or section 135 a lease is granted for a period of 50 years or more it shall be of no force or effect until ten sitting days after notice thereof has been laid before both Houses of Parliament.

(2) Any such lease shall be void and shall be deemed always to have been void if either House of Parliament within ten sitting days after notice of the granting of the lease was laid before it passes a resolution to that effect.

(3) A renewal of an existing lease shall not be granted for a period of 50 years or more.”

—(Mr. Wilton.)

Question—That new clause A be now read a second time—put.

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. SUGGETT.)

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Bornstein
(Portland)	Mr. Mutton

Noes, 38.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reese
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Evans	(Warrnambool)
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(Rodney)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Templeton

And so it passed in the negative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 9.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 2nd DECEMBER, 1971.

THURSDAY, 2nd DECEMBER, 1971.

EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 2.

(1) In sub-paragraph (i) in the interpretation of "Capitation grant" in sub-section (5) of section 2 of the Principal Act for the expression "\$20" there shall be substituted the expression "\$40".

(2) This section shall come into operation on 1st January 1972.

—(Mr. Thompson.)

Amendment proposed—That the following sub-section be inserted before sub-section (1) :—

" () After paragraph (a) of sub-section (4) of section 2 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following paragraph :—

' (aa) who is a primary pupil in respect of whom fees at a rate of more than \$30 per term are payable ; ' "

—(Mr. Doube.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(Portland)	Mr. Ginifer

Noes, 41.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(Bellarine)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(Rodney)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Broad
Mr. Reese	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Reid	

And so it passed in the negative.

VICTORIA.
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 10.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 9th MARCH, 1972.

THURSDAY (MORNING), 9th MARCH, 1972.

WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL—Clause 3.

(1) The provisions of this section shall have effect in relation to any rates levied in respect of the land by the Council of the Shire of Hastings.

(2) The provisions of the *Local Government Act* 1958 and the *Valuation of Land Act* 1960 shall apply in relation to the valuation of the land for rating purposes but in estimating the net annual value of the land any improvements being plant machinery or equipment (other than cranes attached to or in buildings) whether affixed to the land or not shall be disregarded.

(3) The rates shall be made and levied in accordance with the provisions of the *Local Government Act* 1958 but—

(a) where the rates in any year are made and levied solely on the net annual value of rateable property in the municipal district—

if the amount of the rates which but for this paragraph would be payable in respect of the land in any year are less than the amount for that year as set out in the following table the amount payable will be the amount in the table ;

TABLE.

Year ending on the 30th September							Amount. \$
1973 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	190,000
1974 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	255,000
1975 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	320,000
1976 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	385,000
1977 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	450,000
1978 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	515,000
1979 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	580,000
1980 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	645,000
1981 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	710,000
1982 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	775,000
1983 and each year thereafter	..	..	..	..	..	..	840,000

(b) where the rates in any year are made and levied partly on the net annual value and partly on the unimproved capital value or site value of the rateable property in the municipal district—

if the rates which would but for this paragraph be payable in respect of the land in any year are less than an amount which bears the same proportion to the amount shown opposite that year in the table in paragraph (a) as the total amount of rates levied by the Council in that year on the net annual value of rateable property in the municipal district bears to the total amount of rates levied by the Council in that year in respect of the said rateable property—
the amount payable will be the amount which bears that same proportion.

(4) If, for any reason which appears to the Minister to be beyond the control of the Company—

(a) a cold strip steel mill is not ready for operation on the land before the 1st day of January, 1975 ;

(b) a hot strip steel mill is not ready for operation on the land before the 1st day of January, 1980 ; or

(c) a full integrated steel works plant is not ready for operation before the 1st day of January, 1985—

and no agreement has been made pursuant to section 811BA of the *Local Government Act 1958* between the said Council and the Company with respect to the land, the Minister shall appoint a committee consisting of a barrister and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria nominated by the President of the Law Institute of Victoria (who shall be chairman), a person nominated by the Council, and a person nominated by the Company to make recommendations as to what (if any) amendments should be made to this section.

(5) The Council may cause a supplementary valuation of the land to be made at any time.

—(Mr. Wilcox.)

Question—That clause 3 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Reese	Mr. Trethewey

Noes, 26.

Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Bornstein	(Rodney)
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fell	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(Dundas)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Lind	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 11.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 13th APRIL, 1972.

TUESDAY, 11th APRIL, 1972.

No. 1.—GAME BILL—Clause 3.

After section 43 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following heading and section:—

“Acquisition of Land for Purposes of Act.”

44. (1) The Minister with the consent of the Governor in Council may purchase by agreement for and on behalf of Her Majesty any land or any easement right or privilege in or over land which he considers necessary or desirable for the purposes of this Act.

(2) For the purpose of enabling any alienated land (including any land vested in trustees or in any public authority or municipality) to be reserved under the *Land Act* 1958 for the purposes of this Act such land may, subject to sub-section (3), be compulsorily acquired by the Crown.

(3) Land shall not be resumed pursuant to sub-section (2) unless it is required for the management of game and the preservation of wildlife.

(4) The *Lands Compensation Act* 1958 is hereby incorporated and shall be read and construed as one with this section and, in the construction of the *Lands Compensation Act* 1958 for the purposes of this section, unless inconsistent with the context or subject-matter—

“Minister of Public Works” or “Minister” means the Minister for the time being administering this Act;

“Special Act” means this section.

(5) Any land so purchased or compulsorily acquired shall upon the surrender thereof to Her Majesty or the acquisition thereof be deemed to be unalienated land of the Crown temporarily reserved pursuant to the *Land Act* 1958 for the purposes of this Act.”

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Question—That clause 3 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 51.

Noes, 7.

Mr. Amos	Mr. McCabe	Mr. Broad	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Balfour	Mr. McLaren	Mr. Evans	
Mr. Billing	Mr. Meagher	(Gippsland East)	Tellers.
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Mitchell	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Reese	Mr. Ross-Edwards	(Rodney)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter		Mr. Trewin
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Scanlan		
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Shilton		
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds		
Mr. Doube	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Edmunds	(Bellarine)		
Mr. Evans	Mr. Smith		
(Ballarat North)	(Warrnambool)		
Mr. Fell	Mr. Stephen		
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Stokes		
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Suggett		
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Guy	(Balwyn)		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Holding	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Turnbull		
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilkes		
(Dundas)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Lewis			
(Portland)	Tellers.		
Mr. Lind	Mr. Ginifer		
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Loxton	(Gippsland South)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

NO. 2.—ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL—Clause 5.

(1) There shall be constituted an Archaeological Relics Advisory Committee consisting of ten honorary members, of whom—

(a) one shall be the Protector of Relics, who shall be the chairman ; and

(b) nine shall be persons appointed by the Governor in Council—

- (i) one being an archaeologist or anthropologist on the staff of the National Museum of Victoria ;
- (ii) one being a member of the National Trust of Australia (Victoria) ;
- (iii) one being a member of the Anthropological Society of Victoria ;
- (iv) one being the Secretary for Lands or his nominee ;
- (v) one being the Director of Aboriginal Affairs or his nominee ;
- (vi) one being the Director of National Parks or his nominee ;
- (vii) one being the Chairman of the Forests Commission or his nominee ;
- (viii) one being a member of the Institute of Aboriginal Studies ; and
- (ix) one being an Aborigine nominated by the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs.

(2) Each of the appointed members of the Advisory Committee shall hold office for the period not exceeding three years which is specified in his instrument of appointment, but shall be eligible for re-appointment.

(3) The members of the Advisory Committee shall elect one of the appointed members as deputy chairman for a period not exceeding twelve months, but a person so elected shall be eligible for re-election.

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ by the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs ” in sub-paragraph (ix) of paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ or elected by Aboriginal members of the Aboriginal Affairs Advisory Council ”.

—(Mr. Bornstein.)

NOTE.—Bold type denotes insertion or substitution by amendment.

Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 40.		Noes, 20.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Amos
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Doube
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd
Mr. Dunstan	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Ginifer
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Holding
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lewis
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor	(Dundas)
Mrs. Goble	(Gippsland South)	
Mr. Guy	Mr. Templeton	
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin	
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting	
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire	
(Rodney)		
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>	
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Dixon	
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Reese	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—Clause 19.

All relics within an archaeological area shall be the property of the Crown and be under the protection of the Crown.

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “(1)” be inserted after the expression “19.”.

—(Mr. Bornstein.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 19.		Noes, 40.
Mr. Amos	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Balfour
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Billing
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Birrell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Borthwick
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Broad
Mr. Fell		Mr. Crellin
Mr. Fordham		Mr. Dixon
Mr. Ginifer	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Dunstan
Mr. Holding	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Evans
Mr. Kirkwood	(Dundas)	(Ballarat North)
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Lewis	(Gippsland East)
Mr. Mutton	(Portland)	Mrs. Goble
		Mr. Hamer
		Mr. Hayes
		Mr. Jona
		Mr. Loxton
		Mr. McCabe
		Mr. McDonald
		(Rodney)
		Mr. McLaren
		Mr. Maclellan
		Mr. Meagher
		Mr. Mitchell
		Mr. Reese
		Mr. Ross-Edwards
		Mr. Rossiter
		Mr. Scanlan
		Mr. Smith
		(Bellarine)
		Mr. Smith
		(Warrnambool)
		Mr. Stephen
		Mr. Stokes
		Mr. Suggett
		Mr. Taylor
		(Gippsland South)
		Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Whiting
		Mr. Wiltshire
		<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Burgin
		Mr. Guy

And so it passed in the negative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 12.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 20th APRIL, 1972.

TUESDAY, 18TH APRIL, 1972.

No. 1.—COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL—Clause 2.

The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows :—

(a) For paragraph (a) of section 37 there shall be substituted the following paragraph :—

“ (a) All personal actions where the amount sought to be recovered is not more than—

(i) in the case of any action where the damages claimed by the plaintiff consist of or include damages in respect of personal injury \$12,000;

(ii) in any other case .. \$6,000—

whether on balance of account or otherwise.” ;

(b) At the end of section 37 there shall be inserted the following sub-sections and section:—

‘ (2) In paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) “ personal injury ” includes any disease and any impairment of a person’s physical or mental condition.

37A. Where a verdict is returned for or a judgment is given for an amount greater than the amount sought to be recovered in the action by the claimant the Court shall find and record the amount of the verdict or judgment and the claimant shall be entitled to recover the full amount of the verdict or judgment or, where the full amount is liable to be reduced in accordance with Part V. of the *Wrongs Act* 1958, the amount to which the full amount of the verdict or judgment is so liable to be reduced notwithstanding that that full amount or that reduced amount is greater than the amount sought to be recovered.’ ;

(c) For the expression “ 37. The court ” there shall be substituted the expression “ 37. (1) The Court ”.

—(Mr. Reid.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 44.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese	Mr. Doube	Mr. Lovegrove
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Reid	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Fell	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Broad	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dunstan	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Smith	Mr. Kirkwood	
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen	(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Guy	(<i>Balwyn</i>)		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Hayes	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox		
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Birrell		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Trethewey		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1972.

NO. 2.—MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL—Clause 5.

(1) For the purposes of this Act there shall be a Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Management Committee.

(2) The Committee shall be a body corporate by the name of the "Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Management Committee" with perpetual succession and a common seal and shall by that name be capable in law of suing and being sued.

(3) The Committee shall consist of ten persons appointed by the Minister of whom—

- (a) one shall be an officer of the Department of Crown Lands and Survey and shall be chairman of the Committee ;
- (b) two shall be appointed from a panel of five names submitted by the Victorian Ski Association ;
- (c) one shall be appointed after consultation by the Minister with persons who in the opinion of the Minister are representative of those conducting commercial enterprises within the resort area ;
- (d) one shall be appointed after consultation by the Minister with persons who in the opinion of the Minister are representative of those conducting ski lift and ski tow services within the resort area ;
- (e) one shall be nominated by the municipalities of the municipal districts within which the resort area is situated ;
- (f) one shall be nominated by the Country Roads Board ;
- (g) one shall be nominated by the Soil Conservation Authority ;
- (h) one shall be nominated by the Minister of Public Works ; and
- (i) one shall be nominated by the Minister for Tourism.

(4) Where within 28 days after being requested in writing to do so by the Minister, a person fails to make a nomination for the purposes of sub-section (3) or the Victorian Ski Association fails to submit a panel of five names for the purposes of paragraph (b) of that sub-section, the Minister may pursuant to the relevant paragraph appoint any person or in the case of the Victorian Ski Association any two persons.

(5) The Minister may remove any member of the Committee from office.

—(*Mr. Borthwick.*)

Amendment proposed—That the word "ten" in sub-section (3) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the word "twelve".

—(*Mr. Wilton.*)

(And the word "ten" having been omitted)—

Question—That the word proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 17.		Noes, 39.	
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lind	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Doube	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Billing	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Reese
Mr. Fell	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Broad	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Crellin	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Holding		Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Dunstan	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos	Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Suggett
	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
		(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
		(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	
		Mr. McDonald	<i>Tellers.</i>
		(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Maclellan
		Mr. McLaren	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Meagher	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

THURSDAY, 20TH APRIL, 1972.

No. 3.—PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 2.

Section 47 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows:—

- (a) In sub-section (1) for the expression "one month" there shall be substituted the expression "three months";
- (b) For sub-section (2) there shall be substituted the following sub-section:—

"(2) If an officer is assigned such work for a period longer than two weeks the permanent head shall grant to the officer an appropriate allowance as prescribed by the Board in respect of the work so assigned, and, subject to sub-section (1), an allowance so granted shall for the purposes of this Act and the regulations be deemed to be an allowance authorized by the Board."

—(*Mr. Hamer.*)

Motion made and question—That the Chairman do report progress and ask for leave to sit again (*Mr. Doube*)—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 19.		Noes, 35.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Bornstein	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Broad	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Crellin	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Fordham		Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Lind	Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Guy	Mr. Thompson
(<i>Dundas</i>)		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Jona	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. McDonald	
		(<i>Rodney</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. McLaren	Mr. Billing
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Maclellan

And so it passed in the negative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 13.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

WEEK ENDED 27th APRIL, 1972.

WEDNESDAY, 26TH APRIL, 1972.

NO. 1.—CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL—Clause 5.

(1) There shall be a Council appointed by the Minister to be called the Consumer Affairs Council consisting of—

- (a) a person representing the interests of manufacturers selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister thinks represent such interests ;
- (b) a person representing the interests of retail traders in consumer goods selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister thinks represent such interests ;
- (c) a person representing the interests of persons engaged in advertising and sales promotion activities in connexion with consumer goods selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister thinks represent such interests ;
- (d) four persons representing the interests of the consumers of whom at least two shall be women ; and
- (e) a person appointed as Chairman of the Council—

and the Minister may at any time remove any person so appointed and may subject to this Act appoint another person in his stead.

(2) Members of the Council shall be appointed for such term not exceeding five years as the Minister determines but upon the expiration of the term for which any member is appointed he shall be eligible for re-appointment if then qualified.

(3) The Minister may appoint an appropriate person to be an acting member of the Council during the absence or illness of a member.

(4) An acting member shall have and may exercise all the rights powers and duties of a member during the absence or illness of the member in whose stead he has been appointed to act.

(5) A quorum of the Council shall consist of not less than five members and subject to there being a quorum the Council may act notwithstanding any vacancy in its membership.

(6) At any meeting of the Council the Chairman or in his absence a member elected by the members present to be chairman of the meeting shall preside.

(7) The decision upon any matter of the majority of the members at any meeting shall be the decision of the Council on that matter and in the event of an equality of votes on any matter the chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.

(8) Subject to this Act the Council may regulate its own proceedings in such manner as it thinks fit.

(9) The members of the Council shall not as such be subject to the *Public Service Act* 1958.

(10) Members of the Council who are not officers of the public service shall be paid such fees and travelling allowances as are prescribed.

(11) Notwithstanding sub-section (1) any person who was a member of the Consumer Affairs Council constituted under the *Consumer Protection Act* 1970 immediately prior to the commencement of this Act shall be a member of the Consumer Affairs Council until the expiration of the term for which he was appointed to the Consumers Protection Council or the Consumer Affairs Council.

(12) Any investigation report decision or recommendation made by the Consumer Affairs Council prior to the commencement of this Act shall be deemed to have been made by the Consumer Affairs Council pursuant to the provisions of this Act.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “at least two shall be women ; and” in paragraph (d) of sub-section (1) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof—

“ (i) at least two shall be women ; and

(ii) at least one shall be a person representing the interests of consumers resident in country areas selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister thinks represent such interests ; and ”.

—(Mr. Evans, Gippsland East.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 35.

Noes, 24.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith	Mr. Broad	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Guy	(Balwyn)	(Dundas)	
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
Mr. Jona	(Gippsland South)	(Portland)	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lind	(Rodney)
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Mutton
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox		
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Reese		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Templeton		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—Clause 6.

The functions of the Council shall be—

- (a) to investigate any matter affecting the interests of consumers referred to it by the Minister ;
- (b) to make recommendations with respect to any matter calculated to protect the interests of consumers ;
- (c) to consult with manufacturers retailers and advertisers in relation to any matter affecting the interests of consumers ; and
- (d) in respect of matters affecting the interests of consumers, to disseminate information and to encourage and undertake educational work.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “(1)” be inserted after the expression “6”.
—(Mr. Evans, Gippsland East.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 27.

Noes, 35.

Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Broad	(Rodney)	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mitchell	Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull	(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting	Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Hayes	(Balwyn)
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Jona	Mr. Taylor
(Dundas)		Mr. Loxton	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Lewis		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Templeton
(Portland)		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Lind	<i>Tellers.</i>	(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Maclellan	
		Mr. Meagher	
		Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Reese	Mr. Guy
		Mr. Reid	Mr. Trethewey

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 3.—Clause 14.

(1) In this Division unless inconsistent with the context or subject-matter—

“Appropriate trade premises” means—

- (a) in relation to a credit purchase agreement or an offer to enter into a credit purchase agreement for or with respect to the sale or bailment of goods, premises at which the vendor normally carries on business or at which the goods are normally offered or exposed for sale in the course of a business carried on at those premises ;
- (b) in relation to a credit purchase agreement or an offer to enter into a credit purchase agreement for or with respect to the provision of services, premises at which the vendor normally carries on business or at which the services are normally offered performed provided or made available in the course of a business carried on at those premises—

but does not include any such premises if they are the purchaser’s place of residence or business.

“Credit purchase agreement” means an agreement for or with respect to the sale or bailment of goods or the provision of services, but does not include—

- (a) any hiring agreement ;
- (b) any agreement which relates to the disposition of an estate or interest in land ;
- (c) any agreement which relates solely to the performance of work under a contract of employment, or by virtue of which the contractor would be deemed to be a “worker” within the meaning of the *Workers Compensation Act 1958* ; or
- (d) an agreement under which the whole of the purchase price rent or other consideration payable after the deduction of any trade-in allowance or discount is paid by the purchaser in cash or by cheque at or before the time at which the agreement is made or on delivery of the goods or is payable not later than the end of the month next following the month in which the agreement is made or the goods are delivered.

“Dealer” in relation to a hire-purchase agreement or an offer to enter into a hire-purchase agreement has the meaning assigned to it by the *Hire-Purchase Act 1959*.

“Goods” includes all chattels personal other than money or livestock and includes any fixtures severable from the realty.

“Hiring agreement” means any agreement for the bailment of goods but does not include—

- (a) a hire-purchase agreement ; or
- (b) a rental agreement within the meaning of subdivision (14) of Division 3 of Part II. of the *Stamps Act 1958*.

“Owner” in relation to a hire purchase agreement or an offer to enter into a hire purchase agreement has the meaning assigned to it by the *Hire-Purchase Act 1959*.

“Purchaser” means a person to whom goods are bailed or sold or services are provided or to whom goods are agreed to be bailed or sold or services are agreed to be provided under a credit purchase agreement and in relation to an offer to enter into a credit purchase agreement means the person to whom, if the offer was accepted, goods or services would be sold bailed or provided.

“Vendor” means—

- (a) in relation to a credit purchase agreement (other than a hire purchase agreement or an offer to enter into a credit purchase agreement), the person by whom or on whose behalf—
 - (i) goods are bailed or sold or services are provided ; or
 - (ii) goods are agreed to be bailed or sold or services are agreed to be provided ;
- (b) in relation to an offer by a purchaser to enter into a hire purchase agreement and to any agreement resulting therefrom—
 - (i) the dealer ;
 - (ii) where there is no dealer, the owner ; and
- (c) in relation to an offer to enter into any other credit purchase agreement, the person by whom or on whose behalf the goods or services would be sold bailed or provided.

(2) This Division does not apply—

- (a) to a credit purchase agreement under which—
 - (i) the purchaser is a body corporate ;
 - (ii) the purchaser is a person whose trade or business is the trade or business of buying selling or hiring goods of the same nature or description as goods to which the agreement relates ;
- (b) to an offer to enter into a credit purchase agreement made by or on behalf of—
 - (i) an intending purchaser being a body corporate ;
 - (ii) an intending purchaser being a person whose trade or business is the trade or business of buying selling or hiring goods of the same nature or description as the goods to which the offer relates ; or
- (c) to a credit purchase agreement with or an offer to enter into a credit purchase agreement made by or on behalf of an intending purchaser to a person carrying on the business of financing pastoral pursuits or the business of a stock or station agent if such agreement or proposed agreement is or will be made in the course of carrying on that business.

(3) Subject to sub-section (2), this Division applies to all credit purchase agreements and all offers to enter into credit purchase agreements unless—

- (a) the original approach leading to the agreement or offer—
 - (i) was made at appropriate trade premises or at a bona fide public fair or show ; or
 - (ii) was made by the purchaser ; and
- (b) any negotiations leading to the agreement or offer which took place away from appropriate trade premises or a public fair or show took place—
 - (i) as a result of a request by the purchaser ; or
 - (ii) in the course of a demonstration or inspection of any vehicle or boat or any commercial or farm machinery or equipment to which the agreement or offer relates or of any goods which under section 18 would be a trade-in pursuant to the agreement or offer.

(4) For the purposes of sub-section (3) an approach to the spouse or a relative of the purchaser or to any other person shall be deemed to be an approach to the purchaser if the approach was made with a view to or might reasonably have been expected to have led to the making of an offer by or an agreement with the purchaser.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-section (4) be omitted.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 28.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Doube	(Rodney)
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mitchell
Sir Henry Bolte	(Bellarine)	Mr. Evans	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Fell	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Trezise
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding	Mr. Turnbull
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Jona	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Loxton	(Gippsland South)	(Dundas)	Mr. Wilton
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler	(Portland)	Tellers.
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lind	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Broad
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Guy		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Reid			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 4.—Clause 16.

(1) Subject to sub-section (3) an agreement or offer in respect of which a statement is required to be given under section 15 may be terminated by the purchaser by notice given as hereafter provided in the form of or to the effect of the notice set out in the appendix to Schedule One.

(2) A notice under sub-section (1) may be given—

(a) if a statement has been given to the purchaser in accordance with paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) of section 15 by leaving it at or posting it to the address shown in the appendix to that statement within ten days after the day upon which the purchaser made the agreement or offer; or

(b) if a statement had not been given in accordance with paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) of section 15 by leaving it at or posting it to any address at which the purchaser has reasonable grounds for believing the vendor carries on business at any time within six months after the day upon which the purchaser made the agreement or offer.

(3) The vendor and in the case of a hire purchase agreement or an offer to enter into a hire purchase agreement the owner may at any time after the day on which the agreement or offer was made post to the purchaser a notice in or to the effect of the form set out in Schedule Two and if the purchaser posts the notice set out in the appendix to that Schedule confirming the agreement or offer to the person to whom it is addressed at the address shown in the notice, the purchaser shall not thereafter be entitled under sub-section (1) to terminate the agreement or offer.

(4) If any person—

(a) obtains confirmation from the purchaser other than in accordance with sub-section (3); or

(b) has contacted the purchaser to suggest that the purchaser return the portion of the notice confirming the agreement or offer—

the provisions of sub-section (3) shall not apply.

(5) Any person who obtains or attempts to obtain confirmation of an agreement or offer otherwise than in accordance with sub-section (3) shall be guilty of an offence.

Penalty: \$200.

(6) This section applies notwithstanding that in the case of an offer to enter into a hire-purchase agreement the offer has been accepted by the owner of the goods to which the agreement relates.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-sections (3), (4) and (5) be omitted.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the sub-sections proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 27.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Broad	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Stokes	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trezise
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Hamer	(Balwyn)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Jona	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey	(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Lewis	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wilcox	(Portland)	(Rodney)
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wiltshire	Mr. Lind	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Rafferty			
Mr. Reese	Tellers.		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Billing		
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Birrell		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 5.—Clause 17.

- (1) Where a notice of termination of an agreement or offer is given pursuant to section 16—
- the agreement shall be deemed to have been rescinded by mutual consent ;
 - the offer shall be deemed to have been revoked notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the terms of the offer and any agreement resulting from that offer shall be deemed to have been rescinded by mutual consent ;
 - the agreement or offer and any contract of guarantee relating to it shall be deemed never to have had effect ; and
 - any security given by the purchaser in respect of money payable thereunder or given by a guarantor in respect of money payable under a contract of guarantee shall be deemed never to have been enforceable.
- (2) On the service of a notice of termination the vendor shall forthwith repay to the purchaser all sums which have been paid by the purchaser in respect of the goods or services to which the agreement or offer relates.
- (3) The vendor shall be entitled to make a reasonable charge for any services rendered prior to the termination of the agreement or offer or for any goods which the purchaser is unable to return.

(Sub-sections (4)–(14) not printed.)

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-section (3) be omitted.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Broad	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)	Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Hamer	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey	(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Lewis	Mr. McDonald
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox	(Portland)	(Rodney)
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire	Mr. Lind	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Guy		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Reid	(Gippsland South)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1972.

NO. 6.—GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL—Clause 2.

(1) There shall be established a Government Buildings Advisory Council.

(2) The functions of the Council shall be—

(a) to report to the Minister at his request—

(i) on any building or structure on Crown land or on land vested in any Minister of the Crown which has been or is hereafter classified as being of historic architectural or other significance or interest by the National Trust of Australia (Victoria) ;

(ii) on any other building or structure on Crown land or on land vested in any Minister of the Crown which may be of significance or interest ;

(b) to consult with departments public authorities the National Trust of Australia (Victoria) and other bodies with respect to any such report or proposed report.

(3) A report under paragraph (a) or (b) of sub-section (2) shall indicate whether or not the Council recommends the preservation of the building or structure giving reasons for the view expressed and where it does recommend preservation shall include the Council's opinion as to—

(a) possible future uses of the building or structure ; and

(b) any renovations or additions to the building or structure which are necessary or desirable or which will be required to enable any such proposed use ;

(c) the estimated cost of any such renovations or additions ; and

(d) the estimated cost of the future maintenance of the building or structure—

and shall be accompanied by an estimate of the value of the land and an estimate of any economic loss to the State if the building or structure is preserved.

—(Mr. Balfour.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ at his request ” in sub-section (2) be omitted.

—(Mr. Fordham.)

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

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. TAYLOR (*Balwyn*).)

Ayes, 30.

Noes, 28.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Broad	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Evans	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Ross-Edwards
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Fell	Mr. Shilton
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Guy	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Holding	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Loxton		Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. McCabe		Mr. Lewis	
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>	(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Dixon	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Taylor	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Rafferty	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 14.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 5TH MAY, 1972.

WEDNESDAY (MORNING), 3RD MAY, 1972.

No. 1.—SPORTS PROMOTION BILL—Clause 4.

(1) The Commission shall consist of five members selected as persons having a special interest in the administration or promotion of sporting activities in Victoria (other than horse racing trotting racing or greyhound racing) of whom one shall be appointed as chairman.

(2) Subject to this Act a member shall hold office for the term, not exceeding five years, specified in his instrument of appointment and shall be eligible for re-appointment.

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That after the word “ chairman ” insert “ and one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Country Football League of Victoria ”.

—(Mr. Whiting.)

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. EVANS, *Ballaarat North*.)

Ayes, 7.

Noes, 49.

Mr. Evans,	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Broad
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Ross-Edwards	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Trewin	
Mr. Whiting	

Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doube	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Fell	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Floyd	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Ginifer	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Guy	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Holding	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Portland</i>)	
Mr. Loxton	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Meagher	Mr. McCabe

And so it passed in the negative.

WEDNESDAY, 3RD MAY, 1972.

No. 2.—WAYS AND MEANS—TOTALIZATOR COMMISSION—RESOLUTION.

That under and in accordance with Part V. of the *Racing Act* 1958 as proposed to be amended there shall be paid to and for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors—

1. By every club using a totalizator from the commission deducted by the club out of moneys paid directly into the totalizator—
 - (a) in respect of a race-meeting held on a race-course within twenty miles by the nearest practicable route by road or railway or by road and railway from the post office situate at the corner of Bourke and Elizabeth streets in the city of Melbourne—
 - (i) (in the case of commission derived from double quinella and forecast totalizators) twenty-three fifty-sixths ;
 - (ii) (in all other cases) thirty-five fifty-sixths ; and
 - (b) in respect of a race-meeting held on a race-course situate elsewhere in Victoria, fifteen fifty-sixths.
2. By every club using a totalizator from the commission deducted by the club out of moneys derived from bets made through the Totalizator Agency Board, twenty-one fifty-sixths until the Treasurer certifies that the further proportion required be paid into a trust account in the Treasury and applied for and towards recouping racing clubs for their contribution to the payment of the expenses of establishing the Board is no longer necessary and thereafter twenty-two fifty-sixths.
3. By the Totalizator Agency Board from the commission deducted by the Board out of moneys invested in miscellaneous totalizators, twenty-one fifty-sixths until the Treasurer certifies that the further proportion required be paid into a trust account in the Treasury and applied for and towards recouping racing clubs for their contribution to the payment of the expenses of establishing the Board is no longer necessary and thereafter twenty-two sixtieths.
4. By the Totalizator Agency Board from the commission deducted by the Board out of moneys invested in off-course totalizators on race-meetings conducted in other States of the Commonwealth of Australia or outside Australia twenty-one fifty-sixths until the Treasurer certifies that the further proportion required be paid into a trust account in the Treasury and applied for and towards recouping racing clubs for their contribution to the payment of the expenses of establishing the Board is no longer necessary and thereafter twenty-two fifty-sixths.

—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool.)

Question—That this resolution be agreed to—put.

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. WHEELER.)

Ayes, 41

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dunstan	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Whiting
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
(Rodney)	
Mr. McLaren	Tellers.
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Broad
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 20.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Portland)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
	(Dundas)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

NO. 3.—WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL—Clause 2.

Section 3 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

- (a) In sub-section (1) in the interpretation of “ worker ” the expression “ a person employed whose remuneration exceeds \$6,000 a year (excluding any payments made for overtime worked by him), or ” is repealed ;
- (b) Paragraph (c) of sub-section (5) is repealed.

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That after paragraph (a) there be inserted the following paragraph :—

‘ () After sub-section (2) there shall be inserted the following sub-section :—

“(2A) Any question arising in relation to a claim made for compensation in accordance with the provisions of this Act by a person whose remuneration exceeds \$6,000 a year (excluding any payments made for overtime worked by him) and in respect of whom a policy of insurance was obtained by the employer pursuant to which the insurer agreed to indemnify the employer against his liability under this Act as though the person were a worker, shall subject to the provisions of this Act and the regulations and rules thereunder be settled by the Board whether the question arose before or after the coming into operation of this Act ”.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the paragraph proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. JONA.)

Ayes, 16.		Noes, 40.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)
(Dundas)		Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
(Portland)	Mr. Amos	Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Lind	Mr. Fell	(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)
		(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor
		Mrs. Goble	(Gippsland South)
		Mr. Guy	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox
		(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. McLaren	
		Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Dixon
		Mr. Mitchell	Mr. McDonald
		Mr. Rafferty	(Rodney)
		Mr. Reese	

And so it passed in the negative.

NO. 4.—Clause 3.

Clause 1 of the clauses appended to section 9 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) In paragraph (a)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (i)—

for the expression “ \$11,834,” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$13,690 ” ;

for the expression “ \$263 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$400 ” ;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (ii) for the expression “ \$11,834 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$13,690 ” ;

(b) In paragraph (b)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (i)—

for the expression “ \$26 ” (where twice occurring) there shall be substituted the expression “ \$43 ” ;

for the expression “ \$8 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$12 ” ;

for the expression “ \$3 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$4 ” ;

for the expression “ \$41 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$63 ” ;

for the expression “ \$24 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$32 ” ;

for the expression “ \$34 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$55 ” ;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (iii) for the expression “ \$13,149 ” (where twice occurring) there shall be substituted the expression “ \$15,260 ”.

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “ \$13,690 ” (where first occurring) be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof “ \$24,232 ”.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 38.		Noes, 16.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Meagher	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Reese	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Broad	Mr. Reid	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith	(Dundas)	
Mr. Dunstan	(Bellarine)	Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen	(Portland)	Mr. Amos
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lind	Mr. Fell
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor		
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)		
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Guy	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. MacDonald			
(Glen Iris)			
Mr. McDonald	Tellers.		
(Rodney)	Mr. Dixon		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Maclellan	(Gippsland South)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 5.—Clause 3.

Further amendment proposed—That sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (b) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following sub-paragraph :—

‘ (i) For sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph :—

“ (i) An injured person shall continue to be entitled to his wage or salary as if he were still employed by the person by whom he was employed at the time of the injury ; ” ’.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the sub-paragraph proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 41.		Noes, 17.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen	(Dundas)	
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	(Portland)	Tellers.
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind	Mr. Amos
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Kirkwood
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor		
Mrs. Goble	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. Guy	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox		
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Maclellan	Tellers.		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Dixon		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. McDonald		
Mr. Rafferty	(Rodney)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 6.—Clause 4.

For the Table appended to sub-section (1) of section 11 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following Table :—

THE TABLE REFERRED TO.

Injury.	Amount of Compensation Payable.
	\$
Total loss of the sight of both eyes	13,690.00
Total loss of the sight of an only eye	13,690.00
Loss of both hands	13,690.00
Loss of both feet	13,690.00
Loss of a hand and a foot	13,690.00
Total and incurable loss of mental powers involving inability to work	13,690.00
Total and incurable paralysis of the limbs or of mental powers	13,690.00
Total loss of the right arm or of the greater part of the right arm	10,950.00
Total loss of the left arm or of the greater part of the left arm	10,250.00
Total loss of the right hand or of five fingers of the right hand, or of the lower part of the right arm	9,580.00
Total loss of the same for the left hand and arm	8,880.00
Total loss of a leg	10,250.00
Total loss of a foot	8,880.00
Total loss of the lower part of the leg	9,580.00
Total loss of the sight of one eye, together with the serious diminution of the sight of the other eye	10,250.00
Total loss of hearing	8,880.00
Total loss of the hearing of one ear	2,740.00
Total loss of the sight of one eye	5,480.00
Loss of binocular vision	5,480.00
Total loss of the thumb of the right hand	4,110.00
Total loss of the thumb of the left hand	3,560.00
Total loss of the forefinger of the right hand	2,870.00
Total loss of the forefinger of the left hand	2,410.00
Total loss of two joints of the forefinger of the right hand	2,190.00
Total loss of two joints of the forefinger of the left hand	1,650.00
Total loss of a joint of the thumb	2,190.00
Total loss of the first joint of the forefinger of the right hand	1,370.00
Total loss of the first joint of the forefinger of the left hand	1,180.00
Total loss of the first joint of the middle or little or ring finger of either hand	830.00
Total loss of the middle finger of either hand	1,650.00
Total loss of the little or ring finger of either hand	1,490.00
Total loss of two joints of the middle finger of either hand	1,370.00
Total loss of two joints of the little or ring finger of either hand	1,180.00
Total loss of the great toe of either foot	2,970.00
Total loss of a joint of the great toe of either foot	1,370.00
Total loss of any other toe	830.00
Total loss of a joint of any other toe	280.00
Partial loss of the sight of both eyes or of an only eye	Such percentage of \$13,690 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of sight measured without the aid of a correcting lens
Partial loss of the sight of one eye	Such percentage of \$5,480 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of sight measured without the aid of a correcting lens
Partial loss of the hearing of both ears or of an only ear	Such percentage of \$8,880 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of hearing measured without any hearing aid
Partial loss of the hearing of one ear	Such percentage of \$2,740 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of hearing measured without any hearing aid

For the purposes of this Table—

- (a) the total loss of a limb hand foot finger thumb toe or joint or any part thereof shall be deemed to include the permanent total loss of the use of such limb hand foot finger thumb toe joint or part; and
- (b) where a worker habitually uses his left hand and arm to perform work usually performed by a worker with his right hand and arm the compensation payable for the loss of such left arm or the greater part of the arm or for the total loss of the left hand or of five fingers thereof or of the lower part of that arm or of a finger or part of a finger of the left hand shall be such amount as would have been payable for a similar loss in respect of his right arm or the part or parts thereof, but in any such case the compensation for the loss of the right arm or the greater part of that arm or for the total loss of the right hand or of five fingers thereof or of the lower part of that arm or of a finger or part of a finger of the right hand shall be such amount as would have been payable for a similar loss in respect of his left arm or the part or parts thereof if he did not habitually use his left hand and arm to perform work usually performed by a worker with his right hand and arm.

Where a worker suffers on the same occasion more than one of the injuries mentioned in this Table he shall not in any case be entitled to receive as compensation under this section and this Table more than \$13,690.

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the Table be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following Table :—

THE TABLE REFERRED TO

Injury.	Amount of Compensation Payable.
	\$
Total loss of the sight of both eyes	24,232.00
Total loss of the sight of an only eye	24,232.00
Loss of both hands	24,232.00
Loss of both feet	24,232.00
Loss of a hand and a foot	24,232.00
Total and incurable loss of mental powers involving inability to work ..	24,232.00
Total and incurable paralysis of the limbs or of mental powers ..	24,232.00
Total loss of the arm at or above the elbow	21,809.00
Total loss of the arm below the elbow	19,386.00
Total loss of the hand or of five fingers of the hand	19,386.00
Total loss of a leg at or above the knee	21,809.00
Total loss of a foot	18,174.00
Total loss of the leg below the knee	19,386.00
Total loss of the sight of one eye, together with the serious diminution of the sight of the other eye	21,809.00
Total loss of hearing	18,174.00
Total loss of the hearing of one ear	8,481.00
Total loss of the sight of one eye	12,116.00
Loss of binocular vision	12,116.00
Total loss of the thumb of either hand	8,481.00
Total loss of the forefinger of either hand	6,058.00
Total loss of the middle finger of either hand	4,119.00
Total loss of the ring finger of either hand	3,635.00
Total loss of the little finger of either hand	3,392.00
Total loss of a joint of a thumb	4,119.00
Total loss of movement of a joint of a thumb	3,635.00
Total loss of two joints of a forefinger	3,150.00
Total loss of two joints of a middle or ring finger	2,908.00
Total loss of two joints of little finger	2,666.00
Total loss of a joint of a forefinger	2,666.00
Total loss of a joint of a middle or ring or little finger	2,181.00
Total loss of the great toe of either foot	6,058.00
Total loss of a joint of the great toe of either foot	2,666.00
Total loss of any other toe	2,423.00
Total loss of a joint of any other toe	1,939.00
Partial loss of the sight of both eyes or of an only eye	Such percentage of \$24,232 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of sight measured without the aid of a correcting lens
Partial loss of the sight of one eye	Such percentage of \$12,116 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of sight measured without the aid of a correcting lens
Partial loss of the hearing of both ears or of an only ear	Such percentage of \$18,174 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of hearing measured without any hearing aid
Partial loss of the hearing of one ear	Such percentage of \$8,481 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of hearing measured without any hearing aid

For the purposes of this Table the total loss of a limb hand foot finger thumb toe or joint or any part thereof shall be deemed to include the permanent total loss of the use of such limb hand foot finger thumb toe joint or part.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the Table proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 40.		Noes, 17.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Amos	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reese	Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Broad	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	(<i>Dundas</i>)	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Stokes	(<i>Portland</i>)	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lind	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Bornstein
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Balwyn</i>)		Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Whiting		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire		
(<i>Rodney</i>)			
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Billing		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Templeton		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 7.—New Clause A.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any rule of law or construction, the provisions of the Principal Act as amended by the foregoing provisions of this Act, so far as they relate to rates or amounts of compensation, shall apply with respect to every payment of compensation after the commencement of this Act irrespective of the date of occurrence or origin of the injury or disease giving rise to the right to compensation and notwithstanding that an award for a lesser rate or amount may have been made by the Board before the commencement of this Act, and every policy of accident insurance or indemnity in force under the Principal Act or any previous corresponding Act at the said commencement shall, notwithstanding anything to the contrary therein, be read and construed as fully insuring or indemnifying the employer against the increased liability accordingly.

—(*Mr. Simmonds.*)

Question—That new clause A be now read a second time—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 17.		Noes, 37.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Broad	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Lewis		Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes
(<i>Dundas</i>)		Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Fordham	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Lind	Mr. Mutton	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Taylor
			(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
		Mr. Guy	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
		(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. McLaren	
		Mr. Maclellan	
		Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Reese
		Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Trewin

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 8.—New Clause B.

Where a person who prior to the commencement of the *Workers Compensation (Amendment) Act 1965* (in this section called "The Amending Act")—

- (a) was a worker under the Principal Act ;
 (b) suffered a personal injury prior to the commencement of the Amending Act which if he had died prior to the commencement of the Amending Act would have been an injury for which compensation would have been payable in respect of that death under the Principal Act ; and
 (c) died after the commencement of the Amending Act and the death resulted from or was materially contributed to by the injury—

then, notwithstanding that the death occurred after the commencement of the Amending Act, compensation shall be payable in respect of that death as if the death had occurred prior to the commencement of the Amending Act.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That new clause B be now read a second time—put.
 Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 17.		Noes, 37.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
(Dundas)		Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Lewis		Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Portland)	<i>Tellers.</i>	(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Lind	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)
Mr. Mutton	Mr. Kirkwood	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Guy	(Gippsland South)
		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting
		(Rodney)	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Maclellan	
		Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Burgin
		Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Reese	

And so it was passed in the negative.

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No. 9.—CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 8.

In section 74 of the Principal Act for the words "five years" there shall be substituted words "seven years".

—(Mr. Reid.)

Question—That clause 8 stand part of the Bill—put.
 Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. McDONALD, Rodney.)

Ayes, 37.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding	
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Guy	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	(Dundas)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler	(Portland)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox		
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Rafferty	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Trethewey		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 10.—Clause 10.

For section 81 and section 82 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sections :—

“ 81. (1) In any proceedings for stealing a motor car proof that the person charged took or in any manner used the motor car without the consent of the owner or person in lawful possession thereof shall be conclusive evidence that the person charged intended to permanently deprive the owner of it.

(2) In any proceedings for attempting to steal a motor car proof that the person charged attempted to take or in any manner use the motor car without the consent of the owner or person in lawful possession thereof shall be conclusive evidence that the person charged intended to permanently deprive the owner of it.

81A. Any person having been convicted of stealing a motor car (whether before or after the commencement of the *Crimes (Amendment) Act 1972*) who within three years thereafter again steals a motor car shall upon conviction therefor be liable to be imprisoned for a term of not less than six months nor more than seven years.

82. (1) Any person who steals or attempts to steal a motor car with intent to use the motor car for or in connexion with the commission of a felony shall be guilty of felony and shall be liable to be imprisoned for a term of not less than six months nor more than seven years.

(2) Where on the trial of a person for a felony under sub-section (1) the jury are not satisfied that he is guilty of that felony but are satisfied that he is guilty of stealing or attempting to steal a motor car they may return as their verdict that he is not guilty of the felony charged but is guilty of stealing or attempting to steal a motor car.”

—(Mr. Reid.)

Question—That clause 10 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—Sir Edgar Tanner.)

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Broad	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(Rodney)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Evans
Mr. Reese	(Ballaarat North)
Mr. Reid	Mr. Stephen

Noes, 22.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Bornstein	(Portland)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lind
Mr. Doube	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	Tellers.
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Mutton
(Dundas)	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 11.—ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 4.

After section 10 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :—

“ 10A. A person shall not be disqualified from becoming or being a member of the Authority under paragraph (k) in section 10 by virtue only of being a shareholder in a company listed on a recognized stock exchange in Australia if he does not hold more than one per centum of the total number of shares issued by the company.”

—(Mr. Borthwick.)

Question—That clause 4 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. JONA.)

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Guy	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hamer	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. McLaren
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith
Mr. Reid	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 19.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Floyd	
Mr. Fordham	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Giniifer	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Kirkwood	(<i>Dundas</i>)
Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Lovegrove	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. Mutton	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 12.—MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL—Clause 2.

In sub-section (2) of section 4 of the Principal Act for the expression " fifty-two " there shall be substituted the expression " fifty-three ".

—(*Mr. Balfour.*)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—Mr. Evans, *Ballaarat North.*)

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Guy	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Billing
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith
Mr. Reese	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 23.

Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Bornstein	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Giniifer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilkes
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Portland</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lind	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Mutton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

1971.

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 MONASH UNIVERSITY

26TH OCTOBER, 1971.

*Held in accordance with the provisions of Section 7 of the Monash University Act 1958
(No. 6184).*

By Authority:

C. H. RIXON, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, MELBOURNE.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
JOINT SITTING
HELD IN THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1971.

The Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly having, pursuant to resolutions of the two Houses, assembled in the Legislative Assembly Chamber—

1. ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.—The Attorney-General, the Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., moved—
That the Honorable Raymond William Garrett, A.F.C., A.E.A., M.L.C., President of the Legislative Council, be appointed President of this Joint Sitting, which motion, being seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Raymond William Garrett, A.F.C., A.E.A., M.L.C., having expressed his acknowledgments for the honour conferred upon him by the Joint Sitting, then took the Chair.

2. RULES OF PROCEDURE.—The President announced that section 7 of the *Monash University Act 1958* provided that the Joint Sitting shall be conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by Members at the Sitting. Accordingly, the Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., 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 Monash University 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 Monash University.”

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 Members 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 Monash University.”

11. The records of the proceedings and the ballot-papers shall be retained by the Clerk of the Parliaments of the State of Victoria, who shall be the custodian thereof, and shall keep the ballot-papers safely for one year and thereafter destroy them.

Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., seconded the motion.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

3. MEMBERS PROPOSED AND CHOSEN TO BE RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY.—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 Monash University.

The Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., proposed the Honorable Graham John Nicol, M.L.C., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Nicol was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by the Honorable Sir Henry Edward Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P.

Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., proposed Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Fordham was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by the Honorable Valentine Joseph Doube, M.P.

Peter Ross-Edwards, Esquire, M.P., proposed the Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. McDonald was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by Milton Stanley Whiting, Esquire, M.P.

The President, having asked if there were any further proposals and there being no further proposals, thereupon declared that the Honorable Graham John Nicol, M.L.C., Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., and the Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., had been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University.

4. NOTIFICATION TO THE HONORABLE THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.—The Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., moved—That the President inform the Honorable the Minister of Education that the Honorable Graham John Nicol, M.L.C., Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., and the Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University which motion, being seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.

5. VOTE OF THANKS TO THE PRESIDENT.—The Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., moved a vote of thanks to the President, which motion was seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., and carried unanimously.

The President, having returned thanks, declared the Joint Sitting closed.

J. H. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

