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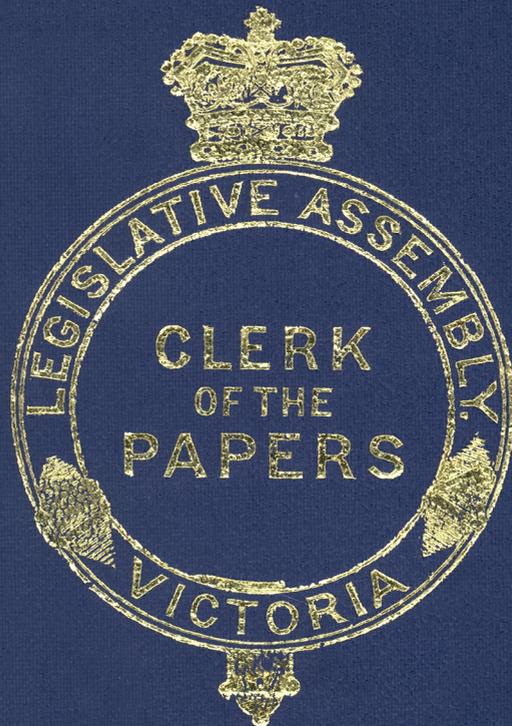
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SESSION

1960-61



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 1.

THURSDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1960.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

Government Business.

1. MR. BOLTE : To move, That Standing Order No. 273A be suspended so as to allow the Committees of Supply and Ways and Means to be appointed before the Address in Reply to His Excellency the Governor's Speech has been agreed to by this House.
2. MR. BOLTE : To move, That this House will, this day, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.
3. MR. BOLTE : To move, 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.
4. SIR THOMAS MALTBY : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to validate an Agreement between the Geelong Harbor Trust Commissioners and Sou-West Frozen Food Packers Proprietary Limited*".
5. MR. REID (*Box Hill*) : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill relating to the Crime of Kidnapping, and for purposes connected therewith*".
6. MR. TURNBULL (*Kara Kara*) : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide for the Revocation of the Permanent Reservations and a Crown Grant of certain Lands, and for other purposes*".
7. MR. TURNBULL (*Kara Kara*) : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide, upon the Surrender to Her Majesty of certain Land in the Parish of Conewarre for the Reservation thereof as a Site for Public Purposes and Recreation, and for the Revocation of the Reservation of certain other Land in the said Parish reserved as a Site for Public Purposes and the Grant thereof to Trustees for the Members of the Barwon Heads Golf Club*".
8. MR. FRASER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize the Construction of a Deviation on the Gippsland Railway*".
9. MR. FRASER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize the Construction of a Line of Railway to connect the Hamilton and Coleraine Railway with Stockyards at Hamilton and for other purposes*".

General Business.

1. MR. STONEHAM : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide for the Registration of Stock Exchanges and Stock Brokers and for other purposes*".
2. MR. STONEHAM : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide for Decentralization of Industry in Victoria, for the Appointment of a Director of Decentralization, for the Creation of a Decentralization Advisory Council, for the Establishment of a Special Fund to subsidize, Decentralized Industries, and for other purposes*".
3. MR. LOVEGROVE : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Labour and Industry Act 1958' to provide for Restoration of Cost of Living Adjustments by Wages Boards*".
4. MR. LOVEGROVE : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Labour and Industry Act 1958' to increase Annual Holidays and for other purposes*".
5. MR. LOVEGROVE : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Labour and Industry Act 1958' to increase the Scope of Long Service Leave and for other purposes*".

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. SUPREME COURT (ORDERS) BILL—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER.

Questions.

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 8. How many newly-completed units sold in 1959–60 were sold on deposits of—(a) £100 to £199 ; (b) £200 to £299 ; (c) £300 to £499 ; (d) £500 to £699 ; and (e) £700 and over.
 9. What amount of surplus or deficit was realized by the Housing Commission through its General Revenue Account in the twelve months ended 30th June, 1960.

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 1. Why output at the Concrete House Project, Holmesglen, has been reduced and staff dismissed.
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 8. How many eviction orders were granted in the metropolitan area during the eight months ended 31st August, 1960.

4. MR. LOVEGROVE : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 1. What monies were spent by the Country Roads Board in the year 1959–60 on roads in—(a) the towns and shires of Ararat, Apollo Bay, Bairnsdale, Ballarat, Bendigo, Castlemaine, Colac, Daylesford, Geelong, Moe, Morwell, Maryborough, Mildura, Sale, Swan Hill, Wangaratta, Horsham, Hamilton, Warracknabeal, and Yallourn ; (b) the metropolitan area ; and (c) the rest of Victoria.

2. How much money for roads was received by the Country Roads Board in the year 1959-60.
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 5. When it is estimated that roadmaking in the metropolitan area will be completed.
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6. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. What are the names and addresses of the tenderers for works in connexion with internal and external renovations to the Thornbury State School, No. 3889, and the caretaker's residence.
 2. Who was the successful tenderer.
 3. What was the amount of the accepted tender and whether it was the lowest tender; if not, what was the amount of the lowest tender.
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 5. Whether it is the policy of the Public Works Department to accept the lowest tender in this type of work without reservation other than what is normally contained in the conditions of such contracts.
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*11. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education for the Honorable the Minister of Health—

1. Whether kangaroo meat offered for sale for human consumption is inspected by Government officials or any other qualified persons.
2. What average quantity of kangaroo meat derived from inter-state sources is sold in Victoria each week.
3. Whether the Government will give consideration to the imposition of restrictions on the sale of kangaroo meat.

*12. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government, for the Honorable the Chief Secretary—

1. How many claims for workers compensation are awaiting determination by the Workers Compensation Board.
2. What is the average period between the date when a claim is lodged with the Board and its determination.

*13. MR. CLAREY: To ask the Honorable the Premier—

1. Whether his attention has been drawn to a statement made by the Right Honorable the Prime Minister in the House of Representatives on the 7th September instant relating to tax reimbursement grants that "Every State Premier accepted the new arrangement. The Premiers did not accept it, as might be suggested, unwillingly—but each of them accepted it, with great expressions of satisfaction".
2. Whether the foregoing statement is correct; if so, whether it means that he (the Premier) is satisfied with the amount of income tax reimbursement which Victoria will receive during 1960-61.

*14. MR. CLAREY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

1. Whether his attention has been drawn to a statement made in the House of Representatives on the 6th September instant by the Honorable Sir Garfield Barwick, on behalf of the Minister of State for National Development, that "the total Loan Council allocations (to the States under the Commonwealth and State Housing Agreement) for the financial year 1960-61 are the amounts finally requested by the States concerned".
2. Whether this statement is correct so far as Victoria is concerned; if so, whether he (the Minister) is satisfied that Victoria's allocation of £10,300,000 is adequate for this State's requirements.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
- *2. WAYS AND MEANS—To be considered in Committee.
3. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
4. SUPREME COURT (ORDERS) BILL—Second reading.
- *5. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (FREEZING WORKS AGREEMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *6. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—Second reading.
- *7. REVOCATION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—Second reading.
- *8. BARWON HEADS LANDS EXCHANGE BILL—Second reading.
- *9. GIPPSLAND RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL—Second reading.
- *10. HAMILTON STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—Second reading.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
- *2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
- *3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
- *4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
- *5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

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STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES.

DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT)—Mr. Galvin, Mr. Kane, Mr. Moss, Mr. Scott, and Mr. Stoneham.

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No. 3.

WEDNESDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
1. What amounts of loan money each metropolitan municipality sought permission to raise in the years 1957-58 and 1958-59, respectively.
 2. What amounts the Treasury permitted each municipality to attempt to raise in each of those years.
 3. What amounts each municipality was successful in raising in the years 1957-58 and 1958-59.
 4. In view of the statement in his (the Treasurer's) Budget Speech regarding the extension of the municipalities' borrowing limits, what are the sources from which it is anticipated that the additional loan funds will be raised.
- *2. MR. STIRLING: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
1. Whether any investigations have taken place in an endeavour to overcome damage to adjacent land caused by seepage arising from the use of the Pyramid Creek as a water channel; if so, with what result.
 2. Whether any plan has been formulated to overcome the loss of approximately 200,000 acre feet of water per annum by evaporation and seepage in the Turrumberry irrigation system; if so, what is the plan and when it is expected to be put into effect.
- *3. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey whether the agreement between the Victoria Racing Club and the Government on the leasing of the Flemington Race-course permits the use of the land for motor racing purposes.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer if he will ascertain and inform the House how much money was made available in each of the last three financial years for home building in Victoria by—(a) the State Savings Bank of Victoria; (b) the Commonwealth Savings Bank; (c) private savings banks; (d) the trading banks; and (e) insurance companies.
- *5. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer, whether the Government will give consideration to the transfer of the capital debt of the railways to the general revenue account of the State.
- *6. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
1. On how many occasions during the last financial year—(a) motor vehicles collided with the sides of trains at level crossings; (b) motor vehicles collided with closed railway gates or guide rails leading to gates; and (c) motor vehicles were hit by trains at level crossings.
 2. At how many of the level crossings concerned flashing light signals were installed.
- *7. MR. FENNESSY: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey—
1. What areas of land held by the Crown within a radius of twenty-five miles of Melbourne could be used for subdivision into building blocks.
 2. Where the land is located and what is the size of each area.

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*8. MR. CRICK : To ask the Honorable the Premier—

1. What action, if any, he has taken or proposes taking to protect the interests of home purchasers and master builders who have entered into commitments regarding home building, and who are affected by the operation of the new policy of the State Savings Bank to make housing loans available only to depositors with that Bank who have an account in operation for twelve months prior to 27th August, 1960.
2. Whether he will make representations to the Commissioners of the State Savings Bank that the operation of their new policy with respect to housing loans be postponed until 1st January, 1961, so as to enable completion, as far as possible, of present commitments between home purchasers whose applications for finance had been tentatively approved and master builders.

*9. MR. MUTTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—

1. What concession fares are granted to University students by the Victorian Railways Commissioners.
2. Whether concession fares are granted to University students by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board ; if not, for what reasons.
3. What would be the estimated cost per annum of granting concession fares to University students between the ages of 19 and 25 years who are not in receipt of any income other than that derived from Commonwealth scholarships.

*10. MR. DOUBE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—

1. What are the names of the members of the Planning Committee of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.
2. When they were appointed.
3. How many applications for re-zoning have been dealt with by the Board.
4. How many of these applications have been approved and how many rejected.

*11. MR. DOUBE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—

1. How many resignations from the Victorian Railway Department have taken place since 1955.
2. What branches of the Railway Department have been affected by these resignations and how many officers and/or employees have resigned from each of these branches since 1955.
3. What is the estimated cost of training replacements for the vacant positions caused by these resignations.

*12. MR. DOUBE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—

1. What suburban railway stations are unmanned during certain periods.
2. At what times these stations are unmanned.

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TUESDAY, 27TH SEPTEMBER.

Questions.

- *1. MR. MITCHELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply what amount has been spent on boring for water in—(a) the Wangaratta district generally; and (b) the vicinity of the city of Wangaratta, and with what result.
- *2. MR. MITCHELL: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works how much has been spent by the Country Roads Board in repairing damage caused by floods to roads in—(a) the Wangaratta district generally; and (b) the shire of Oxley.

TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

H. K. McLACHLAN,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD,
Speaker.

MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Tuesday, 27th September.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE—At a quarter past Two o'clock.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES—Mr. Christie.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN—Mr. Barclay, Mr. Brose, Mr. Clarey, Mr. Cochrane, Mr. Dunstan, Mr. Kane, Mr. Rafferty, Mr. Scott, Mr. Snider, Mr. Towers, and Mr. Turnbull (*Brunswick West*).

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES.

DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT)—Mr. Brose, Mr. Galvin, Mr. Kane, Mr. Moss, Mr. Scott, and Mr. Stoneham.

HOUSE (JOINT)—Mr. Speaker (*ex officio*), Mr. Cook, Mr. Floyd, Sir Herbert Hyland, Mr. Tanner, and Mr. Turnbull (*Brunswick West*).

LIBRARY (JOINT)—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Holden, Mr. Loxton, and Mr. Sutton.

PRINTING—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd, Mr. Gainey, Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Wilkes, and Mr. Wiltshire.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS—Mr. Clarey, Mr. Gibbs, Sir Albert Lind, Mr. Moss, Mr. Snider, Mr. Taylor, and Mr. Turnbull (*Brunswick West*).

STANDING ORDERS.—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Gainey, Mr. Garrison, Mr. Kane, Sir Albert Lind, Mr. Moss, and Mr. Sutton.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT)—Mr. Cochrane, Mr. Cook, Mr. Holland, Mr. Manson, Mr. Sutton, and Mr. Wilcox.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT)—Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd, and Mr. Rafferty.

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MR. SPEAKER TAKES THE CHAIR AT FOUR O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 27TH SEPTEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

1. MR. MITCHELL: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply what amount has been spent on boring for water in—(a) the Wangaratta district generally; and (b) the vicinity of the city of Wangaratta, and with what result.
2. MR. MITCHELL: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works how much has been spent by the Country Roads Board in repairing damage caused by floods to roads in—(a) the Wangaratta district generally; and (b) the shire of Oxley.
3. MR. DOUBE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 1. What are the names of the members of the Planning Committee of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.
 2. When they were appointed.
 3. How many applications for re-zoning have been dealt with by the Board.
 4. How many of these applications have been approved and how many rejected.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
 1. What was the cost of the work carried out in connexion with the “creeping lake” at Corangamite.
 2. Whether the work was effective; if not, why.
 3. Whether the position now is practically the same as before the work was commenced; if so, what further action is proposed in order to assist the landowners concerned.
- *5. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government, for the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
 1. How many restaurant licences have been granted by the Licensing Court in—(a) the metropolitan area; and (b) country areas, and how many applications for such licences are pending.
 2. How many supper licences have been granted by the Licensing Court under the *Licensing (Amendment) Act 1960* and how many were in operation prior to the passing of that Act.
 3. How many applications for such licences are pending.
 4. How many clubs have been granted licences to sell liquor on Sundays and how many of such licences were in operation prior to the passing of the *Licensing (Amendment) Act 1960*.
 5. How many applications for such licences are pending.
- *6. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
 1. What high schools built in the last five years have assembly halls.
 2. What high schools have had assembly halls added to the existing buildings during the last five years.
 3. In how many cases the construction of these assembly halls has been subsidised by local residents.

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- *7. **SIR HERBERT HYLAND** : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education whether the Government has decided if the third Victorian university will be established in the country or in the metropolitan area.
- *8. **MR. MOSS** : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
1. What amount has been allocated this financial year for drainage in the Murray Valley irrigation district.
 2. What is the total estimated cost of the drainage works in the Murray Valley.
 3. When it is anticipated that the scheme will be completed.
- *9. **MR. CRICK** : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. What amount of road tax was collected in Victoria during the financial year 1959–60.
 2. What allocation of the total amount collected was made available for road works in—(a) the metropolitan area ; and (b) country areas.
 3. What proportion of the total Country Roads Board funds was made available for metropolitan road works during the financial year 1959–60.
- *10. **MR. COCHRANE** : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture, where and when the proposed new veterinary college will be established.
- *11. **MR. COOK** : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, what was the profit or loss on the buffet car refreshment service on the 4.15 p.m. Albury express each month during the financial year 1959–60.
- *12. **MR. MUTTON** : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture, what weight of tobacco leaf was produced in Victoria during each of the years 1957–58 to 1959–60.
- *13. **MR. HOLLAND** : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. What was the recorded number of—(a) pan services ; and (b) septic tank installations, in each individual municipality in the Metropolitan Health District for each of the years 1958 and 1959.
 2. What was the recorded number of each of the following infectious diseases—(a) infantile diarrhoea ; (b) poliomyelitis ; (c) infectious hepatitis ; (d) dysentery ; and (e) typhoid fever, in each individual municipality in the Metropolitan Health District for each of the years 1958 and 1959.
- *14. **MR. TURNBULL (Brunswick West)** : To ask the Honorable the Premier whether, in order to terminate the restrictive practice relating to the sale of wool by auction and commonly known as “pies”, the Government will consider proclaiming, in accordance with section 3 (3) of the *Auction Sales Act* 1958, those provisions of the Act which were enacted in 1936 and which would, if proclaimed, bring “wool” within the definition of “farm produce”.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
2. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
3. SUPREME COURT (ORDERS) BILL—Second reading.
4. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (FREEZING WORKS AGREEMENT) BILL—Second reading.
5. HAMILTON STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. REVOCATION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. BARWON HEADS LANDS EXCHANGE BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

WEDNESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. GIPPSLAND RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Tuesday, 27th September.

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STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES.

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STANDING ORDERS.—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Gainey, Mr. Garrison, Mr. Kane, Sir Albert Lind, Mr. Moss, and Mr. Sutton.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT)—Mr. Cochrane, Mr. Cook, Mr. Holland, Mr. Manson, Mr. Sutton, and Mr. Wilcox.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT)—Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd, and Mr. Rafferty.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. DUNSTAN: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether his attention has been drawn to statements in the Press attributed to Mr. C. E. Clements, President of the Royal Automobile Club of Victoria and a member of the Tourist Development Authority, that he (Mr. Clements) will ask the State Government to approach the Commonwealth Government to see whether they will allow 20 acres of land at Point Nepean to be opened for day tourists; if so, whether the Premier will approach the Commonwealth Government and negotiate for the area in question to be opened to the public.
- *2. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government, for the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. What action has been taken by the Government regarding the escape of a prisoner from Pentridge Gaol last Thursday morning.
 2. Whether it is the intention of the Government to remove Pentridge Gaol to a more suitable site; if so, when.
- *3. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. How many State schools in Victoria have septic tanks and how many are still using the unhygienic pan system.
 2. What action, if any, is contemplated to provide all State schools with septic tanks.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Electrical Undertakings—
1. What was the profit and the net surplus, respectively, of each of the ten metropolitan municipal electricity supply undertakings in each of the last three financial years.
 2. Whether the State Electricity Commission has stressed that a pre-requisite to the introduction of uniform tariffs throughout the State is the transfer to the Commission of the metropolitan municipal electricity supply undertakings.
 3. Whether it is proposed to transfer these undertakings to the Commission; if so, when.
- *5. MR. HOLLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government what number of houses in the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works area during each of the years 1958 and 1959 was not connected to the reticulated water supply.
- *6. MR. FENNESSY: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply whether the recent decision of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission to increase the water supply to Sunbury at a cost of £113,000 will embrace a reticulated water service to the areas of land now being developed adjacent to the township of Sunbury by Paynes Properties Pty. Ltd.
- *7. MR. FENNESSY: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
1. Whether he is aware that money is being advanced by both the Italian and Dutch Governments for the establishment of co-operative housing societies for nationals of their own countries now resident in Victoria; if so, whether he will ascertain and inform the House—(a) what amount of interest is being charged by the Italian and Dutch Governments; and (b) what amounts of money have been loaned in Victoria by the Commonwealth Bank to any such societies.
 2. Whether these societies are registered under the Co-operative Housing Societies Act; if so, how many societies have been formed and where they are located.

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- *8. MR. BROSE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government, for the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. What amount of money was made available by the Government to the Free Library Service Board during each of the last three financial years.
 2. What are the names of the sixteen regional libraries mentioned in the Honorable the Treasurer's Budget speech.
 3. What amount of Government grant was made available to each of these libraries in the last three financial years.

NOTICES OF MOTION:—

Government Business.

- *1. MR. PORTER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Local Government Act 1958' with respect to Certain Offences and Disqualifications of Councillors and Municipal Officers, and for other purposes".
- *2. MR. PORTER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to alter the Titles of the Public Library and the Museum of Applied Science and to consolidate and amend the Law relating thereto and to the National Gallery, and the National Museum of Victoria, and for other purposes".
- *3. MR. PORTER: To move, he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Game Act 1958' in relation to Game Licences".

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

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6. HAMILTON STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

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2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (FREEZING WORKS AGREEMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

WEDNESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. GIPPSLAND RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No 6.

TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 1960.

Questions.

1. MR. BROSE: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
 1. What amount of money was made available by the Government to the Free Library Service Board during each of the last three financial years.
 2. What are the names of the sixteen regional libraries mentioned in the Honorable the Treasurer's Budget speech.
 3. What amount of Government grant was made available to each of these libraries in the last three financial years.
- *2. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
 1. When it is anticipated that "off-the-course" betting will be in operation in this State.
 2. Whether, in view of the financial losses being sustained by the racing industry, the Government will consider—(a) the restoration of metropolitan mid-week racing; and (b) giving that industry a greater share of the money derived from racing; if not, why.
- *3. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education whether, having regard to the large number of children of school age who attend the Royal Agricultural Show daily, he will take action to ensure that in future second-term school holidays will coincide with Show Week.
- *4. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
 1. Whether the Commonwealth Government pays to the State of Victoria any fees in respect of the registration of its motor vehicles operating in Victoria, if not, why, and what is the estimated annual loss of revenue to this State.
 2. Whether the drivers of Commonwealth vehicles are required to hold driving licences issued under the provisions of the *Motor Car Act 1958*.
 3. Whether he will ascertain and inform the House what insurance policies are required to be taken out by the Commonwealth in respect of its employees whilst driving motor vehicles in the course of their duties.
- *5. MR. CLAREY: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer what annual contribution at present is being made by this State, for interest and sinking fund charges, in respect of the total revenue fund deficits of each of the years 1955-56 to 1958-59 inclusive.
- *6. MR. CLAREY: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
 1. What total amount was paid to the Commonwealth by the Government of Victoria in respect of pay-roll tax for the year ended 30th June, 1960.
 2. Whether similar information is available concerning like payments by semi-governmental and statutory authorities; if so, what was the total amount paid.
- *7. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government whether the Government has advertised within the Public Service for applications for appointment to the position of Valuer-General; if so—(a) how many applications were received; (b) when the appointment is likely to be made; (c) when the Valuer-General will take up his duties as laid down in the Act; and (d) what salary is to be paid to the successful applicant.

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
2. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
3. SUPREME COURT (ORDERS) BILL—Second reading.
4. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (EXPENSES) BILL—Second reading.
- *5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISQUALIFICATION) BILL—Second reading.
- *6. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE BILL—
Second reading.
- *7. GAME (LICENCES) BILL—Second reading.
- *8. MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE CONTINUANCE) BILL—Second reading.
9. BARWON HEADS LANDS EXCHANGE BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. HAMILTON STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
11. REVOCATION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
12. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
13. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (FREEZING WORKS AGREEMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
14. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
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3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

 WEDNESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER.
Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. GIPPSLAND RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

H. K. McLACHLAN,
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 MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.
Tuesday, 4th October.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE—At a quarter past Two o'clock.

MR. SPEAKER TAKES THE CHAIR AT FOUR O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 7.

WEDNESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. How many motor driving licences were issued improperly during the six months ended 31st August, 1960.
 2. What action has been taken to prevent the improper issue of drivers' licences.
 3. Whether any improvement in testing for licences has been instituted.
 4. How many traffic "blitzes" were conducted in each of the months of May, June, July, and August, 1960.
 5. How many road accidents and how many road deaths occurred during those months in—(a) the metropolitan area; and (b) the remainder of Victoria.
 6. How many of those accidents and deaths involved motor car drivers, motor cyclists, and pedestrians, respectively.
 7. How many persons were convicted of traffic offences, excluding parking offences, in those months.
 8. How many persons were convicted during each of the months of May, June, July, and August, 1960, for—(a) exceeding 30 miles per hour speed limits; (b) exceeding 40 miles per hour speed limits; (c) exceeding 50 miles per hour speed limits; (d) failure to keep to the left of the road; (e) using unroadworthy vehicles; (f) being unlicensed drivers; (g) driving unregistered vehicles; (h) lighting offences; (i) dangerous driving; (j) driving under the influence of alcohol; and (k) driving under the influence of drugs.
 9. Whether a report has been made by the Police Accident Appreciation Squad; if so, what is the nature of the report.
- *2. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education whether the transfer of land from the Department of the Army to the Education Department for the purpose of erecting the Williamstown Girls' School has been completed, if so, when it is anticipated that tenders will be invited for the new school; if not, when the transfer is likely to be finalized.
- *3. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing whether the Housing Commission is considering a new type of house of cheaper construction; if so—(a) whether the design is secret or whether he will make it available for inspection by Honorable Members; (b) whether this new type of house will be constructed at Holmesglen; and (c) whether re-employment of the recently-dismissed tradesmen at Holmesglen will result.
- *4. MR. DOUBE: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. How many cases of illegal use of motor vehicles were reported during each of the years 1959 and 1960.
 2. How many motor vehicles were involved in those cases and how many of the vehicles were recovered.
 3. How many prosecutions were launched during the years 1959 and 1960 in connexion with those cases and how many convictions resulted.
 4. How many persons convicted were first offenders and how many had prior convictions.
 5. What sentences were imposed by the courts.
 6. What is the present maximum penalty for—(a) a first offence; (b) a second offence; and (c) subsequent offences.

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- *5. MR. STIRLING : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply whether he will supply the reasons for the delay in dredging the drain in the Gannawarra district despite the offers of assistance given to clear trees and other obstacles, and when it is anticipated that further progress in this work can be expected.
- *6. MR. STIRLING : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. What are the dimensions of the flag pole used at the Melbourne Olympic Games.
 2. What length is proposed to be removed and what other alterations are necessary for the pole to be erected on Parliament House.
 3. What is the estimated cost of cutting, trimming, and erecting a portion of the pole on Parliament House.
 4. What is the estimated cost of erecting, on Parliament House, a suitable stainless-steel pole which would need no maintenance.
 5. What is the suggested use (if any) of the balance of the Olympic flag pole which would be removed from the portion to be placed on Parliament House.
- *7. MR. STIRLING : To ask the Honorable the Premier whether, as the Olympic Games are in no way connected with politics, the Government considers that Parliament House is an appropriate place on which to erect portion of the flag pole used at the Melbourne Olympic Games.
- *8. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*) : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. Whether the Commission of Public Health has requested the Brunswick City Council to exercise any powers and duties of the Commission under the *Clean Air Act* 1958 ; if so, which powers and duties.
 2. Whether any inspector within the meaning of the *Health Act* 1958 has made any enquiries into alleged breaches of the said Act in respect of any premises in the electorate of West Brunswick ; if so, what was the nature of the enquiries.
 3. Whether the Commission has received from the West Brunswick Progress Association any complaints in respect of alleged breaches of the said Act ; if so, what were the complaints.
- *9. MR. STONEHAM : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. Whether the provision of a 24-hour poison information service at the Royal Children's Hospital has been recommended to the Minister of Health ; if so, when.
 2. Whether it is the Government's intention to provide such a service in order to indicate the correct antidote in cases of emergency and for the treatment of poisoning generally ; if so, to whom the service will be available.
 3. How many cases of poisoning have been admitted to the Royal Children's Hospital during each of the past two years.
- *10. MR. DOUBE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. How many Government scholarships were available in Victoria in each of the years 1952 to 1959.
 2. How many Government scholarships will be available this year.
- *11. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. How many boys with fixed committals are at present housed at "Turana".
 2. What is the usual length of stay at "Turana" for boys on fixed committals.
 3. Whether the position of Director of the Family Welfare Division of the Social Welfare Branch has been advertised ; if so, what qualifications are required of applicants.
 4. When it is anticipated that the Directors of the Family Welfare Division and the Youth Welfare Division of the Social Welfare Branch will be appointed.
- *12. MR. MUTTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Mines—
1. What progress has been made in the search for oil at Lakes Entrance and Port Campbell.
 2. What has been the cost to the State to date of the exploratory work at each of these locations.
 3. What is the present depth of each bore.
 4. What are the indications regarding the prospects of obtaining oil.
- *13. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Electrical Undertakings whether, in view of the reply to his (Sir Herbert Hyland's) question asked in this House on 28th September last, that the State Electricity Commission had recommended, as a pre-requisite to the introduction of uniform tariffs throughout the State, the transfer to the Commission of the metropolitan municipal electricity supply undertakings, the Government intends introducing legislation to effect the said transfer.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION.—

- *1. MR. RYLAH: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the ' Fisheries Act 1958 ' with respect to the Taking, Possession and Sale of Crayfish".
- *2. MR. RYLAH: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Twenty-two of the ' Racing Act 1958 '".
- *3. MR. TURNBULL (*Kara Kara*): To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the ' Western Metropolhtan Market Act 1938 '".
- *4. MR. REID (*Box Hill*): To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Sections Eighty-seven, Eighty-eight and Ninety-eight of the ' State Electricity Commission Act 1958 '".

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- 1. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
- 2. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
- 3. SUPREME COURT (ORDERS) BILL—Second reading.
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- 6. MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE CONTINUANCE) BILL—Second reading.
- 7. GIPPSLAND RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- 8. BARWON HEADS LANDS EXCHANGE BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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- 10. REVOCATION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- 11. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- 12. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (FREEZING WORKS AGREEMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *13. DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
- 14. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- 1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
- 2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
- 3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
- 4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
- 5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 11TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

- 1. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (EXPENSES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

TUESDAY, 25TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

- 1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISQUALIFICATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES.

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SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT)—Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd, and Mr. Rafferty.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 8.

TUESDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, 1960.

Questions.

1. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
 1. How many motor driving licences were issued improperly during the six months ended 31st August, 1960.
 2. What action has been taken to prevent the improper issue of drivers' licences.
 3. Whether any improvement in testing for licences has been instituted.
 4. How many traffic "blitzes" were conducted in each of the months of May, June, July, and August, 1960.
 5. How many road accidents and how many road deaths occurred during those months in—(a) the metropolitan area; and (b) the remainder of Victoria.
 6. How many of those accidents and deaths involved motor car drivers, motor cyclists, and pedestrians, respectively.
 7. How many persons were convicted of traffic offences, excluding parking offences, in those months.
 8. How many persons were convicted during each of the months of May, June, July, and August, 1960, for—(a) exceeding 30 miles per hour speed limits; (b) exceeding 40 miles per hour speed limits; (c) exceeding 50 miles per hour speed limits; (d) failure to keep to the left of the road; (e) using unroadworthy vehicles; (f) being unlicensed drivers; (g) driving unregistered vehicles; (h) lighting offences; (i) dangerous driving; (j) driving under the influence of alcohol; and (k) driving under the influence of drugs.
 9. Whether a report has been made by the Police Accident Appreciation Squad; if so, what is the nature of the report.
- *2. MR. DOUBE: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
 1. How many cases of illegal use of motor vehicles were reported during each of the years 1959 and 1960.
 2. How many motor vehicles were involved in those cases and how many of the vehicles were recovered.
 3. How many prosecutions were launched during the years 1959 and 1960 in connexion with those cases and how many convictions resulted.
 4. How many persons convicted were first offenders and how many had prior convictions.
 5. What sentences were imposed by the courts.
 6. What is the present maximum penalty for—(a) a first offence; (b) a second offence; and (c) subsequent offences.
- *3. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
 1. Whether any plans have been prepared for the construction of an electric tramway from Baker's-road, North Coburg, to beyond the Fawkner cemetery as recommended by the Public Works Committee in its report dated 28th February, 1945.
 2. What proposals, if any, the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board has for the future transport development of this area.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, whether, in view of the restrictions on overtime worked in the Railways Department, he (the Minister of Transport) considers it will be possible to move the next wheat harvest without any undue delay.

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- *5. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Premier when it is anticipated that the Government will finalize the matter of the proposed logging in the watershed areas of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.
- *6. MR. DOUBE: To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General—
1. How many convictions on charges of murder have been obtained in Victoria in the years 1955 to 1960 inclusive.
 2. In how many instances during that period the death sentence has been carried out.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
2. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
3. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE BILL—Second reading.
4. GAME (LICENCES) BILL—Second reading.
5. MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE CONTINUANCE) BILL—Second reading.
- *6. FISHERIES (CRAYFISH) BILL—Second reading.
- *7. RACING (TROTTING RACES) BILL—Second reading.
- *8. WESTERN METROPOLITAN MARKET (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *9. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading.
- *10. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (DENTAL CLINICS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
- *11. CANCER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
12. DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
13. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (EXPENSES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
14. GIPPSLAND RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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16. HAMILTON STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
17. REVOCATION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
18. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
19. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (FREEZING WORKS AGREEMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
20. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. SUPREME COURT (ORDERS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

TUESDAY, 25TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISQUALIFICATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

H. K. McLACHLAN,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD,
Speaker.

MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Tuesday, 11th October.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE—At half-past Two o'clock.

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SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT)—Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd, and Mr. Rafferty.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 9.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
1. How many carriages formerly designated as "second class" are still in use on the suburban electrified railway system without having been altered to provide more comfortable seating.
 2. Whether, in view of the introduction of one-class fares, a program of reconstruction of those carriages is in course so that similar seating comfort will be provided in all carriages; if so, when it is anticipated that the scheme will be completed.
- *2. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. Whether the advice and assistance of the Commission of Public Health and/or its Pharmaceutical Advisory Committee is sought by the medical profession in poisoning cases; if so—(a) whether these bodies are able to give specific advice as to necessary antidotes; and (b) to what extent this help has been sought and the advice given been effective.
 2. Whether any action has been taken to ensure that samples of preparations containing poisonous ingredients and a statement of the nature and quantity of such ingredients are supplied to the Commission of Public Health; if not, whether he (the Minister of Health) will take the necessary steps to make this procedure compulsory.
- *3. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
1. What is the estimated cost of setting up the proposed new veterinary school.
 2. How much money has been subscribed to the appeal fund.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. How many children attended State primary schools during the last school term.
 2. How many teachers were employed in State primary schools during the last school term.
 3. What total amount was paid in salaries to primary school teachers during the year 1959.
 4. What was the cost per child for primary school education in 1959.
 5. How many students attended high schools and technical schools, respectively, during the year 1959.
 6. How many teachers were employed in high schools and technical schools, respectively, during the year 1959.
 7. What total expenditure was incurred during the year 1959, in respect of—(a) primary schools; (b) high schools; and (c) technical schools.
- *5. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Mines—
1. What is the estimated area of the artesian hot-water basin in the Latrobe Valley.
 2. At what depth this water is found.
 3. Whether the water has been analysed; if so—(a) what was the result of the analysis; and (b) whether the water has any medicinal value.
- *6. MR. HOLLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health, in addition to those admitted to the Royal Children's Hospital as cases of poisoning by various liquids or substances, how many less serious similar cases were dealt with during each of the last two years at—(a) that hospital; and (b) other metropolitan hospitals.

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Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. RYLAH : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to the Manufacture Transportation Storage Sale Importation and Use of Explosives and the Investigation of Explosions*”.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
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- *8. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
9. SUPREME COURT (ORDERS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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17. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

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5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 18TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (DENTAL CLINICS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

WEDNESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. FISHERIES (CRAYFISH) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. RACING (TROTTING RACES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

TUESDAY, 25TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISQUALIFICATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. GAME (LICENCES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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*Education—Report of the Minister, 1958–59 (No. 1).

*Public Accounts Committee—Report on Advances from the Decentralization Fund to the Horsham Kyosan Engineering Coy. Ltd. and on Tenders for the Signalling Contract for the Dynon-Wodonga section of the Uniform Gauge Railway (D. 1).

*State Superannuation Board—Report, 1958–59 (No. 2).

El presente informe tiene como finalidad informar a la Junta de Verificación del SECCOR (C) sobre el cumplimiento de las obligaciones de los contribuyentes del sector educativo en el periodo comprendido entre el 1 de enero y el 31 de diciembre de 1998.

De acuerdo con el artículo 10 del Reglamento de la Ley de Verificación del SECCOR (C), el presente informe debe contener los datos que permitan determinar el cumplimiento de las obligaciones de los contribuyentes del sector educativo en el periodo mencionado.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 10.

TUESDAY, 18TH OCTOBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. MOSS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, what total amount was paid to railway officers and employees for overtime work performed during the wheat harvesting period last year.
- *2. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. On how many occasions since the passing of the *Motor Car (Driving) Act* 1960 members of the police force have taken the car keys from motorists they believed unfit to drive a car.
 2. Whether, previous to the passing of this legislation, the police in certain cases had taken the car keys from motorists they believed were unfit to drive a car.
- *3. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works at what centres the sum of £150,000 available to Victoria for the year 1959–60 under the Federal Aid Roads Agreement was spent, giving the amount in each case and the class of work carried out.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Treasurer whether an application has been made on behalf of the Victoria Police Pipe Band for an annual grant towards the cost of operating the band ; if so, whether the Government will give favourable consideration to the application, particularly in view of the wonderful amount of charitable work done by the band.
- *5. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether, as a result of his recent visit overseas, he can give the House any information regarding the use in other countries of safety belts on motor cars.
- *6. MR. MOSS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Soldier Settlement how many settlers who obtained blocks of land from the Soldier Settlement Commission in the last five years had, at the time they obtained those blocks, assets or cash to the value of—(a) £6,000 to £8,000 ; (b) £8,001 to £10,000 ; (c) £10,001 to £12,000 ; (d) £12,001 to £14,000 ; (e) £14,001 to £16,000 ; (f) £16,001 to £18,000 ; (g) £18,001 or more.
- *7. MR. WILKES : To ask the Honorable the Premier—
1. How many applications for reclassification and reviews of salaries from officers of the Public Works Department, the Department of Crown Lands and Survey, and the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission, respectively, are awaiting decision by the Public Service Board.
 2. What is the usual period of waiting before an application for reclassification or review of salary is dealt with by the Public Service Board.
 3. How many claims over six months old are awaiting decision by the Public Service Board.
 4. Whether an officer is notified direct by the Public Service Board if his application for reclassification or salary review is rejected by the Board.
 5. Whether the Public Service Board inspectors are engaged at present solely in reclassifying Professional Division officers with a view to their transfer to the Technical and General Division.
 6. How many new permanent appointments were made to the public service during the year 1959–60.
 7. Whether he has issued a direction to the Public Service Board that no further permanent appointments must be made this year.
 8. What are the present numbers of permanent and temporary employees, respectively, in the public service.

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*8. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—

1. What advantage has been obtained by the Gas and Fuel Corporation and/or the consumers by the recent change in computing accounts.
2. What are the charges under the present system for gas supplied to consumers in cases where the monthly consumption is—(a) less than 1,000 cubic feet; and (b) less than 2,000 cubic feet, and what were the respective charges under the previous system.
3. Whether the higher calorific value of gas now supplied reduces the time required for cooking; if so, whether this results in consumers using a smaller quantity of gas for domestic purposes.
4. On what date the gas supplied by the Corporation was enriched by the blending of coal gas with gas derived from oil.
5. Whether the addition of gas derived from oil reduces production costs.
6. Whether the calorific value of the gas supplied by the Corporation, expressed in British thermal units, is higher at present than when the Corporation was established; if so, to what extent.
7. Whether the monthly service charge was introduced originally to ensure that the revenue from the small consumer would cover the cost of supplying the service to him.
8. When this service charge was applied to all consumers.
9. What is the average daily number of visits to householders made by an employee servicing gas appliances.
10. Whether the Corporation has a minimum charge for servicing gas appliances; if so, whether such charge includes an allowance for the travelling time of employees.
11. Whether the charges made cover the wage of the employee.
12. Whether a separate record is kept of the earnings of employees servicing gas appliances.
13. Whether the Corporation makes a profit from such services.

*9. MR. FENNESSY: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—

1. Whether his attention has been drawn to an item which appears under the heading "Loan Accommodation" in the Fourteenth Annual Report of the Registrar of Co-operative Housing Societies for the year ended 30th June, 1959, namely, "Special fund for Dutch migrants £1,050,000" and to an addendum to this item stating that "Half of this amount is being made available by the Economic Development Fund, U.S.A., under an arrangement whereby the other half is being provided by a joint effort of the Commonwealth Bank, State Savings Bank, and private banks".
2. Whether he will ascertain and inform the House as to the terms of the arrangement mentioned, viz.—(a) what rate of interest is charged by the Economic Development Fund, U.S.A.; (b) what rates of interest are charged by the Commonwealth Bank, the State Savings Bank, and the private banks, respectively; (c) what amounts have been advanced by the Economic Development Fund, U.S.A., since 30th June, 1959; (d) what amounts have been advanced by the Commonwealth Bank, the State Savings Bank, and private banks, respectively, since 30th June, 1959; (e) whether Dutch migrants are the only nationals who benefit under this arrangement; if not, what other nationals are assisted; and (f) what are the names of the societies formed and registered under this arrangement with the Economic Development Fund, U.S.A., prior to and subsequent to 30th June, 1959, and what is the rate of the interest charged by the societies.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE CONTINUANCE) BILL—Second reading.
2. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading.
- *3. EXPLOSIVES BILL—Second reading.
- *4. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (FINANCIAL) BILL—Second reading.
5. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
6. CANCER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (DENTAL CLINICS) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. SUPREME COURT (ORDERS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
9. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (EXPENSES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. GIPPSLAND RAILWAY DEVIATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
11. BARWON HEADS LANDS EXCHANGE BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
12. HAMILTON STOCKYARDS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

13. REVOCATION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
14. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
15. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (FREEZING WORKS AGREEMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
16. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
17. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

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1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
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5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STATE LIBRARY NATIONAL GALLERY NATIONAL MUSEUM AND INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCE BILL—
Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. FISHERIES (CRAYFISH) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. RACING (TROTting RACES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
5. WESTERN METROPOLITAN MARKET (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

TUESDAY, 25TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISQUALIFICATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. GAME (LICENCES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 11.

WEDNESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
1. What is the weekly potential for killing—(a) beef; and (b) mutton, at the Bendigo and Ballarat works, respectively, of the Victorian Inland Meat Authority.
 2. How many weeks during the year 1959–60 this potential was reached.
 3. What were the maximum and minimum numbers of workers employed at the Bendigo and Ballarat works, respectively, during the year 1959–60.
 4. How many cattle, sheep, and lambs, respectively, were purchased by the Authority during the year 1959–60 for—(a) export; and (b) re-sale.
 5. What debts are owing to the Authority, and by whom.
 6. Whether the Government intends to transfer the Melbourne, South Melbourne, and Richmond abattoirs to Derrimut; if so, when; if not, whether these abattoirs will be able to continue without risk of their licences being withheld.
 7. Whether any extension of inland killing is to be undertaken.
 8. Whether the Government proposes to impose any control over meat operators.
- *2. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education how many school days comprise each of the three terms of a school year.
- *3. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, how many trains, trams, and buses, respectively, were chartered during the period of the 1960 Royal Agricultural Show to convey groups of school children to the Show, and approximately how many children were carried by each of these means of transport.
- *4. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether he will give consideration to placing on the agenda for discussion at the next Premiers' Conference the matter of financial assistance per medium of social service benefits, or other sources, to inmates of mental hospitals in this State.
- *5. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. Whether there is any shortage of qualified officers available for appointment to the Social Welfare Branch.
 2. What qualifications are required for appointment.
 3. Whether any assistance is given to officers from other departments wishing to qualify for transfer to the Social Welfare Branch.
- *6. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. How many motorists were convicted of parking offences in the City of Melbourne during the years 1958 and 1959, and from 1st January, 1960, to 30th September, 1960.
 2. How many of these motorists were booked by—(a) members of the Police Force; (b) City Council traffic officers; (c) officers of the Transport Regulation Board; (d) Country Roads Board officers; and (e) officers of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board.
 3. What amount of revenue in fines was raised from these offences, and how it was distributed.
 4. How many convictions were for impeding the proper running of trams and tramway buses.
 5. How these offences were reported, and by whom.
 6. If he will ascertain and inform the House how many traffic officers are employed by the Melbourne City Council.
 7. How many inspectors are employed by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board.

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- *7. MR. COCHRANE : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary when it is anticipated that funds will be available to erect the proposed new office block, comprising enquiry office, public space, detention room, and all conveniences on vacant land in Main-street, Pakenham East, and the new police residence to be constructed at the rear of the office block.
- *8. MR. COCHRANE : To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General, having regard to the answer supplied to a question asked by him (Mr. Cochrane) on 8th October, 1958, in this House, that the Public Works Department had been requested to prepare plans and an estimate of the cost of erection of a Court House on departmental land at Pakenham East and that it was anticipated that the work would be completed by the end of the then current financial year, whether he will give any indication as to why this work has not been commenced.
- *9. MR. FLOYD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Electrical Undertakings—
1. What total amounts have been spent to date by the State Electricity Commission in advertising on radio and television, respectively.
 2. What amounts have been paid to each respective radio station and/or television undertaking.
 3. Whether the organization and preparation for radio and television advertising is handled by the Commission itself; if not, what advertising and/or public relations consultants are engaged and how much they have been paid.
 4. What is the duration and the cost to the Commission of the time used on the news session on Channel 9 on Sunday evenings.
 5. What was the full cost of the preparation for this program, including the cost of the film used in this session.
- *10. MR. FLOYD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Mines—
1. Whether it is the intention of the Mines Department, in the near future, to deprive municipalities of the few remaining powers they have for controlling the operation of quarries in their areas; if not, whether the Department will seek any necessary amendments to the *Mines Act* 1958 to ensure that more stringent regulations may be promulgated for the better control and regulation of blasting in quarries, especially those close to residential areas.
 2. Whether the Department has a full complement of inspectors and whether they are fully employed on inspection of quarries.
 3. Whether these inspections conform to a routine pattern or whether they are the result of specific complaints.
 4. Whether impending visits by inspectors are kept secret.
 5. Whether he will make the inspectors' reports available for inspection by Honorable Members.
- *11. MR. SCHINTLER : To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
1. Whether any of the expenses connected with the publicly-announced surveys being made regarding a possible "Disney-land" in Victoria are being paid for out of funds provided by the Victoria Promotion Committee.
 2. Whether, in the event of a favourable survey, the project will be sponsored by the Government or by private enterprise.
- *12. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General whether the Licensing Court has experienced difficulty in interpreting some of the recent amendments to the Licensing Act.
- *13. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
1. Whether the Leongatha Sewerage Authority was promised a subsidy of 40 per centum of the cost of the sewerage scheme for that town and whether work on the scheme was commenced on that basis.
 2. How that percentage compares with the percentages in the formula in operation prior to 1954 and in the present formula.
- *14. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the Snobs Creek fish hatchery.
- *15. MR. MOSS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
1. What is the estimated cost of the proposed plan to subsidize bus operations on Sundays—(a) in country areas; and (b) in the metropolitan area.
 2. What is the estimated percentage reduction in bus fares as the result of this subsidy.
 3. What financial assistance it is anticipated will be given to bus operators in return for free travel concessions to certain holders of railway periodical tickets.
 4. Whether return fares on country buses will be calculated on the basis of two first-class single fares or the normal first-class return fare.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. FRASER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill relating to certain Land vested in the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board in the City of Box Hill".
- *2. MR. FRASER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Tourist Act 1958'".
- *3. MR. TURNBULL (*Kara Kara*) : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section One hundred and four of the 'Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958'".

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

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- 2. GAME (LICENCES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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TUESDAY, 1ST NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

- 1. EXPLOSIVES BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

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No. 12.

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Questions.

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- *3. **MR. LOVEGROVE**: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
 1. Whether accident insurance premiums under the Workers Compensation Act have been raised since 1957; if so, when, in what form, and by how much.
 2. What amounts in respect of accident insurance premiums were paid by employers in each of the years 1956-57, 1957-58, 1958-59, and 1959-60.
 3. How many claims were made under accident insurance policies in each of those years in respect of—(a) the deaths of workers; (b) injuries specified in the Table appended to sub-section (1) of Section 11 of the Workers Compensation Act; (c) injuries which occurred during journeys to and from the place of employment; and (d) medical, hospital, nursing, and ambulance services, and burial and cremation.
 4. How many claims in each of the above categories were—(a) admitted; and (b) contested, by insurance companies in each of the years mentioned.
 5. What were the injuries or diseases in respect of which—(a) claims were made; (b) claims were contested; and (c) claims were rejected, in each of those years.
 6. How many cases were heard by the Workers Compensation Boards in each of the years mentioned.
 7. What was the personnel of the Boards and the administrative staff thereof, and what individual salaries were paid, in each of those years.
 8. What was the total cost of administering the Workers Compensation Act during each of the years 1956-57, 1957-58, 1958-59 and 1959-60.
 9. Whether the Government has made any decision with reference to any alteration of the Workers Compensation Act; if so, what is the decision.
- *4. **MR. MUTTON**: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
 1. What was the total production of sawn timber in the State during each of the years 1957-58, 1958-59, and 1959-60.
 2. What percentages of that production were for export purposes.
 3. What quantity of timber was imported into Victoria during each of the years 1957-58, 1958-59, and 1959-60.

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- *5. MR. MUTTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, whether the Government will take action to ensure that any savings resulting to the Victorian Railways Department from the curtailment of week-end train services will be applied to the repair, renovation, and general upkeep of the rolling stock.
- *6. MR. MOSS : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture, on what date or dates the chairman and members of the Milk Board were appointed and what were the periods of their appointments.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. BOLTE : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to apply the Surplus Revenue for the Financial Year ended on the Thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and sixty*".

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. WATTLE PARK LAND BILL—Second reading.
- *2. TOURIST (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *3. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (RESEARCH CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL—Second reading.
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WEDNESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE CONTINUANCE) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate*.
2. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 1ST NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. EXPLOSIVES BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

WEDNESDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

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

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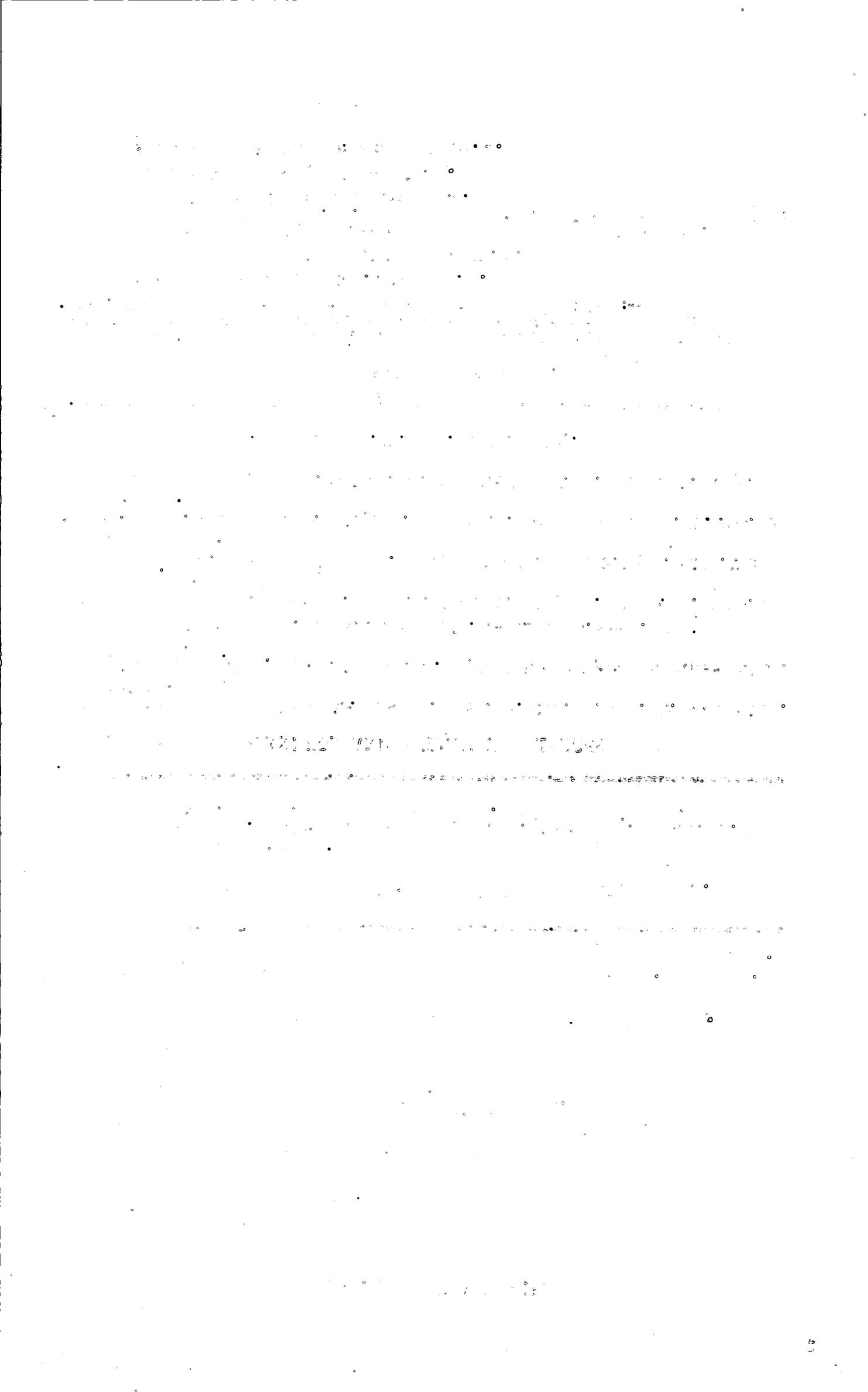
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 13.

WEDNESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. MOSS: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government whether municipal councils have any legal right to charge for cattle grazing on roads within their municipal boundaries.
- *2. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer whether, in view of the increase for the quarter ended 30th September last in the Commonwealth Statistician's "C" series index figure, which represents a further rise of 10s. per week in the basic wage and would bring that wage to a total of £15 12s. per week as compared with the present operative basic wage of £13 15s. per week, the Government will reconsider its decision not to introduce legislation to restore the quarterly cost-of-living adjustments to salaries and wages.
- *3. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works in view of the statement attributed to him (the Minister) in the Press that "the Government has agreed to contribute about £800 for road works on Lakeside-drive, Albert Park", whether he will state—(a) from what fund this money will be derived; (b) on what basis the contribution will be made; and (c) who will carry out the work.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. What is the estimated cost of the electrical wiring at the new Government Printing Office.
 2. Whether the wiring is of a temporary nature; if so, why the initial wiring was not of a permanent nature to avoid additional expense.
 3. What is the estimated additional expenditure for permanent wiring in the future.
- *5. MR. DUNSTAN: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture, whether the Government will investigate the system of hydatids control used by the New Zealand Government.
- *6. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
1. Whether it is the policy of the Housing Commission to erect shops; if so, how many shops have been erected by the Commission in—(a) the metropolitan area; and (b) country areas, in each of the last five years and how many of these shops have been sold.
 2. Whether private enterprise has offered to purchase land from the Commission on which to erect shops: if so, what was the Commission's attitude with regard to the offers.
- *7. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. How many accidents were reported during the year 1959-60, as having occurred at each location where two sets of traffic control signals operate on a divided highway.
 2. How many accidents were attributed to motorists completing a right or left-hand turn through the second set of traffic control signals.
 3. What is the width of the median between the divisions of the highway at each of these locations.

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. TOURIST (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *2. SURPLUS REVENUE BILL—Second reading.
- *3. FRUIT AND VEGETABLES (ROAD BARRIERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
- *4. MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT (RAILWAY OFFICERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
5. DRIED FRUITS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. MOTOR CAR (INSURANCE SURCHARGE CONTINUANCE) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. CRIMES (KIDNAPPING) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
8. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. FISHERIES (CRAYFISH) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISQUALIFICATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
11. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
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13. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (FINANCIAL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
14. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
15. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
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5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 1ST NOVEMBER.
Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. EXPLOSIVES BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. WATTLE PARK LAND BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

WEDNESDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER.
Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (RESEARCH CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. TRANSPORT REGULATION (QUALIFICATIONS OF CHAIRMAN) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 14.

WEDNESDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. **SIR HERBERT HYLAND**: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey whether the land on Wilson's Promontory between the coastal hummocks or dunes and the boundary of the National Park is the land recently mentioned by the Honorable the Premier as being land which the Closer Settlement Commission could make available for settlers; if so, what is the area of the land and how many farms it would provide.
- *2. **MR. MUTTON**: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. How many nurses and attendants, respectively, are required normally to staff each of the Government mental hospitals.
 2. Whether there is any shortage of nurses and attendants to staff these hospitals; if so, what is the shortage and at which hospitals.
- *3. **MR. DARCY**: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government whether he has been requested by a number of municipalities to prepare legislation to provide for a surcharge on bottles containing alcoholic drinks; if so—(a) what reasons were advanced for the request; (b) how it is contemplated that such a scheme would operate; and (c) whether the Government intends to introduce legislation as requested.
- *4. **MR. STIRLING**: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
1. What is the estimated total cost of the new Government Printing Office at North Melbourne, including the purchase price of the property, remodelling and equipping the building, and transferring thereto.
 2. Whether any amount included in the estimated total cost represents payments to those actually engaged in the work of shifting stock and/or equipment; if so, what amount.
 3. Whether any economically obsolete machinery has been transferred to the new Printing Office; if so, what machinery.
 4. How many linotype machines over 40 years old are still in use.
 5. What is the estimated date when the transfer to the new premises will be completed.
 6. What is the name and age of the person engaged to plan the transfer, and what rate of remuneration he was paid for this purpose.
 7. Whether there has been any loss of staff directly due to the transfer; if so, to what extent.
 8. Whether skilled first-aid treatment is available at the new premises.
 9. Whether any employees of the Government Printing Office are over 65 years of age; if so, what employees and what is the age of each.
 10. Whether there is sufficient provision at the new Printing Office for the storage of work as it progresses from one section to another, particularly from the machining to the cutting and binding sections.
 11. Whether scope exists at the new Printing Office for any expansion which may be necessary to meet the future needs of a State growing as rapidly as Victoria.
 12. What arrangements are being made for the public to make purchases from the Government Printing Office when the transfer is completed.
 13. Whether consideration has been given to the question of Government departments, &c., having a ready means of approach for their requirements of printing, stationery, and publications.

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- *5. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing whether any steps have been taken to sell to private enterprise any portion of the reclamation area bounded by O'Shannassy, Abbotsford, Haines, and Curzon streets, North Melbourne; if so, what stage has been reached and what price has been agreed upon, or proposed.
- *6. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General whether, as promised in his (the Minister's) statement to the House on 15th September, 1959, the Government has given further consideration to the question of affording legal assistance to pensioners and other persons in necessitous circumstances, particularly in defending actions for evictions under the Landlord and Tenant Act; if so, whether he will state what action has been taken, or is proposed.
- *7. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
1. How many housing units have been provided by the Housing Commission for elderly couples and elderly people living alone, and how many applications for such accommodation are outstanding.
 2. At what rate the Commission anticipates being able to satisfy these applications.
 3. What conditions applicants must fulfil in order to qualify.
 4. What principle is followed by the Commission in deciding priorities in the allocation of this type of accommodation.
- *8. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*) : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary what number of recruits can be trained annually for service in the police force.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

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- *2. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading.
- *3. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading.
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TUESDAY, 8TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. TOURIST (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. FRUIT AND VEGETABLES (ROAD BARRIERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT (RAILWAY OFFICERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 15.

TUESDAY, 8TH NOVEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

*1. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General—

1. How many men awaiting trial at Pentridge Gaol on civil charges and criminal charges, respectively, applied for free legal aid in each of the past six months and how many of such applications were refused.
2. What are the main reasons for refusing to provide legal aid where it has been applied for.
3. How many persons have applied to the Public Solicitor's Office for legal representation and legal advice, respectively, in the past six months.
4. How many persons who applied to the Public Solicitor's Office during the past twelve months for legal representation and legal advice, respectively, were refused such assistance.

*2. MR. DOUBE: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—

1. How much money has been allocated for the current financial year from Country Roads Board funds to each of the municipalities in Victoria for construction of main roads and unclassified roads, respectively.
2. How much money has been allocated for the current financial year for expenditure by the Country Roads Board on State highways, tourist roads, and forest roads, respectively.
3. In which municipalities this money will be spent, and how much will be spent for each of those purposes in each municipality.
4. How much money has been allocated by the Country Roads Board for expenditure on piers and jetties during the current financial year and on what projects the money will be spent.
5. How much money allocated by the Country Roads Board for the financial year 1959-60 for expenditure on main roads and unclassified roads remained unspent at the end of the year due to the municipalities concerned failing to take up the Country Roads Board grant.
6. What are the names of the municipalities concerned, and what amount of the grant was not taken up in each case.
7. How this unexpended money has been dealt with by the Country Roads Board.

*3. MR. DOUBE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—

1. What acreage of residential subdivisions (i.e., subdivisions into lots of up to a quarter of an acre) was approved by the local councils in each of the following municipalities during the years 1957, 1958, and 1959, respectively:—Berwick, Bulla, Cranbourne, Eltham, Fern Tree Gully, Flinders, Frankston and Hastings, Keilor, Lilydale, Melton, Werribee, and Whittlesea.
2. How many residential lots have been created by these subdivisions in each of the municipalities in the areas specified.
3. How many of the subdivisions in each of these municipalities were made the subject of full road construction.

*4. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer whether he will consider making finance available for the building of an institute of technology on the site reserved for educational purposes at Coburg, formerly part of Pentridge Gaol.

*5. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—

1. What amount representing fractions of a shilling not paid by way of dividend on the totalizator was received by the Government during the year 1958-59 from the metropolitan racing clubs.
2. Whether he will give favourable consideration to the introduction of legislation to allow the clubs using the totalizator to retain these fractional amounts when the new Totalizator Agency Board is in operation.

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- *6. MR. CRICK : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education what costs were incurred during each of the financial years 1956-57 to 1959-60 inclusive, for the replacement of or repairs to buildings as a result of damage caused by fire and vandalism, respectively, to—(a) State primary schools ; (b) State technical schools ; and (c) State high schools.
- *7. MR. FENNESSY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government, whether municipalities are required to provide public toilets ; if so, what ratio of toilets to population is required and whether Government funds are available to municipalities to assist in erection of such conveniences.
- *8. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Electrical Undertakings, what quantities of briquettes were sold to New South Wales and South Australia, respectively, during the last twelve months.
- *9. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. Whether he will supply details of the item of £33,393 for "Administrative costs" mentioned in his reply to the question relating to the expenditure of money received by Victoria under the Federal Aid Roads Agreement asked by him (Sir Herbert Hyland) in this House on 18th October last.
 2. When such a charge against the money available to Victoria under the Agreement was initiated.
- *10. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
1. What is the capital debt of the Victorian Railways.
 2. What amounts representing interest and redemption are paid annually to lenders—(a) outside Australia ; and (b) in Australia.
- *11. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education what percentage of the State-owned schools situated within 25 miles of Melbourne are equipped with septic tanks and what percentage of schools situated outside that area are so equipped.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (TREATING) BILL—Second reading.
2. SURPLUS REVENUE BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Council)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. EXPLOSIVES BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
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- *9. MEDICAL (BLOOD TRANSFUSION) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading.
- *10. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading.
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WEDNESDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

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

WEDNESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

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No. 16.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. DIVERS: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
1. What amounts were spent on tramway track repairs in the section of Ballarat-road between Gordon-street and the terminus at Summerhill-road, in each of the financial years 1954-55 to 1959-60.
 2. Whether it is the intention of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board to replace trams running in that section of Ballarat-road by buses; if so, when.
- *2. MR. DIVERS: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
1. Why the contract held by Davies Coop and Co. Ltd. for the supply of truck covers has been terminated.
 2. Whether the contract has been re-let to an overseas firm; if so, to whom, and at what price.
 3. Whether he (the Minister of Transport) is aware that the failure of Davies Coop and Co. Ltd. to regain the contract in question has made it necessary for them to terminate the employment of 75 skilled workers.
- *3. MR. DIVERS: To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General whether a lock-up jury room at the Criminal Court is situated in such a position that should a fire break out on the lower floors the lives of the jurors could be endangered; if so, whether he will take steps immediately to have this situation remedied.
- *4. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether his attention has been drawn to an article published in the *Truth* newspaper of 5th November instant in which it was reported that the Minister of Transport had stated that "Sunday trains are just bad business" and had made it clear that "Sunday services would not be resumed even if the 39-week-old dispute with railwaymen was settled"; if so, whether these statements attributed to the Minister of Transport represent the policy of the Government.
- *5. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. Whether he has taken any action to cancel the contract for the work being carried out on the Thornbury State School, No. 3889.
 2. What list of remedial works has been issued to the contractor to be carried out to bring the work into conformity with the specifications and conditions of contract.
 3. When he estimates that the work will be completed as specified in the contract.
 4. What action the Public Works Department has taken since the matter was brought to the notice of the Minister to have the work completed satisfactorily.
- *6. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing whether he will consider issuing directions to the Housing Commission to discontinue its present policy of erecting large blocks of flats for rental or purchase and in lieu thereof adopt a policy of spreading houses throughout the community by erecting only one house on each available allotment, with a maximum of six houses to the acre.
- *7. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer whether he will grant to children attending centres for mentally-retarded children the same free transport as is granted to children attending State-owned schools.

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- *8. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether he has any official knowledge of another cement works being established near Geelong; if so, what action, if any, was taken by the Government to facilitate this matter.
- *9. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary what is the reason for the delay in finalizing the claim of Mr. J. P. Fraser, 30 Gwynne-street, Richmond, for workers compensation.
- *10. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
1. How much money has been spent in each of the last five financial years on the Wilson's Promontory National Park, other than on the Tidal River camping area, giving the items of expenditure for each year.
 2. What is the programme of expenditure for the current financial year.
- *11. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development what amount was paid during the last financial year by the Tourist Development Authority in interest and sinking fund payments.
- *12. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
1. Whether he (the Minister of Transport) is aware that wheat producers are apprehensive that the Railways Department will be unable to move the next wheat harvest without undue delay.
 2. What action is being taken in an endeavour to ensure that adequate arrangements will be made to move the next wheat harvest.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. REID (*Box Hill*): To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Eighty-one of the 'Labour and Industry Act 1958'".
- *2. MR. RYLAH: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to extend the Powers of the Australian Trustees of the Northcote Children's Emigration Fund in relation to the Operation and Management of the Northcote School at Bacchus Marsh in the State of Victoria, and for other purposes".
- *3. MR. PORTER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Estate Agents Act 1958'".

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *2. CATTLE COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *3. BUSINESS NAMES (PUBLIC BORROWINGS) BILL—Second reading.
- *4. SALE OF ALLOTMENTS OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
5. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. FRUIT AND VEGETABLES (ROAD BARRIERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT (RAILWAY OFFICERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. MEDICAL (BLOOD TRANSFUSION) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
9. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
10. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate.*
11. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCAFFOLDING INSPECTION) BILL—Second reading.
12. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
13. MELBOURNE AND GEELONG MORTGAGES BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
14. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (RESEARCH CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
15. TRANSPORT REGULATION (QUALIFICATIONS OF CHAIRMAN) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
16. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISQUALIFICATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
17. GAME (LICENCES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
18. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (FINANCIAL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
19. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
20. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (TREATING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

WEDNESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 17.

TUESDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

1. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
 1. How much money has been spent in each of the last five financial years on the Wilson's Promontory National Park, other than on the Tidal River camping area, giving the items of expenditure for each year.
 2. What is the programme of expenditure for the current financial year.
- *2. MR. COCHRANE : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether he has given consideration to the question of making available to the Fisheries and Wildlife Department an ocean-going craft for the purpose of policing various fishing regulations.
- *3. MR. COCHRANE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
 1. How much it would cost annually to restaff The Gurdies School, No. 2224.
 2. How much it would cost to extend the existing Lang Lang primary school bus route to the St. Helier-road junction and whether he will approve of the extension as from February, 1961.
- *4. MR. MUTTON : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
 1. What fees are paid to persons who act as deputy returning officers or poll clerks at State elections.
 2. What travelling allowances (if any) are paid to these persons.
 3. Whether in view of the recent increases in the cost of living he will consider reviewing these fees before the next general elections.
- *5. MR. DOUBE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 1. How many intellectually-handicapped children are recorded in Victoria.
 2. How many of these children require—(a) education in opportunity grades ; (b) education in special schools ; and (c) care and training by the Mental Hygiene Authority.
 3. How many of the children requiring care and training by the Mental Hygiene Authority are in Government institutions.
 4. How many of these children are in each institution.
 5. What is the training programme in these institutions.
 6. At what age the training ceases and what programme of activities then follows.
 7. What is the maintenance cost per child or per person per week in these institutions and what is the capital cost per bed.
 8. How many intellectually-handicapped children or persons attend day training centres.
 9. What training programme is undertaken.
 10. At what age the child is admitted to such centres.
 11. Whether training ceases at any particular age ; if so, what programme of work then follows.
 12. What is the cost to the Government of maintaining a child or person per week in these centres, including the cost of transport to centres.
 13. What is the cost per head in capital expenditure by the Government in regard to these centres.
 14. What plans the Government has for the reception and training of day-training-centre children in the event of an emergency occurring which precludes their living at home.

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15. What are the plans for the training of these children in the event of their permanent transfer to a Government institution.
16. What are the rates of trained teachers and/or instructors to children in Government institutions and in day training centres, respectively.
17. Where is the nearest Government residential accommodation for children living in the south-eastern suburbs.
18. Whether any child or person is guaranteed accommodation at a Government institution reasonably close to his home.
19. What is the extent of overcrowding in existing Departmental institutions and when it is expected that this overcrowding will be overcome.
20. Whether there is any delay in obtaining admittance to Government institutions; if so, what is the delay and what is its cause.
21. What amount of loan funds has been received by the Mental Hygiene Authority in each of the years 1949-50 to 1959-60.
22. How much money per year has been received by Victoria from the Commonwealth for mental health activities under the scheme adopted some years ago.
23. How much money for capital works and maintenance, respectively, has been allocated to the Mental Hygiene Authority from Tattersall Consultations since its establishment in Victoria.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. RYLAH: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill relating to the Lands occupied by Queen's College, Ormond College, and Newman College respectively, being Colléges affiliated to the University of Melbourne*".

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. BUSINESS NAMES (PUBLIC BORROWINGS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. SALE OF ALLOTMENTS OF LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *3. LADY NORTHCOTE EMIGRATION TRUST BILL—Second reading.
- *4. ESTATE AGENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Second reading.
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12. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (FINANCIAL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

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3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1960.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. CATTLE COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. MEDICAL (BLOOD TRANSFUSION) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (BUTCHERS' SHOPS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. MELBOURNE AND GEELONG MORTGAGES BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

WEDNESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

H. K. McLACHLAN,
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MR. SPEAKER TAKES THE CHAIR AT FOUR O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 18.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. **MR. FLOYD**: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether any of the rifle clubs with club houses on the Williamstown Rifle Range have been granted liquor licences; if so—(a) whether the club or clubs had to go through the same procedures as other organizations seeking liquor licences; (b) whether, as these clubs do not pay municipal rates, they also are exempt from government dues from the sale of liquor and spirits; (c) whether these clubs were granted any priority over other applicants; (d) whether the usual opportunities were given to objectors to state their cases; (e) whether the club rooms comply in every respect with the requirements demanded by the Licensing Court of other applicants; and (f) what trading hours will be permitted at these clubs.
- *2. **MR. FLOYD**: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. Whether he (the Minister of Health) is aware of the several cases of anthrax which have occurred recently from contact at a wool store at Williamstown with goats' hair imported from Pakistan on the "Straat Johore".
 2. Whether the Health Department can furnish any reason as to why adequate steps were not taken to guard against the possible spread of this contagious disease from the shipment in question.
 3. How many cases of anthrax were reported during the last three years and how many of these cases proved fatal.
 4. What precautions have been taken or are contemplated by the Department to prevent a repetition of the outbreak at Williamstown.
- *3. **MR. RING**: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works whether a contract has been let for the provision of a new staff room, external repairs and painting, and roof repairs at the Preston South State School, No. 824; if so—(a) what is the name of the successful tenderer, and what is the contract price; and (b) whether any work has been carried out under this contract, or, when it is anticipated that the contractor will commence the work.
- *4. **MR. CRICK**: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, whether the holder of a railways periodical ticket from Sunshine to Melbourne is permitted to travel free on Sundays on Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board buses from the Sunshine railway station to the Queen-street, Melbourne, terminus and return.
- *5. **MR. MUTTON**: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Electrical Undertakings—
1. What municipalities in the metropolitan area receive bulk supplies of electricity from the State Electricity Commission for resale to consumers.
 2. What scales of prices are charged by such municipalities to consumers.
 3. What scale of prices is charged by the State Electricity Commission to consumers in the metropolitan area.
- *6. **SIR HERBERT HYLAND**: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests where the sum of £200,000 provided for tree planting this year will be expended and what amount will be spent in each district.

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- *7. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. What would have been the additional cost incurred if roofing tiles had been used on the new Guttridge primary school, Sale, instead of galvanised iron.
 2. What additional costs would have been incurred if concrete stumps had been used instead of red gum stumps.
- *8. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
1. How many houses were erected by the Housing Commission in each of the last three financial years—(a) outside the metropolitan area other than at Doveton ; (b) at Doveton ; and (c) in the metropolitan area.
 2. What is the Commission's programme for this financial year in the same areas.
 3. How many Commission houses were erected in each of the last two years in—(a) Moe ; (b) Morwell ; and (c) Traralgon.
 4. How many houses it is anticipated will be erected in each of those towns during the current financial year.
 5. How many applications for houses in each of those towns are lodged at present with the Commission.
- *9. MR. WILKES : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. Who are the members of the Traffic Commission.
 2. What fees or allowances are paid to each member.
 3. How many officers or employees are on the staff of the Commission.
 4. What annual salary or allowance is paid to each officer or employee.
 5. What was the total expenditure of the Commission during each of the years 1958-59 and 1959-60.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. PETTY : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Audit Act 1958', the 'Public Account Act 1958', and Section Thirty-six of the 'Superannuation Act 1958'".
- *2. MR. BLOOMFIELD : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Monash University Act 1958'".
- *3. MR. BLOOMFIELD : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Education Act 1958'".

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCAFFOLDING INSPECTION) BILL—Second reading.
2. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *3. LAND TAX (RATES) BILL—Second reading.
- *4. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (AMALGAMATION) BILL—Second reading.
- *5. BUILDING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *6. NAVIGABLE WATERS (OIL POLLUTION) BILL—Second reading.
- *7. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *8. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *9. GEELONG AND COLAC RAILWAY (DEVIATION) BILL—Second reading.
- *10. COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL—Second reading.
- *11. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (GUARANTEES) BILL—Second reading.
- *12. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading.
- *13. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading.
14. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISQUALIFICATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *15. UNIVERSITY COLLEGES LANDS BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
16. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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WEDNESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 19.

TUESDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

1. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
 1. Whether he (the Minister of Health) is aware of the several cases of anthrax which have occurred recently from contact at a wool store at Williamstown with goats' hair imported from Pakistan on the "Straat Johore".
 2. Whether the Health Department can furnish any reason as to why adequate steps were not taken to guard against the possible spread of this contagious disease from the shipment in question.
 3. How many cases of anthrax were reported during the last three years and how many of these cases proved fatal.
 4. What precautions have been taken or are contemplated by the Department to prevent a repetition of the outbreak at Williamstown.
- *2. MR. CRICK: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
 1. What total amounts were received into the Consolidated Revenue during each of the financial years 1957-58 to 1959-60, from—(a) unclaimed totalizator dividends; and (b) fractional amounts not included in dividends.
 2. Whether the Government intends introducing legislation to provide for a minimum dividend of 5s. 3d. to be paid for a successful win or place wager on the totalizator.
- *3. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, how many former railway employees who left the Railways Department during the period 1st November, 1959, to 31st October, 1960, had—(a) over three years and not more than four years' service; (b) over four years' and not more than five years' service; (c) over five years' and not more than six years' service; (d) over six years' and not more than seven years' service; (e) over seven years' and not more than eight years' service; (f) over eight years' and not more than nine years' service; and (g) over nine years' and not more than ten years' service.
- *4. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
 1. What is the total number of children at "Turana".
 2. What are the numbers of girls and boys, respectively, in the following age groups:—6 years and under, over 6 years and up to 14 years, and over 14 years.
 3. How many children in each of these age groups were committed for delinquency.
 4. What plans have been made to relieve congestion at "Turana" by transfer to alternative accommodation.
- *5. MR. HOLLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works what total amount representing salaries of both permanent officers and temporary-staff of the Public Works Department was debited against the cost of works financed from loan funds during each of the years 1955-56, 1956-57, and 1957-58.
- *6. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether the Government will give favourable consideration to the introduction of legislation to provide that persons in receipt of age or invalid pensions shall be granted automatically similar concessions with regard to the payment of municipal rates, water rates, and gas and electricity charges as those proposed to be granted in the Land Tax (Relief) Bill now before Parliament and thus spared the often humiliating experience when desiring relief from such payments of a searching investigation into their personal affairs.

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- *9. AUDIT (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (AMALGAMATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
11. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (GUARANTEES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *12. SUPERANNUATION (ADDITIONS TO PENSIONS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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WEDNESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WATER SUPPLY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. BUILDING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

TUESDAY, 29TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

*1. LAND TAX (RELIEF) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

H. K. McLACHLAN,
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MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Tuesday, 22nd November.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE—At half-past Two o'clock.

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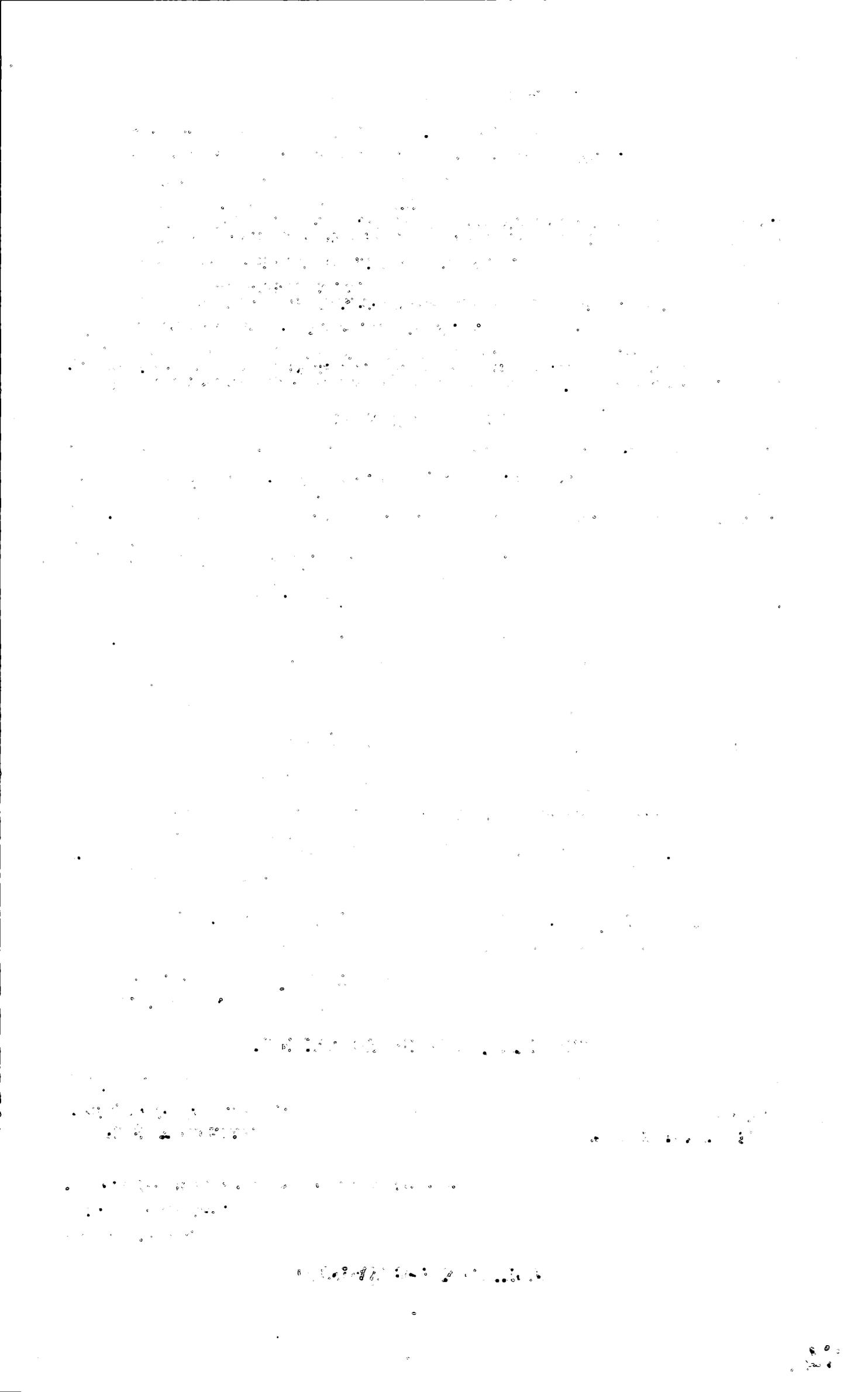
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No. 20.

WEDNESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. DUNSTAN: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply whether investigations of the practicability of extending water supply to Pearcedale, Langwarrin, and Baxter, respectively, have been completed; if so, what are the results of the investigations; if not, when it is expected that each investigation will be completed.
- *2. MR. GALVIN: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
1. What expenditure was incurred on the construction of the Eppalock Dam up to 31st October last.
 2. What estimated amount will have been spent on this work by 30th June next.
- *3. MR. MOSS: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply how many claims against the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission for compensation for land easements and acquisition are unsettled.
- *4. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
1. Having regard to the statement attributed to him (the Premier) in the *Ballarat Courier* of the 11th November instant that the Ballarat School of Mines is to become a University College, when it is anticipated that this will take place.
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- *5. MR. RING: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
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 3. What are the reasons for the delay in providing sewerage in this area.
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- *6. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
1. How many country sewerage authorities have been constituted to date.
 2. Which of these authorities have not been authorized to proceed with construction of their respective sewerage systems because of lack of funds and what is the estimated aggregate cost of such works.
- *7. MR. FENNESSY: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer what is the name of each permanent building society registered under the *Building Societies Act 1958* which has been approved as an institution for the purposes of the *Home Finance Act 1958* or any corresponding previous enactment.
- *8. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General how many persons applied to the Public Solicitor's office for legal representation and legal advice in the past twelve months.
- *9. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General—
1. Whether the Committee appointed by the Government in May last to enquire into hardship to pensioners and other persons on low incomes resulting from rent increases has completed its report; if not, when it is anticipated that the report will be completed.
 2. Whether he will give an assurance that the report will be made available to the public.

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- *10. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
1. How much money was made available to the Forests Commission in each of the past five years for tree planting and how much of that money was spent in each year.
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- *11. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. Which schools erected during the past five years had assembly halls included without cost to the parents.
 2. Whether any schools now being erected will have assembly halls included without cost to the parents; if so, where they are situated.
 3. Whether it is the policy of the Government that assembly halls will not be included in new schools or added to present schools unless the parents or the public contributes half the cost of the halls.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

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THURSDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. NAVIGABLE WATERS (OIL POLLUTION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

TUESDAY, 29TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LAND TAX (RELIEF) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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No 21.

THURSDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1960.

Government Business.

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WEDNESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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 3. What is the size of the building.
 4. Whether the Milk Board intends to occupy the entire building or whether it proposes to lease part of the building.
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9. LADY NORTHCOTE EMIGRATION TRUST BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. GAME (LICENCES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
11. LAND TAX (RELIEF) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
12. NATIONAL FITNESS COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
13. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCAFFOLDING INSPECTION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
14. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
15. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (PRIVATE STREET) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
16. TOWER HILL AND MALMSBURY LANDS BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
17. MILK BOARD (POWERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
18. HEALTH (TUBERCULOSIS ARRANGEMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
19. MONASH UNIVERSITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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22. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
23. LAND TAX (RATES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
24. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (FINANCIAL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
25. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
26. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES.

DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT)—Mr. Brose, Mr. Galvin, Mr. Kane, Mr. Moss, Mr. Scott, and Mr. Stoneham.

HOUSE (JOINT)—Mr. Speaker (*ex officio*), Mr. Cook, Mr. Floyd, Sir Herbert Hyland, Mr. Tanner, and Mr. Turnbull (*Brunswick West*).

LIBRARY (JOINT)—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Holden, Mr. Loxton, and Mr. Sutton.

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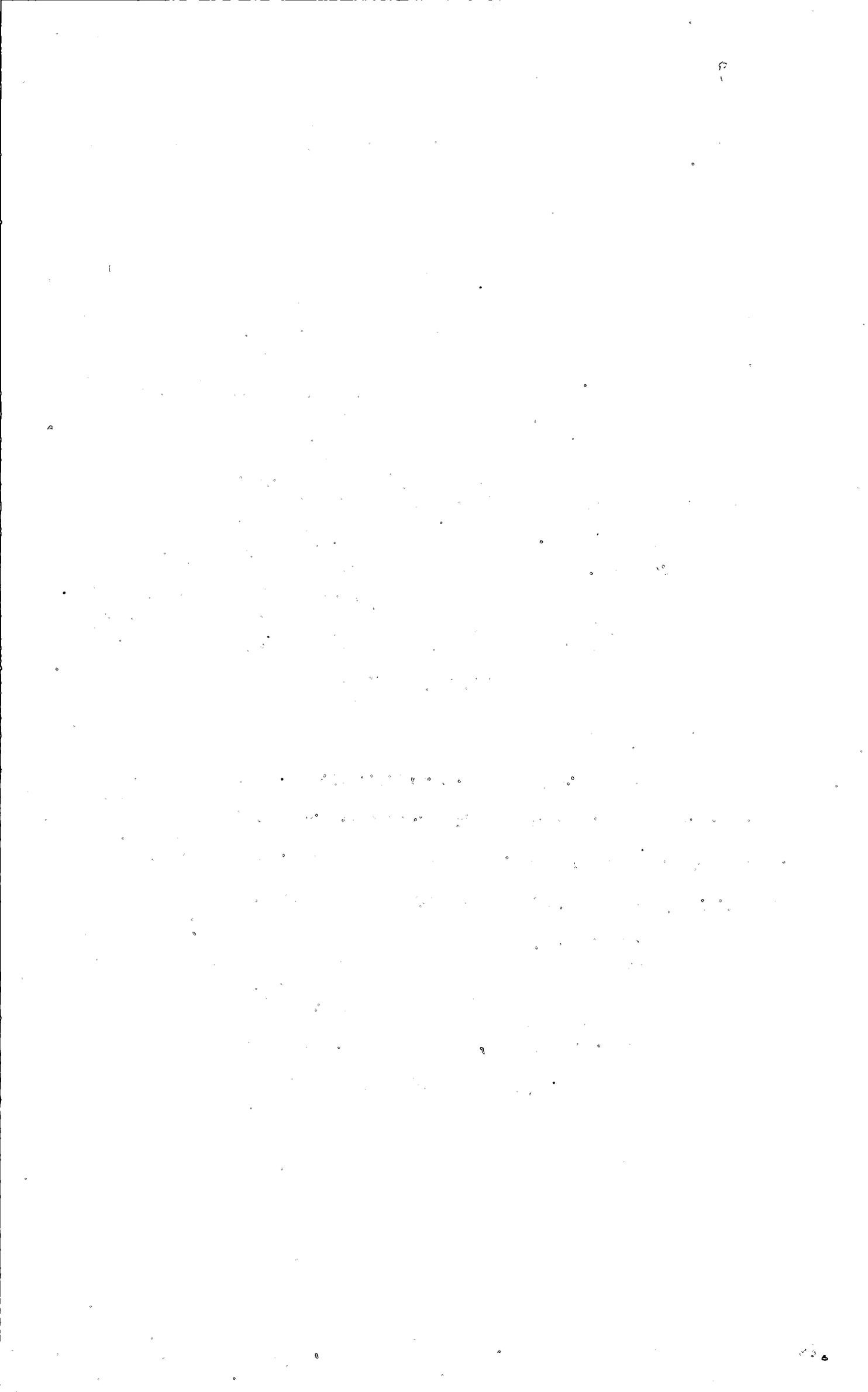
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No 23.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. DOUBE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. Who is responsible for the production of Salk anti-poliomyelitis vaccine in Victoria.
 2. Whether the quantities made available for Victoria are ordered through the Health Department.
 3. Whether private medical practitioners are finding it difficult to obtain sufficient supplies of single-unit doses of this vaccine.
 4. What proportion of multi-dose units to single-dose units is available.
 5. Whether he (the Minister of Health) will have this matter investigated with a view to having more single-dose units produced
- *2. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. How many—(a) boys; and (b) girls, will leave State secondary schools, State primary schools, and technical schools respectively, at the end of the present school year.
 2. What are the details of arrangements (if any) the Education Department has made for the employment of such persons by—(a) the Crown and public authorities; and (b) commerce and industry.
- *3. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the agreement between the Australian Mutual Provident Society and the Government on the Little Desert area scheme.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
1. How many veterinary officers are in the employ of the Department of Agriculture.
 2. Where these officers are stationed and what is their average salary.
 3. How many of these officers who were on a bond to serve in the employ of the Department have served for longer than their bond term of four years.
 4. How many Victorian veterinary students in receipt of Government scholarships are in training and how many of these students are being trained at Sydney and Brisbane, respectively.
 5. What will be the salary range of these students—(a) on appointment to the Department; and (b) after they have served their four-year bond term.
- *5. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, in view of the disclosures in the article published in the *Herald* Newspaper of the 28th November instant regarding damage attributed to young vandals on the Victorian railways, what action he (the Minister of Transport) proposes taking for the protection of Government property against such vandalism.
- *6. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
1. What total amount of money was made available to the Forests Commission in each of the last ten years.
 2. What amount was received by the Forests Commission in royalties in each of the last ten years.
 3. What value of timber was imported into Victoria in each of the last ten years.

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCAFFOLDING INSPECTION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. HOUSING (POWERS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
5. ESTATE AGENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. GAME (LICENCES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. LAND TAX (RELIEF) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. HEALTH (TUBERCULOSIS ARRANGEMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
9. MONASH UNIVERSITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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- *13. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (KEILOR WAVERLEY AND SPRINGVALE) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
14. MEDICAL (BLOOD TRANSFUSION) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
15. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 24.

THURSDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1960.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *2. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SAWMILL BURNERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
3. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *5. MEDICAL (BLOOD TRANSFUSION) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *6. HEALTH (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
- *7. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (MEMBERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
8. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
9. MELBOURNE AND GEELONG MORTGAGES BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

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TUESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER.

Questions.

1. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. How many—(a) boys; and (b) girls, will leave State secondary schools, State primary schools, and technical schools respectively, at the end of the present school year.
 2. What are the details of arrangements (if any) the Education Department has made for the employment of such persons by—(a) the Crown and public authorities; and (b) commerce and industry.
- *2. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education whether the completion of the Dental Hospital at Parkville will enable the Government to extend its activities regarding the dental treatment of children attending State schools and registered schools; if not, what plans, if any, the Government has to meet the urgent need for increased dental services for school children.
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1. What is the architect's percentage fee for the sixteen-storey block of flats at South Melbourne, known as Emerald Hill Court.
 2. What work this percentage fee covers.
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1. Whether the Westernport Waterworks Trust has obtained all the pipes necessary for the construction of the main from the headworks to Cowes; if not, what quantity of piping still is required.
 2. When it is anticipated that construction of this scheme will be commenced.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (KEILOR WAVERLEY AND SPRINGVALE) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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MR. SPEAKER TAKES THE CHAIR AT FOUR O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 25.

TUESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

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 1. How many—(a) boys; and (b) girls, will leave State secondary schools, State primary schools, and technical schools respectively, at the end of the present school year.
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- *5. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply if he will lay on the table of the Library the file or files relating to Lake Corangamite.
- *6. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
 1. Whether, in view of the apparent likelihood of student attendances at Monash University reaching maximum desirable numbers earlier than originally anticipated, the definite planning of Victoria's third university will be commenced at an early date.
 2. Whether the Government intends to appoint an expert committee to report on the matter; if so, when.
 3. Whether it has been decided that the third university, when established, will be located outside the metropolitan area.
- *7. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 1. What was the reason for increasing from 7½ per cent. to 12½ per cent. the on-cost charges for certain works.
 2. What percentage is being charged this financial year.
- *8. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
 1. What contribution is expected from parents or the public towards the cost of assembly halls in high schools.
 2. What districts have agreed to raise the necessary funds.
 3. What amount has been or will be provided in each case.

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*9. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—

1. How much money in addition to the amount of £40,000 in the Public Works Loan Application Bill now before Parliament, has been made available by the Treasury to the Australian Mutual Provident Society for access roads in its land settlement scheme in the Shire of Kaniva and on what basis.
2. How much money was promised for these works in the first instance and how much more money will be required to complete the works.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SAWMILL BURNERS) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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MR. SPEAKER TAKES THE CHAIR AT TWO O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 26.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, 1960.

Questions.

- *1. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey what was the area of each public park existing within a radius of 6 miles of the General Post Office, Melbourne, as at 1st January, 1930, and what is the present area of each such park.
- *2. MR. SCOTT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. What rehabilitation hospitals or institutions are established in the metropolitan area.
 2. What department or organization controls each of these establishments.
 3. Whether he (the Minister of Health) will give consideration to setting up a rehabilitation service in Ballarat to serve the midland highlands region.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. RYLAH: To move, That Standing Order No. 273c be suspended for to-morrow so far as it requires that the first Order of the Day on every third Thursday shall be either Supply or Ways and Means and that on that Order of the Day being read the question shall be proposed that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SAWMILL BURNERS) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 27.

THURSDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1960.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (SAWMILL BURNERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *2. EXPLOSIVES BILL—AMENDMENTS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—To be considered.
- *3. MOTOR CAR (ABOLITION OF OWNERS' CERTIFICATES) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (MEMBERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
5. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. NATIONAL FITNESS COUNCIL OF VICTORIA BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. MELBOURNE AND GEELONG MORTGAGES BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
9. MILK BOARD (POWERS) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (KEILOR WAVERLEY AND SPRINGVALE) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *11. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—AMENDMENT OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—To be considered.
12. HEALTH (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
13. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
14. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
15. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 7TH MARCH, 1961.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
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Water Supply Works Depreciation—The Fund and the Account (D.6).

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Victorian Railways Commissioners—Report, 1959-60 (No. 7).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 29.

TUESDAY, 14TH MARCH, 1961.

Questions.

- *1. MR. CRICK: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works whether, in view of the devastating fires which have destroyed State schools during recent years, the Public Works Department contemplates the provision of fire protection sprinkler systems, as standard equipment, in plans and specifications for future school buildings; if so, whether the Department will install such sprinkler systems throughout the existing schools which present the greatest fire danger.
- *2. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether the Government has investigated the functioning of the Melbourne Stock Exchange; if so, whether he will lay on the table of the Library any files relating to such investigations.
- *3. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
1. Whether the Government is associated, in any way, with the operations of the Victorian Timber Trade Stabilization Panel.
 2. Whether the Panel fixes and enforces minimum prices for the sale of timber in Victoria.
 3. Whether the Government favours price control, if so, under what conditions; if not, what action it proposes taking in connexion with the operations of the Panel in this respect.
- *4. MR. STOKES: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
1. What total numbers of pullets under six months and laying hens, respectively, were registered with the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board during each of the years 1956-57 to 1960-61, inclusive.
 2. What was the average annual production per bird from the total birds registered during those years.
 3. How many producers' names were struck off the Board's register during those five years, and how many new names were included.
- *5. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works whether the Ports and Harbors Branch or the Melbourne Harbor Trust is planning to reclaim any additional land from the sea off the foreshore of Williamstown; if so, for what purpose this land is to be used.
- *6. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the accidental wounding of Margaret Cumming in Kororoit Creek-road, North Williamstown, on 17th December, 1960, by a bullet reported to have come from the direction of the Williamstown Rifle Ranges.
- *7. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer whether an amount of £8,128 (representing land £6,000; and improvements £2,128) which was assessed by a Commission as due to Victoria for the acquisition of the Williamstown Rifle Ranges by the Commonwealth Government as a defence asset, under Section 85 of the Commonwealth Constitution Act of 1901, was received by the State; if not, whether a claim can be made for payment of this money.
- *8. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works whether a private company lodged an application with the Government for a franchise to build a tunnel under or a high-level bridge over the Yarra River at Spotswood; if so, how the negotiations are progressing and when it is anticipated that Members will be given details of the proposition.

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*9. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

1. How many houses and flats, respectively, were built in Victoria during the year ended 30th June, 1960, with moneys made available by the following—(a) the State Savings Bank; (b) War Service Homes Division; (c) co-operative housing societies; (d) the Housing Commission; (e) the Home Finance Trust; (f) life assurance offices; (g) friendly societies; (h) permanent building societies; (i) the Commonwealth Bank; (j) the private savings banks; and (k) the private trading banks.
2. How many houses and flats, respectively, it is estimated will be built during the year ending 30th June, 1961, with moneys made available by these authorities.
3. How many houses and flats, respectively, it is estimated will be built in the year ending 30th June, 1961, by the Housing Commission for rental to the low-income group.
4. How many applicants for houses were registered by the Housing Commission in—(a) the metropolitan area; and (b) country areas, as at 28th February, 1961.

*10. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—

1. How many road accidents were reported and how many road deaths occurred during each of the months of December, 1960, and January and February, 1961, in—(a) the metropolitan area; and (b) country areas.
2. How many accidents and deaths involved freighters and trucks during each of those three months.
3. How many unroadworthy vehicles were detected in each of the three months mentioned and how many were registered as—(a) business and commercial vehicles; and (b) private vehicles.

*11. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—

1. On the decision of what authorities it was recommended that influenza vaccine be given to children under five years of age.
2. Whether he (the Minister of Health) is aware that previously the Commonwealth Serum Laboratories advised that it was not recommended that the ordinary strength influenza vaccine be given to children in the under five age group.
3. What was the reason for this advice.
4. While it is realized that children in the under five age group must be protected against influenza and that a special strength vaccine is being used for this age group, whether the Minister has any information of the use of such vaccine in this age group elsewhere; if so, whether any report of efficiency or of incidences of sensitivity reaction has been given.
5. In view of the allergists statement that food allergy, including egg allergy, is relatively uncommon in adults and in the over six years age group, what information he (the Minister of Health) has with regard to the possibility of unsuspected egg allergy in the under five years age group receiving the special influenza vaccine.

*12. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, whether in view of the recent fatal accident at the Barry-road level crossing at Campbellfield he (the Minister of Transport) will give further consideration to the installation of gates at the Baker's-road, Short-road, and Boundary-road level crossings on the Fawkner railway line; if not, what action, if any, is proposed to be taken.

*13. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether any company has been refused the right to print a Sunday newspaper in Melbourne in recent years; if so, what were the reasons for refusal.

*14. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—

1. When the Town and Country Planning Board decides to widen roads, necessitating the acquisition of abutting properties, what steps are taken to inform each owner of the details.
2. Whether any steps are taken to prevent such an owner from selling out to an unsuspecting purchaser at a price that would be gained for an unencumbered property.
3. Whether there is any form of compensation available from the Board for purchasers suffering through any of the Board's acts of omission.

*15. MR. TOWERS: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

1. How many tenants occupying Housing Commission flats or houses receive Government subsidies.
2. What was the aggregate cost of such subsidies for the twelve months ended 30th December, 1960.

*16. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—

1. How many houses were unsewered in the metropolitan area and in which municipalities as at 31st December, 1960.
2. How many houses in the metropolitan area were serviced by pan systems and in which municipalities as at 31st December, 1960.
3. What is the present monthly rate of sewerage connexions.

*17. MR. MOSS : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—

1. What quantity of wheat was delivered to each silo under the control of the Grain Elevators Board during each of the past ten years.
2. What is the storage capacity of each silo.

*18. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—

1. What total annual amount is paid by the State Government for rented premises in the metropolitan area.
2. Where these premises are situated.
3. What is the annual rent in each case.

*19. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the proposed maintenance and other works at the Leongatha High School.

*20. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

1. Whether negotiations have been completed for the sale to private enterprise of the area acquired by the Housing Commission in North Melbourne, and bounded by O'Shannassy, Abbotsford, Haines and Curzon streets ; if so, (a) to whom the land will be sold ; (b) for what consideration ; and (c) under what terms and conditions, including the types of flats to be erected and the maximum number of storeys to be permitted.
2. What has been the cost to date of acquiring and clearing the area, and what further estimated expenditure is likely to be incurred before such work is completed.

*21. MR. STONEHAM : To ask the Honorable the Premier—

1. Having regard to the article which appeared in the *Ballarat Courier* of 11th November, 1960, that he (the Premier) had announced at an election meeting the previous night "that the Government definitely intended to put a veterinary school in the country for the years subsequent to those already taken at the University of Melbourne," when the Government intends to establish such a veterinary school.
2. Whether the university college which was promised by the Premier at the same meeting has been established.
3. Whether his attention has been drawn to the recently-published statement by the president of the Ballarat School of Mines (Mr. M. B. John) that "efforts to implement the Premier's promise for 1961 had received no Government support".
4. What terms of reference are proposed for the expert committee which will enquire into the establishment of a third university in Victoria, and whether the city of Bendigo will be represented on the committee.

*22. MR. STONEHAM : To ask the Honorable the Premier whether his attention has been drawn to the depressed state of the home-building industry in Victoria together with the resultant adverse effects upon allied industries providing building supplies ; if so, what matters are responsible for present conditions in the home-building industry, and what remedial action (if any) is proposed to revive employment in the industry.

*23. MR. TOWERS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—

1. What progress has been made in connexion with the proposed high school at Richmond.
2. When it is anticipated that building operations will be commenced.

*24. MR. DOUBE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—

1. What amount of money the Commonwealth Government agreed to make available to the States under the *States Grant (Mental Institutions) Act 1955*.
2. What total amount was allocated to Victoria.
3. What amount was actually received by this State in each of the years 1956-57 to 1959-60, inclusive.
4. How much money from this source is available to Victoria for the current financial year.
5. What total amount was available to the Mental Hygiene Authority from State and Federal sources for the purposes of capital works in each of the years 1955-56 to 1959-60, inclusive, and what amount is available for the current financial year.

*25. MR. LOVEGROVE : To ask the Honorable the Premier—

1. What permanent building societies received financial guarantees through Government instrumentalities during each of the years 1957-58, 1958-59, and 1959-60.
2. How much was each individual guarantee.
3. How many houses were built during the years 1957-58, 1958-59, and 1959-60 with moneys made available by the individual permanent building societies concerned and how many houses it is estimated will be built during the year 1960-61.

- *26. MR. LOVEGROVE : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. How many social workers are employed on case work by the new Social Welfare Branch.
 2. How many cases have been dealt with by these social workers in the form of visits to the homes during the three months ended 28th February, 1961.
 3. How many cases have been referred by the Government to the Social Welfare Branch during those three months.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. BOLTE : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Rights and Obligations under the 'Superannuation Act 1958' of Persons in the Railway Service*".
- *2. MR. RYLAH : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend Part V. of 'The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958', to repeal Division One of Part VI. of that Act, and for other purposes*".
- *3. MR. RYLAH : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Motor Car Act 1958', and for other purposes*".
- *4. MR. REID (*Box Hill*) : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Bread Industry Act 1959', and for other purposes*".
- *5. MR. PETTY : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Housing Act 1958', and for other purposes*".

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. PROSTITUTION BILL—Second reading.
- *2. LAND (NORTH-WEST MALLEE SETTLEMENT AREAS) BILL—Second reading.
- *3. ROAD TRAFFIC (PARKING ON RAILWAY AND MUNICIPAL PROPERTY) BILL—Second reading.
- *4. STAMPS (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *5. EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYÉS (ATTACHMENT OF WAGES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *6. MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *7. ST. KILDA (GOLDSMITH AND SHELLEY STREETS) LAND BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 15TH MARCH.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. MINES (MINERALS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *2. JURIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *3. GRAIN ELEVATORS (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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MR. SPEAKER TAKES THE CHAIR AT FOUR O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 30.

TUESDAY, 21st MARCH, 1961.

Questions.

- *1. MR. MOSS: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
1. How many cattle were destroyed during the last twelve months by departmental officers acting pursuant to the provisions of the Cattle Compensation Act.
 2. How many of those cattle were destroyed during the same period after veterinary treatment for notifiable diseases.
 3. How many cattle were notified as suffering from disease and subsequently cured by veterinary treatment during the same period.
- *2. MR. MOSS: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
1. What was the turnover of the off-the-course totalizator for each race meeting since it commenced operation.
 2. What was the turnover of the totalizator operating at each race-course where those meetings were held.
 3. What total amount was received into consolidated revenue in respect of each of these race-meetings.
- *3. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. What instrument is installed in the grounds of the Brunswick Technical School to record or disclose information or data concerning air pollution or any other matter for the purposes of the *Clean Air Act* 1958, or for any other purposes.
 2. Whether such instrument is out of use and filled with stones, papers, and other materials of a like nature.
 3. Whether any instruments are installed at any other place in West Brunswick for recording information for the purposes of such Act; if so, what instruments and where they are located.
 4. What was the nature of any findings, data, or information recorded by the instrument at the Brunswick Technical School during the year 1960.
 5. What prosecutions were commenced under the *Clean Air Act* 1958 during the year 1960 by—(a) the Department of Health; and (b) municipalities.
 6. Whether the Health Department has made any investigations concerning the smoke or air impurities emitted from any chimneys of Ingot Metals Ltd., 430 Victoria-street, Brunswick West; if so, what was the result of the investigation; if not, whether he (the Minister of Health) will cause an investigation to be so made.
- *4. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. Whether any school equipment was stolen from the Experimental School, North Brunswick; if so, (a) what equipment and on what date; (b) who owned the equipment; and (c) what insurance (if any) covered the equipment.
 2. Whether it is the intention of the Government to replace such equipment; if not, why.
- *5. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether, in view of the recent public statement made by the Director of Penal Services regarding overcrowding and staff shortages at Pentridge Gaol, the Government will give immediate consideration to removing the gaol from Coburg, and making the land available for additional educational facilities; if not, why.

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- *6. MR. SUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. What organizations have applied for financial assistance for youth activities this year.
 2. What amount was sought by each.
 3. What amount was received by each.
- *7. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, what numbers of livestock were transported by rail to Melbourne during the last financial year—(a) from all towns east of Traralgon to Orbost on the main Gippsland railway line; and (b) from all towns east of Foster to Yarram on the South Gippsland railway line.
- *8. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. How many electors are on the rolls in each Legislative Assembly electorate.
 2. What is the area of each Legislative Assembly electorate.
- *9. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. How much money from Country Roads Board funds has been expended in the metropolitan area in each of the past ten financial years.
 2. What estimated amount will be spent during the current financial year.
- *10. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Premier if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the financial agreement between the Government and the trustees of the National Art Gallery and Cultural Centre.
- *11. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works what estimated revenue the Country Roads Board will receive from all sources during the financial year 1960-61, giving the different items of revenue and the estimated amount in each case.
- *12. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. What is the total number of children at Turana.
 2. Whether the Government's plans for relief of overcrowding at Turana, announced by the Chief Secretary on 22nd November, 1960, have been implemented.
 3. How many children were admitted to the care of the Children's Welfare Department in 1959 and 1960, respectively, for the following reasons:—(a) having no means of support or no settled place of abode; (b) not being provided with proper food, nursing, clothing or medical aid; and (c) lapsing or likely to lapse into a career of vice or crime.
 4. How many applications were received in 1959 and 1960, respectively, under Part V. of the *Children's Welfare Act* 1958, for allowances for children in necessitous circumstances and how many were approved.
 5. How many children were involved in these applications in each of the years mentioned.
 6. What was the expenditure on these allowances in 1959 and 1960, respectively.
- *13. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
1. Whether the Housing Commission sells units constructed for elderly couples and lone elderly persons; if so, how many were sold during the year 1960.
 2. How many units for elderly people are—(a) under construction; and (b) intended to be built at Yallourn.
 3. Why the Housing Commission and not the State Electricity Commission is undertaking provision of accommodation for elderly people at Yallourn.
- *14. MR. LOVEGROVE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing how many applicants for purchase of Housing Commission homes in 1960 had savings of more than £200, £300, £400, and £500, respectively.
- *15. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture, whether quantities of eggs were dumped at the local tip during the month of February, 1961, by the Maryborough agent of the Victorian Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board; if so, (a) what were the quantities and on what dates; (b) what was the reason for this action; and (c) whether he will lay on the table of the Library any files relating to this matter.
- *16. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, whether certain railway stations in the Melbourne suburban network are left unattended at night; if so, (a) what stations are affected and at what time each station is left unattended; (b) what are the reasons for these stations not being staffed at night; (c) what is the annual passenger revenue of each such station; and (d) what is the daily average number of passengers—(i) inwards; and (ii) outwards.
- *17. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
1. What total amount of money Local Government bodies sought approval of the State Co-ordinator of Works, to borrow in each of the financial years 1955-56 to 1959-60, inclusive, and what amount was approved.
 2. What proportion of the money so approved was borrowed by Local Government bodies in each of those financial years.
 3. What total amount of financial assistance was given to Local Government bodies from loan monies and other sources in each of the financial years 1955-56 to 1959-60, inclusive.

*18. MR. FENNESSY : To ask the Honorable the Premier—

1. What total number of houses was built during each of the years 1957-58, 1958-59, and 1959-60, by each of the 51 registered permanent building societies.
2. Whether any permanent building societies are experiencing difficulty in obtaining finance.
3. Whether there is record of any permanent building society winding up its affairs or being involved in any "take over" by any other building society, or failing to continue building.

*19. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing how many persons evicted under court orders during the year 1960 obtained alternative accommodation provided by the Housing Commission.

*20. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—

1. How many tenants were evicted from Housing Commission units during the year 1960.
2. What were the reasons for such evictions, and how many evictions were in each particular category.
3. How many families so evicted had dependent children and what were the respective numbers with one, two, three, and four or more children.
4. Whether any of such evicted tenants have been rehoused by the Commission; if so, how many, and whether he has any knowledge as to what accommodation was obtained by the remainder of the evicted tenants.

*21. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General—

1. Whether, as promised in his (the Minister's) statements to the House on the 15th September, 1959, and 2nd November, 1960, the Government has given further consideration to the question of affording legal assistance to pensioners and other persons in necessitous circumstances; if so, what action has been taken or is proposed.
2. What is the nature of the assistance and the extent to which it is being given by the Government under the *Poor Persons Legal Assistance Act 1958*.

*22. MR. HOLLAND : To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General—

1. How many eviction orders were issued and how many applications were refused in each metropolitan court during each of the years 1958, 1959, and 1960.
2. How many applications under the *Landlord and Tenant (Fair Rents) Act 1959* were submitted to the Fair Rents Board for determination as from the 1st April, 1960.
3. With regard to such applications in how many cases the rent was increased—(a) by determination of the Board; and (b) by agreement between the parties.
4. In how many cases of increases brought about either by determination of the Board or by agreement between the parties the actual rent paid was increased by an amount—(a) up to 10s.; (b) between 10s. and 20s.; (c) between 20s. and 30s.; (d) between 30s. and 40s.; (e) between 40s. and 50s.; (f) between 50s. and 60s.; (g) between 60s. and 70s.; (h) between 70s. and 80s.; (i) between 80s. and 90s.; and (j) between 90s. and 100s.
5. In how many cases increases were refused by the Fair Rents Board.

*23. MR. FLOYD : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—

1. How many prosecutions have been launched against ships' masters or owners for polluting Victorian navigable waters since the operation of the *Navigable Waters (Oil Pollution) Act 1960*.
2. How many of these prosecutions have been successful.
3. In how many cases of bad pollution since the operation of the Act those responsible have remained undetected.
4. Whether it is intended to use money derived from fines imposed on these offenders to compensate bayside municipalities for the cost of cleaning beaches affected by oil pollution.

*24. MR. FLOYD : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—

1. Whether the Ports and Harbours Branch is to have a new dredge constructed; if so, could this dredge be built at the Williamstown Naval Dockyard.
2. Whether the Ports and Harbours Branch is contemplating a large-scale programme of dredging in the bay and the river basin; if so, whether this work will be carried out by the Melbourne Harbour Trust or by means of inviting tenders from private companies.

*25. MR. DIVERS : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—

1. What total amount has been invested, including credits, in the off-the-course totalizator since its inception.
2. What total amount of bets has been placed on the off-the-course totalizator since its inception.
3. What percentages of these amounts have been paid—(a) into consolidated revenue; and (b) to racing clubs.
4. What was the total cost of administering the off-the-course totalizator to date.

- *26. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education whether the position of Trade Instructor, Butchery, at the William Angliss Food Trades School which was advertised in the *Age* newspaper in July, 1960, was filled; if so—(a) who was the successful applicant; (b) what qualifications he possessed; and (c) whether he still is employed in that position.
- *27. MR. GIBBS: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. What is the policy of the Education Department regarding attendance at registered secondary schools in country districts.
 2. Whether any consideration is given to the available means of transport between the registered pupil's residence and the school which he is required to attend or whether the determining factor is distance only.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE (SPECIAL EXEMPTION) BILL—Second reading.
2. ROAD TRAFFIC (PARKING ON RAILWAY AND MUNICIPAL PROPERTY) BILL—Second reading.
- *3. SUPERANNUATION (RAILWAY SERVICE) BILL—Second reading.
- *4. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL—Second reading.
- *5. BREAD INDUSTRY (LEGAL PROCEEDINGS) BILL—Second reading.
- *6. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *7. FISHERIES (COMMERCIAL COUNCIL) BILL—Second reading.
- *8. TRANSPORT REGULATION (COMPENSATION) BILL—Second reading.
- *9. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (ELECTORAL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. LAND (NORTH-WEST MALLEE SETTLEMENT AREAS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *11. WORMBETE LAND BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *12. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
13. MINES (MINERALS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
14. GRAIN ELEVATORS (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
15. JURIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
16. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
17. SUPPLY—To be considered in Committee.
18. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND MARCH.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. PROSTITUTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

H. K. McLACHLAN,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD,
Speaker.

MR. SPEAKER TAKES THE CHAIR AT FOUR O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 31.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND MARCH, 1961.

Questions.

- *1. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. Whether, in view of the recent deaths of young children by suffocation through placing plastic bags over their heads, any consideration has been given to the suggestion made by him (Mr. Floyd) in this House on 1st December last, that an approach be made to the Federal Government seeking a ban on the importation of ultra-thin plastic material from which these bags are made; if not, whether the suggestion will be considered.
 2. Whether any other safety measures are being considered to prevent these accidents.
- *2. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether, in view of the continual approaches to Members of Parliament by people who for urgent reasons are seeking assistance in obtaining telephone connexions from the Postmaster-General's Department he will give an assurance that priority will not be sought for additional telephones for the Totalizator Agency Board until the backlog of private citizens' long-standing applications for telephones has been reduced substantially.
- *3. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether, in view of the provisions in the *Police Offences Act 1958* that local authorities shall cause Sunday to be duly observed by all persons within their jurisdiction, and shall not permit or suffer any house shop store or other place to be open on that day for the purpose of trade or dealing and that the publishing or distributing or selling or circulating or disposing of any newspaper or newspapers on Sunday shall be deemed to be trading or dealing within the meaning of the Act, he will consider the banning of commercial advertisements on Sundays on television and radio, especially those providing for immediate delivery of the advertised product.
- *4. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
1. What was the water storage position on 28th February last for supply to the Goulburn irrigation system and the Murray Valley Irrigation and Water Supply District compared with that on comparable dates for each of the past five years.
 2. Whether supplementary sales of water are being refused to private diverters by pump; if so, whether this refusal is likely to adversely affect production.
 3. Whether private diverters have been informed that additional water would be supplied if they surrendered their fifteen-year licences and applied for inclusion in a water district; if so, what are the respective prices of water per acre-foot under the two alternatives.
 4. What are the conditions under which licences can be revoked by the Commission.
- *5. MR. GIBBS: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour and Industry whether the provisions of the *Weights and Measures Act 1958* or the regulations thereunder prescribe that a butcher is not permitted to offer sides of lamb for sale unless the weight of the side and the price per pound are displayed.
- *6. MR. MOSS: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
1. What has been the total revenue and expenditure and the rate struck in respect of the Loch Garry Flood Protection District each year since its inception.
 2. If he will lay on the table of the Library the files relating to all arrangements and agreements entered into by the landowners concerned in this flood protection district.

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

- *7. MR. WILKES : To ask the Honorable the Premier—
1. Whether his attention has been drawn to the following statement by the Federal Treasurer, as reported in Federal *Hansard* of 15th March instant, page 215—“ As an expression of the confidence which this Government feels in the capacity of this country to absorb additions to the work force, and of its determination to advance the progress of Australia, that former figure of 115,000 migrants is increased this year to 125,000 ”.
 2. What percentage of this 125,000 intake the Government will agree to absorb into Victoria this year.
 3. What will be the increase, if any, in the migrant intake into Victoria this year.
 4. Whether he will take the necessary action to ensure that the serious unemployment situation which exists in Victoria to-day will not be further aggravated by any increase of the migrant intake into Victoria.
- *8. MR. MUTTON : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. Whether he will give consideration to the establishment of a separate pool in connexion with the operations of off-the-course totalizers apart from the pool now operating in respect of on-the-course totalizers.
 2. Whether he will give consideration to the establishment of betting agencies in each metropolitan municipality and situated approximately in the northern, southern, eastern, and western areas of those municipalities.
- *9. MR. STONEHAM : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. Whether any investigations have been made into persistent rumours of live bird trap shooting taking place in certain areas in Victoria ; if not, whether he will cause investigations to be made.
 2. What steps are taken to ensure that the provisions of the *Police Offences (Trap Shooting) Act* 1958 are observed.
- *10. MR. WILKES : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works what payments for road works were made available to municipalities—(a) in the metropolitan area ; and (b) in country areas, through the Country Roads Board in each of the financial years 1955-56 to 1959-60, inclusive.
- *11. MR. HOLLAND : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. Whether, having regard to the recent admissions by bakers that they are taking back unsold bread from shopkeepers contrary to regulation 37 of the Health Regulations, and in view of the fact that the maximum penalty for this offence is only Twenty pounds, he will give consideration to increasing the fines to conform to present day values.
 2. Whether he will examine the existing regulations with a view to strengthening them in view of the failure in the courts of several prosecutions in which the alleged offenders were defended by counsel.
- *12. MR. FENNESSY : To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether any consideration has been given to the re-establishment of the system of uniformed policemen “ on the beat ” in various suburban areas ; if not, whether the re-establishment of that system is not contemplated because of the shortage of police personnel or as a matter of departmental policy.
- *13. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*) : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government whether Taraxale Brewing Co. Pty. Ltd., or Tarax Drinks Pty. Ltd., both of 190 Union-street, Brunswick, has made any application to the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for the use of land situated in a residential area in the City of Brunswick ; if so, what was the nature of the application.
- *14. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*) : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
1. What were the names of the companies and persons which killed—(a) beef ; and (b) mutton, for export, as at 31st October, 1960.
 2. Whether any of such companies and persons have ceased to kill—(a) beef ; and (b) mutton, for export ; if so, (a) which companies and/or persons ; (b) for what reasons ; and (c) how many persons lost their employment as the result.
 3. Whether there is any evidence that small operators have been forced out of the export trade by the competition from monopolies ; if so, what is the nature of such evidence.
- *15. MR. WHEELER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
1. What total amount of money local government bodies sought approval of the State Co-ordinator or Works to borrow in each of the financial years 1952-53 to 1954-55, inclusive, and what amount was approved.
 2. What proportion of the money so approved was borrowed by local government bodies in each of those financial years.
 3. What total amount of assistance was given to local government bodies from loan monies and other sources in each of the financial years 1952-53 to 1954-55, inclusive.

- *16. SIR HERBERT HYLAND. To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply if he will lay on the table of the Library the file or files relating to the Foster water supply.
- *17. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. What additional amount was made available out of the bookmakers' turnover tax prior to the commencement of the 1960-61 racing season to assist minor country racing clubs which, except on their Cup meeting, do not normally conduct mid-week races.
 2. What amount is available out of the bookmakers' turnover tax for the present racing season to assist these minor clubs.
 3. What amounts are available this season for distribution to the Bendigo, Ballarat, and Yarra Glen racing clubs, respectively, out of the bookmakers' turnover tax and whether these amounts have been increased or decreased in recent years.
- *18. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey whether, in view of the large number of applications for land now in the hands of the Soldier Settlement Commission, the Government has arrived at any decision as to whether the Coorimungle Crown lands should be transferred to the Soldier Settlement Commission for more speedy development in order to settle some of these applicants on that land.
- *19. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Electrical Undertakings—
1. What kinds and amounts of seed are being sown per acre at the Haunted Hills and neighbouring State Electricity Commission cleared land.
 2. What kind and amount of fertilizer is being used for sowing per acre from the first drill.
 3. What kind and amount of fertilizer is being put on top of the ground by the second drill which is being pulled in tandem.
- *20. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Premier, having regard to the statement attributed to the Federal Minister of State for Primary Industry that "The report of the Dairy Committee of Enquiry has shown that on present returns there are a number of dairy farmers in unsatisfactory economic circumstances and whose position could be improved. The Government would desire that this situation be rectified and is willing to discuss with the State Governments and the industry the question of reconstruction of the industry, taking into consideration the view of the industry.", whether he (the Premier) proposes taking any action along the lines suggested.
- *21. MR. TOWERS: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the Collingwood Police Boys' Club.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. MR. BLOOMFIELD: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Clean Air Act 1958'*".

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
2. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *3. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE REPORTS TO POLICE) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
- *4. RAILWAYS (PERMANENT SERVICE) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
5. SUPERANNUATION (RAILWAY SERVICE) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (ELECTORAL) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
7. PROSTITUTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
9. LAND (NORTH-WEST MALLEE SETTLEMENT AREAS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. WORMBETE LAND BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
11. MINES (MINERALS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
12. GRAIN ELEVATORS (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
13. JURIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
14. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
15. SUPPLY—To be considered in Committee.
16. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 28TH MARCH.
Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. BREAD INDUSTRY (LEGAL PROCEEDINGS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. ROAD TRAFFIC (PARKING ON RAILWAY AND MUNICIPAL PROPERTY) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. TRANSPORT REGULATION (COMPENSATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *5. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

WEDNESDAY, 29TH MARCH.
Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

- 1 FISHERIES (COMMERCIAL COUNCIL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

H. K. McLACHLAN,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. J. F. McDONALD,
Speaker.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES—*Mr. Christie.*

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN—*Mr. Barclay, Mr. Brose, Mr. Clarey, Mr. Cochrane, Mr. Dunstan, Mr. Kane, Mr. Rafferty, Mr. Scott, Mr. Snider, Mr. Towers, and Mr. Turnbull (Brunswick West).*

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES.

DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION (JOINT)—*Mr. Brose, Mr. Galvin, Mr. Kane, Mr. Moss, Mr. Scott, and Mr. Stoneham.*

HOUSE (JOINT)—*Mr. Speaker (ex officio), Mr. Cook, Mr. Floyd, Sir Herbert Hyland, Mr. Tanner, and Mr. Turnbull (Brunswick West).*

LIBRARY (JOINT)—*Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Holden, Mr. Loxton, and Mr. Sutton.*

PRINTING—*Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd, Mr. Gainey, Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Wilkes, and Mr. Wiltshire.*

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS—*Mr. Clarey, Mr. Gibbs, Sir Albert Lind, Mr. Moss, Mr. Snider, Mr. Taylor, and Mr. Turnbull (Brunswick West).*

STANDING ORDERS—*Mr. Speaker, Mr. Gainey, Mr. Garrisson, Mr. Kane, Sir Albert Lind, Mr. Moss, and Mr. Sutton.*

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT)—*Mr. Cochrane, Mr. Cook, Mr. Holland, Mr. Manson, Mr. Sutton, and Mr. Wilcox.*

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT)—*Mr. Brose, Mr. Floyd, and Mr. Rafferty.*

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 28TH MARCH, 1961.

Questions.

1. MR. WHEELER: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 1. What total amount of money local government bodies sought approval of the State Co-ordinator of Works to borrow in each of the financial years 1952-53 to 1954-55, inclusive, and what amount was approved.
 2. What proportion of the money so approved was borrowed by local government bodies in each of those financial years.
 3. What total amount of assistance was given to local government bodies from loan monies and other sources in each of the financial years 1952-53 to 1954-55, inclusive:
- *2. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary what minimum daily off-the-course totalizator business is required in order to provide the amount necessary to meet the costs and expenses of the operations of the Totalizator Agency Board.
- *3. MR. MITCHELL: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works what total amount of "on cost charges" was made against Government departments, boards, and commissions by the Public Works Department in each of the last ten years.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works whether the Government proposes taking any action regarding broken bottles on the bayside beaches.
- *5. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing how many houses were erected by the Housing Commission last year in—(a) the metropolitan area; (b) Norlane and Doveton, respectively; and (c) other country areas.
- *6. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary what country racing clubs will participate in the distribution of the additional amount of £15,000 recently granted by the Government and what amount will be made available to each club.
- *7. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
 1. What is the estimated cost of construction of the proposed spur railway line to Beaumaris.
 2. What additional rolling stock it is estimated will be required.
 3. What is the estimated cost of such rolling stock.
- *8. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government whether the Government will give an undertaking that the reservation of land for the proposed spur railway line to Beaumaris will not be deleted from the Master Plan pending further investigation.
- *9. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
 1. What contracts for the supply of equipment for the Victorian Railways Department have been let to Martin and King Pty. Ltd., Somerton.
 2. How the cost of this equipment compares with the cost of the same items if constructed at the Newport Workshops.
- *10. MR. FLOYD: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport, whether, in view of the accepted principle that motor cars can occupy space in parklands adjacent to football grounds when sporting fixtures are taking place on those grounds, the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board will give consideration to the question of constructing branch tramway lines into such parklands near the Melbourne, Carlton, South Melbourne, and other grounds so as to cater for those patrons of sporting fixtures who use the tramway system for transport instead of using private motor cars.

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. LAND (NORTH-WEST MALLEE SETTLEMENT AREAS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. PROSTITUTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. WORMBETE LAND BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
5. JURIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
6. BREAD INDUSTRY (LEGAL PROCEEDINGS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE REPORTS TO POLICE) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. TRANSPORT REGULATION (COMPENSATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
9. ROAD TRAFFIC (PARKING ON RAILWAY AND MUNICIPAL PROPERTY) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
11. MINES (MINERALS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
12. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
13. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
14. SUPPLY—To be considered in Committee.
15. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH MARCH.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. FISHERIES (COMMERCIAL COUNCIL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
2. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *3. CLEAN AIR (SUB-COMMITTEES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *4. POLICE OFFENCES (PINBALL MACHINES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

TUESDAY, 4TH APRIL.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

H. K. McLACHLAN,
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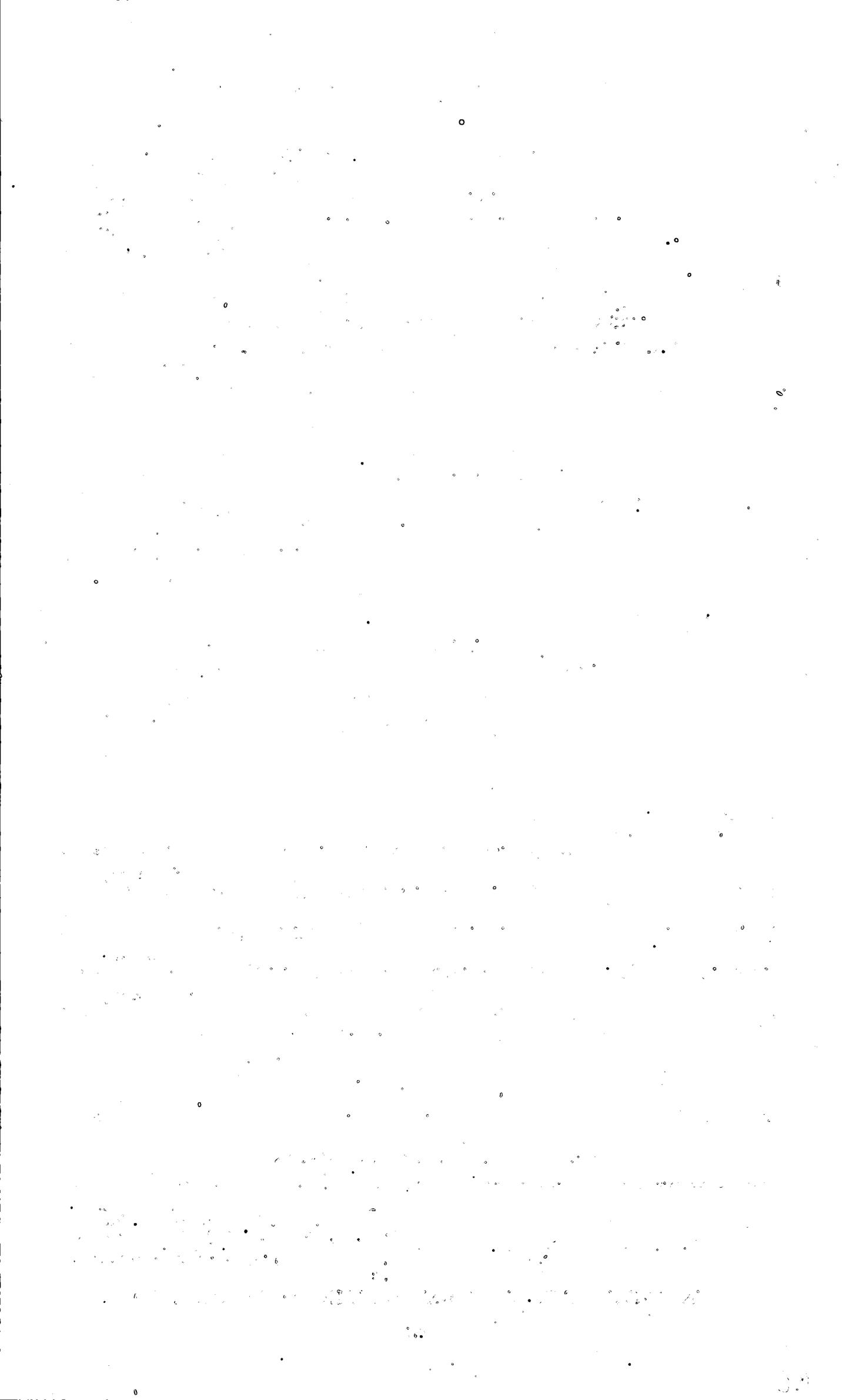
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 33.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH MARCH, 1961.

Questions.

- *1. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. What are the names of the members of the Totalizator Agency Board.
 2. What proportion of the 12 per centum deducted from investments on the off-the-course totalizator is paid to the Totalizator Agency Board and what proportion is paid to Automatic Totalizators Limited.
 3. Whether he will consider introducing an amendment to the *Racing Act* 1958 to provide that no dividend paid by the totalizator shall be less than the value of the individual unit invested.
- *2. MR. DIVERS: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
1. What amounts were paid into Consolidated Revenue during the year 1960 from the Dividends Adjustment Fund kept by all racing clubs using the totalizator.
 2. What amounts were paid into Consolidated Revenue during the year 1960 from the Totalizator Unclaimed Dividends Fund.
- *3. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
1. Whether the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works has determined the priority of the construction of—(a) the by-pass road west of the Melbourne-Coburg railway; (b) the highway along the Merri Creek; or (c) the highway along the Moonee Ponds Creek.
 2. When it is anticipated that the construction of at least one of these arterial roadways will commence.
 3. What is the estimated cost of the construction of each of such roadways, and the proposed source from which the money required will be obtained.
 4. Whether the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works is aware that—(a) premises and/or homes within the road reservation west of the said railway are depreciating in value; and (b) businesses within the reservation cannot expand if so, what action, if any, it intends to take to remedy such a position.
- *4. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
1. What was the percentage increase from 1st June, 1955, to 1st March, 1961, in freight charges on goods carried by the railways.
 2. What was the percentage increase from 1st June, 1955, to 1st March, 1961, in passenger fares on the suburban railways.
- *5. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour and Industry—
1. What is the amount of the basic wage fixed by wages boards in Victoria.
 2. How such sum is determined and whether he is aware if the basic wage of the State of New South Wales is so determined.
 3. What is the amount of the basic wage in New South Wales.
 4. Whether the price structure for goods and services in Victoria will be overhauled by the Government.

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- *6. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education, for the Honorable the Minister of Health—
1. Whether the small temporary furnace operated by Ingot Metals Limited, 430 Victoria-street, Brunswick West, admitted by him (the Minister of Health) to be a major source of air pollution is still in operation at such premises; if so, when it is anticipated that the use of this furnace is likely to be discontinued.
 2. What steps he (the Minister of Health) has caused to be taken to ensure that smoke or air impurities are not emitted from chimneys in Brunswick during night time and at week-ends.
- *7. MR. STIRLING: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
1. In the matter of security of supply of irrigation water, what is the difference, if any, in that of—(a) fifteen-year licences, both during the currency and after the period of the licence; and (b) water rights.
 2. Whether the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission has undertaken during the last two years any further commitments for irrigation water by diversion from the Murray River and its tributaries by way of—(a) annual permits; (b) fifteen-year licences; and (c) new water rights; if so, what is the annual acre-footage allotted in each case.
- *8. MR. WILKES: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary—
1. Whether he is aware of the antiquated condition of the police station at Northcote and the inadequacy of the court house accommodation.
 2. Whether the Government intends to build a new police station and court house at Northcote, or remodel and renovate the present building; if so, when.
- *9. MR. DUNSTAN: To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development whether the Tourist Development Authority has provided funds for reconstruction of the foreshore road at Point Leo; if so—(a) what was the amount; (b) when the funds were made available; and (c) whether the work has been carried out, if not, why.
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1. What is the present authorized strength and the present actual strength of the Victoria Police Force.
 2. Whether the Government recently opposed a claim by the Police Association for increased salaries; if so, what were the grounds for opposition.
 3. Whether the Government refrained from calling the Chief Commissioner of Police to give evidence on its behalf; if so, for what reason.
- *11. MR. BROSE: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey how many—(a) temporary; and (b) permanent, Crown reservations for recreational purposes are in existence in Victoria.
- *12. MR. COCHRANE: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
1. Whether the Housing Commission has formulated any plans for the construction of housing units in the Pakenham area; if so, what is the nature of the plans.
 2. Whether the Commission has purchased or acquired any land in the Pakenham area; if so, what is the total area of such land.
- *13. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Electrical Undertakings—
1. Whether, in addition to the small amount of lime used in the "lime coating" of the clover and lucerne seed recently, or currently, being sown by the State Electricity Commission at the Haunted Hills and neighbouring State Electricity Commission cleared land, any other quantities of lime were used prior to, or concurrently with, or subsequent to, the sowing of the seed; if not, whether it is intended, at an early date, to add lime to the extremely acid soils involved.
 2. Whether any steps were taken to inoculate the clover and/or lucerne seed prior to, or at, sowing time; if so, what was the source of the inoculation used.
- *14. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works when a new State Public Offices telephone directory will be available to replace the present one which was issued in 1957.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

- *1. JANET CLARKE HALL BILL—Second reading.
- *2. GAME (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
- *3. MILK PASTEURIZATION (LICENCES) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
- *4. HEALTH (PROPRIETARY MEDICINES) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.

5. CLEAN AIR (SUB-COMMITTEES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. BREAD INDUSTRY (LEGAL PROCEEDINGS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. TRANSPORT REGULATION (COMPENSATION) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
9. FISHERIES (COMMERCIAL COUNCIL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *10. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
11. PROSTITUTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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15. JURIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
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19. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
20. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
21. SUPPLY—To be considered in Committee.
22. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
4. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (ANNUAL HOLIDAYS) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 4TH APRIL.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. CO-OPERATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *2. RIPON PEACE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL TRUST BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- *3. HEIDELBERG AND TOOLAMBA LANDS EXCHANGE BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 34.

WEDNESDAY, 5TH APRIL, 1961.

Questions.

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- *3. **MR. GALVIN** : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
 1. What is the total capital value of the land, buildings, plant, and rolling stock owned by the Victorian railways.
 2. What has been the increase in valuation of assets in the past five years.
 3. What has been the increase in railways capital investment in the greater Melbourne area during the past five years.
 4. What total amount of interest is debited against all railway capital assets.

- *4. **MR. MUTTON** : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 1. What is the reason for the present shortage of potatoes.
 2. What was the total production of potatoes in Victoria in each of the years 1957 to 1960, inclusive.
 3. What is the present wholesale price of potatoes per ton, and what is the retail price per pound.

- *5. **MR. MUTTON** : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests, for the Honorable the Minister of Transport—
 1. What is the estimated cost of installing mechanically-controlled gates at the Bakers-road, Short-road, and Boundary-road, railway crossings on the Coburg-Fawkner line.
 2. What is the estimated cost of the provision of a subway at the Bell-street railway crossing at Coburg.

- *6. **SIR HERBERT HYLAND** : To ask the Honorable the Premier whether he will take the initiative and inform the Federal Government that the Victorian Government is ready and willing to take part in and to co-operate in any discussions with the Commonwealth Government and the dairying industry on the question of the reconstruction of the dairying industry as envisaged by the Federal Minister of State for Primary Industry.

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- *7. SIR HERBERT HYLAND : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works what "on cost charges" were made against work carried out by the Public Works Department for—(a) the Education Department, and (b) the Hospitals and Charities Commission, in each of the last two financial years and what are the estimated amounts for the present financial year.
- *8. MR. CRICK : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education whether, arising out of his (the Minister's) inspection of the conditions of class-room and other accommodation at the Sunshine Technical School, the subsequent reports of the department inspectors, and the associated requests of the Principal and Secretary of the School Council as made in writing through departmental channels, any actions are contemplated to bring this school up to present-day building requirements; if so, when it is anticipated that any consequent building works will be undertaken.
- *9. MR. CLAREY : To ask the Honorable the Treasurer—
1. What is the name and address of each co-operative housing society to which advances were made during the year 1959-60 from housing loan funds under the Commonwealth and States Housing Agreement, and what is the name of the Secretary of each society.
 2. What amount was advanced to each of these societies during the year 1959-60.
 3. What further amount is being advanced to each of these societies during the year 1960-61.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. JANET CLARKE HALL BILL—Second reading.
2. GAME (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
3. MILK PASTEURIZATION (LICENCES) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading.
4. HEALTH (PROPRIETARY MEDICINES) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading.
- *5. EVIDENCE (CHILDREN) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading.
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16. BUILDING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(No. 2) Second reading.
17. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
18. POLICE OFFENCES (PINBALL MACHINES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
19. JURIES (AMENDMENT) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
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25. SUPPLY—To be considered in Committee.
26. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(*Mr. Stoneham*)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 35.

THURSDAY, 6TH APRIL, 1961.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. SUPPLY—To be considered in Committee.
2. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. FISHERIES (COMMERCIAL COUNCIL) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
4. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
5. ROAD TRAFFIC (PARKING ON RAILWAY AND MUNICIPAL PROPERTY) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
6. MINES (MINERALS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
7. PROSTITUTION BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
8. POLICE OFFENCES (PINBALL MACHINES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
9. HEALTH (PROPRIETARY MEDICINES) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE REPORTS TO POLICE) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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12. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
13. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
14. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

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5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 11TH APRIL.

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Government Business.

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1. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
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3. MINES (MINERALS) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
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14. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
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General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
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5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.

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- *1. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, for the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture, whether Mr. T. J. Carmody, formerly Chairman and Manager of the Onion Marketing Board, has been paid the sum of £3,500 which was placed by the Board with the Perpetual Executors and Trustees Association of Australia Limited for payment to Mr. Carmody on his retirement; if not, what is the reason for the delay in making the payment.
- *2. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
1. What progress has been made by the Gas and Fuel Corporation in the manufacture of metallurgical coke from briquettes.
 2. What are the future prospects of this industry and whether any assistance can be given by the Government to assist in its development.
- *3. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing what total rates were paid last year by the Housing Commission to—(a) the borough of Moe; (b) the shire of Morwell; and (c) the shire of Traralgon, on account of houses owned by the Commission in those municipalities.
- *4. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education what amount was paid in salaries during the year ended 31st December, 1959, to teachers employed by the Education Department in—(a) primary schools; and (b) all other schools.
- *5. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether the State Chief Electoral Officer informed the Government that it would be impossible to hold a dual election on 24th June, 1961; if so, whether he will lay the correspondence on the table of the Library.
- *6. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
1. What are the conditions of eligibility for housing loans provided by the State Savings Bank.
 2. When the current conditions were adopted.
 3. What amount is allocated by the Bank for housing loans this financial year.
 4. What amount it is anticipated will be available next financial year.
- *7. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary whether plans have been finalized for the establishment of a modern youth training centre at Malmsbury; if so, when it is anticipated that tenders will be invited for the construction of buildings, &c.
- *8. MR. STONEHAM: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. How many permanent and temporary secondary school teachers, respectively, were employed in the Education Department at the commencement of the 1961 school year.
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 3. What is the existing teacher-pupil ratio in secondary schools.
 4. What is the approximate gross number of additional teachers in 1962 required to provide a net increase of teachers to retain the existing teacher-pupil ratio.
- *9. MR. MUTTON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Education—
1. Whether there is any restriction on the employment of married women as teachers; if so, whether any change is contemplated in policy in this matter.
 2. Whether the Department permits transfers from the primary teachers' roll to the secondary teachers' roll; if so, how many transfers have been authorized in each of the last two years.

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- *10. **MR. CLAREY** : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Housing—
1. How many notices to quit were served on Housing Commission tenants during the year 1960.
 2. How many eviction orders were granted by courts of petty sessions against Housing Commission tenants during the year 1960 in—(a) the metropolitan area ; and (b) country districts.
 3. How many tenants vacated Housing Commission units in 1960 owing rent arrears of more than £10.
 4. How many families with four or more children—(a) were granted tenancies ; and (b) purchased Housing Commission houses or flats, during the year 1960.
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- *11. **MR. CRICK** : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
1. What are the latest developments in connexion with the proposed vehicular crossing of the lower Yarra River at Spotswood.
 2. Whether such proposed crossing is to be by way of a tunnel, as recommended in reports of the Public Works Committee, or by way of a high-level bridge.
 3. By what means the project will be financed.
- *12. **MR. TURNBULL (Brunswick West)** : To ask the Honorable the Premier whether it is the intention of the Government to permit the erection of a hotel and/or motel on Crown land at or near Pillar Point, Wilson's Promontory ; if so—(a) what person or organization will be given the permit ; (b) what area of Crown land is involved ; and (c) whether the buildings will dominate the landscape and deprive it of its natural beauty and environment.
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1. Whether any letter was received by the Labour and Industry Department from S. Themistocleas of 90 Union-street, Brunswick, concerning a factory situate at 86 Union-street, Brunswick ; if so, what was the date of the letter, the nature of its contents and the nature of the reply made to it.
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 2. Whether the Lands Department asked the Victorian Secretary of the Australian Workers' Union to provide labour for such vacancies ; if so, when and what was the manner in which the union was approached.
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2. POLICE OFFENCES (PINBALL MACHINES) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
3. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
- *4. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (ELECTORAL) BILL—AMENDMENTS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—To be considered.
- *5. TRANSPORT REGULATION (TERM OF OFFICE) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading.
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9. EVIDENCE (CHILDREN) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
10. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
11. EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading.
12. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. STOCK EXCHANGES (REGISTRATION) BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
2. DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRIES BILL—(Mr. Stoneham)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (COST OF LIVING) BILL—(Mr. Lovegrove)—Second reading.
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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

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THURSDAY, 13TH APRIL, 1961.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. SUPPLY—To be further considered in Committee.
2. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (ELECTORAL) BILL—AMENDMENTS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—To be considered.
3. TRANSPORT REGULATION (TERM OF OFFICE) BILL—(*from Council*)—Second reading.
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5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE) BILL—(*Mr. Lovegrove*)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 18TH APRIL.

Questions.

- *1. MR. TURNBULL (*Brunswick West*): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests—
1. Whether the Forests Commission has any vacancies for labour for work performed under the terms of the Federal Construction Award; if so, what are the nature and number of such vacancies, and the location of the work.
 2. Whether the Forests Commission asked the Victorian Secretary of the Australian Workers' Union to provide labour for such vacancies; if so, when and what was the manner in which the union was approached.
 3. Whether the Department has any funds which cannot be expended because of shortage of labour; if so, what is the extent of such funds.
- *2. SIR HERBERT HYLAND: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works what portion of the metropolitan area the Country Roads Board recognises as the "Metropolitan Planning Area."

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 1. What progress has been made in the standardization of the railway line from Melbourne to Albury.
 2. When it is anticipated the work will be completed and the line opened to traffic.

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