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No. 1.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH APRIL, 1932.

1. The Council met pursuant to the Proclamation of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, bearing date the seventeenth day of March, 1932, which Proclamation was read by the Clerk and is as follows :—

FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE FOURTH SESSION OF THE THIRTIETH PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS The Parliament of Victoria stands prorogued until Wednesday, the sixth day of April, 1932, and it is expedient to fix the time for holding the next Session thereof: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation fix Wednesday, the sixth day of April, 1932, aforesaid, as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the said Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business, at the hour of half-past Two o'clock in the afternoon, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne: And the Honorable the Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this seventeenth day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, and in the twenty-second year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

W. H. IRVINE.

By His Excellency's Command,

T. TUNNECLIFFE.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

2. APPROACH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The approach of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor was announced by the Usher.

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

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

I have summoned you to meet for the consideration of important public business, and to avail myself of your assistance regarding matters that will be submitted by my Advisers for your attention.

Australia has been, and still is, confronted with serious economic and financial difficulties, but it is hoped that the difficulties will be overcome and that improved conditions will soon prevail.

The season has opened favorably, good rains having fallen in the early autumn. Ample supplies of natural feed for stock are assured during the winter months.

Despite the continuance of low world prices for our primary products, the quantities exported have been maintained at a high level.

Victoria's oversea trade returns for the first eight months of the current financial year show that, after converting to Australian currency the recorded values of imports, there was, for the period, an estimated favorable trade balance of £4,500,000.

Substantial savings have resulted from the enactment of the Financial Emergency and Debt Conversion Agreement Acts, whilst other economies have brought about a considerable reduction in Government expenditure.

Notwithstanding these large reductions, the State is still faced with the fact that its revenue will not equal the expenditure this year.

But, although a deficit is inevitable, it is estimated that it will be within the revised deficit allowed to Victoria under the Premiers' Plan.

The problem of unemployment has continued to cause my Advisers grave concern.

Of the net amount of £3,071,200 estimated to be available under the Unemployment Relief Acts to the end of the current financial year for the relief of unemployment, a sum of £2,600,314 has been actually expended, of which £1,196,511 have been devoted to relief works.

A sum of £20,500 has been expended on the settlement of 160 families of unemployed persons on the land, and the new settlers are, in the circumstances, making satisfactory progress.

Since the establishment of the Country Roads Board in 1913, loan funds totalling £10,752,000 have been expended on the construction of main roads (including State highways) and developmental roads. In addition, a sum of £8,468,000 has been expended on the maintenance of main roads and State highways. Moreover, until the year 1929-30, interest and sinking fund payments, to the extent of £1,900,000, on loan moneys raised on behalf of the Board were provided by the general taxpayers.

Since the ratification of the Federal Aid Roads Agreement an amount of £1,505,000 has been expended in this State under that Agreement, and a large number of works are now in hand.

Operations for the regeneration of our eucalypt forests and other necessary silvicultural works have been carried out, the greatest acreage in the history of the Forests Commission having been dealt with.

The state of the timber trade in Victoria demanding the development of markets overseas, large quantities of seasoned hardwood were shipped recently to Great Britain. The results are encouraging.

An area of 28,000 acres is now planted with various species of softwoods.

Despite the measures taken for the prevention of bush fires, considerable losses, including loss of life, were sustained during February in the Upper Yarra, Buln Buln, and Narracan Shires. The Government co-operated with the Lord Mayor's Bush Fires Relief Committee in relieving distress, and contributed a sum of £1,000 in response to the appeal launched by the Right Honorable the Lord Mayor.

Victoria has now a better regulated water supply than any other country of its size, there being 12,000 miles of channels supplying domestic and stock water for over one-fourth of the State, while 1,600,000 acres are commanded by gravitation with water for irrigation.

Under the Bellarine Peninsula Scheme it is expected that water will be available for the Leopold District in July, and for Queenscliff and Point Lonsdale in December next.

An extension of the Mornington Peninsula Scheme to provide a supply of water for Dromana, Sorrento, and other towns is being examined.

A comprehensive scheme of water supply from the Otway Ranges to Camperdown, Terang, Warrnambool, and other places in the Western District is being further investigated.

The first of the new 25,000 kilowatt turbo-generator sets to be installed in the generating station at Yallourn will be ready for service this month, and will provide an essential reserve of generating plant.

Pending the erection of additional accommodation for the Queen's Memorial Infectious Diseases Hospital at Fairfield, an emergency hospital will be established.

The infant mortality rate has been steadily falling since the introduction of infant welfare activities, and was last year the lowest on record.

Anti-tuberculosis work has been maintained, and a new clinic has been opened at Geelong. Steps have also been taken to open the Mont Park Sanatorium. The death rate from tuberculosis has substantially decreased.

The institution for the care, treatment, and education of mentally defective children will be ready for opening this month.

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

The question of further supply for essential services will require your early consideration. The Estimates of revenue and expenditure for the current financial year will again be submitted to you.

Supplementary Estimates of expenditure for that year will be placed before you in due course, also Estimates of revenue and expenditure for the year 1932-33.

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

Strenuous efforts have been made to relieve the unemployment position, but my Ministers feel that additional financial provision must be made to enable the situation to be met adequately during the ensuing financial year.

The Government has, owing to the limited funds available, been unable to put in hand a programme of works which would provide a fair measure of relief work to all unemployed workers.

My Advisers, with the aid of a body of representative citizens whose services have been willingly given, have formulated a scheme having as its object the provision of relief work on a part-time basis for unemployed persons, pending their re-absorption in industry.

In addition to the necessary measure for the imposition of the unemployment relief taxes for the coming year, proposals for the raising within Victoria of a loan of £2,000,000 repayable in annual instalments over a period of ten years, for use during the ensuing financial year, will be submitted, the amount to be expended on works of a reproductive or permanent nature.

The continuance of unemployment has compelled the Government to consider the question of extending the period for the operation of Part I. of the *Unemployed Occupiers and Farmers Relief Act 1931*. Amendments with that object and also to safeguard unemployed tenants from eviction and to facilitate the administration of Part II. of that Act will be brought forward.

Consideration is being given by my Advisers to the recommendations of the Transport Conference, which met as a result of the decisions arrived at by the last meeting of Commonwealth and State Ministers.

A Bill providing for a Ministry of Transport will be laid before you.

A conference has been convened for the purpose of considering the position of soldier settlement, and amendments of the Closer Settlement Acts to deal with the problem will be placed before you.

Realizing the importance of the development of our oil resources, the Government proposes to assist in the conduct of boring operations and in research work.

Steps are being taken to extend research work in regard to wheat production. A laboratory for scientific work in connexion with the problems of wheat growing is being provided at the Central Research Farm at Werribee, and a station is being established in the Mallee with the object of investigating matters peculiar to that portion of the wheat belt.

It is confidently anticipated that the research work which is being carried out by the Department of Agriculture, on behalf of the Pasture Improvement League, will result in a substantial increase in primary production, particularly in the dairying districts.

A Marketing Bill, which will provide machinery for the organized marketing of primary products, will again be introduced.

A Bill to provide for the regulation of the metropolitan milk supply and the appointment of a Board, consisting of representatives of the producers, retailers, and consumers, will be submitted.

Measures to amend the Seeds, Stock Foods, Bees, and Farm Produce Agents Acts will be placed before you.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Factories and Shops will be introduced.

Legislation dealing with the removal of the Newmarket Saleyards to the Laverton-Derrimut site is being prepared.

A Bill providing for the establishment of a Public Service Classification and Efficiency Board will be brought forward.

A comprehensive alteration of the law in regard to weights and measures will be submitted for your consideration.

To bring the law relating to the censorship of films in Victoria more into line with that of other States, Part II. of the *Theatres Act 1928* will, it is proposed, be amended.

A Bill to regulate the supply of gas will be placed before you.

In addition to other measures, Bills dealing with the following matters will be submitted to you:—

- Ministry of Health,
- Health Acts Amendment,
- Quality of Goods,
- Land Act Amendment,
- Public Entertainments,
- Hawthorn Bridge,
- Town Planning,
- Masseurs,
- Nurses,
- Legal Profession Practice,
- Merchandise Marks, with respect to Goods of Australian Origin,
- Control of Firearms, and
- Motor-car (Third Party Insurance).

I now leave you to the discharge of your duties, and trust that your labours may, under the blessing of Divine Providence, advance the welfare of the State and promote the prosperity and happiness of the people.

Which being concluded, a copy of the Speech was delivered to the President, and a copy to Mr. Speaker, and His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor left the Chamber.

The Legislative Assembly then withdrew.

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

4. **DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS.**—The Honorables the President (Sir Frank Clarke), W. Angliss, E. G. Bath, A. E. Chandler, W. L. R. Clarke, Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, H. A. Currie, G. M. Davis, J. H. Disney, C. H. A. Eager, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, G. V. Lansell, G. S. McArthur, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, H. H. Olney, A. J. Pittard, H. F. Richardson, M. Saltau, H. H. Smith, G. J. Tuckett, W. Tyner, R. Williams, W. J. Williamson, and A. M. Zwar severally delivered to the Clerk the Declaration required by the fifty-fifth section of the Act No. 3660, as hereunder set forth:—

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, FRANCIS GRENVILLE CLARKE, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of St. Kilda and are known as Nos. 97 and 99 Mitford-street, Elwood, being allotment 27, section 3, at Elwood.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of St. Kilda are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £174.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“FRANK CLARKE.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, WILLIAM CHARLES ANGLISS, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne, and are known as part of allotment 6, section 24, city of Melbourne, parish of North Melbourne, county of Bourke, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, volume 3701, folio 740157.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £440.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“W. ANGLISS.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, EDWIN GEORGE BATH, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Kara Kara and are known as ‘Pleasant-side’ Estate.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Kara Kara are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £1,083.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“EDWIN G. BATH.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, ALFRED ELLIOTT CHANDLER, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Ferntree Gully, and are known as ‘Boronia,’ corner of Boronia and Forest roads, Boronia, being portion of Crown lot 69, parish of Scoresby.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Ferntree Gully are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £227.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“A. E. CHANDLER.”

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, WILLIAM LIONEL RUSSELL CLARKE*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Bulla and Melbourne, and are known as Rupertswood Farm, being Crown allotment 2 and parts of Crown allotment 1 of section 21 of the parish of Bulla Bulla, and part of W. J. T. Clarke's special survey in the same Parish, Nos. 233 and 234 in the rate-book, and as 249-251 Domain-road, South Yarra, being part of Crown allotment 21 at South Yarra, Parish of South Melbourne, No. 1198 in the rate-book.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Bulla are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £344, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £400.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"W. L. RUSSELL CLARKE."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HAROLD EDWARD COHEN*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment, and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Caulfield and St. Kilda, and are known as 22 and 24 Empress-road, Caulfield, being all the land comprised in Certificate of Title, volume 3833, folio 766504, and as 56 and 58 Nightingale-street, St. Kilda, being all the lands comprised in Certificates of Title, volume 4329, folio 865783, and volume 4778, folio 955542.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £80, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of St. Kilda are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £87.

And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"HAROLD COHEN."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HENRY ISAAC COHEN*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Melbourne and Northcote, and are known as 'Keonbrook,' 196 Vale-street, East Melbourne, and lots 11 and 12, part A, of Thornbury Park Estate.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £225, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Northcote are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £39.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"HENRY I. COHEN."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HENRY ALAN CURRIE*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Lexton, and are known as 'Ercildoune Estate.'

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Lexton are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £3,116.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"H. ALAN CURRIE."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, GEORGE MARTLEY DAVIS, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Sale, and are known as Mathieson and Davis' offices, saleyards, motor garage, and tobacconist shop; and 37 acres and 26 perches known as Sale Plains paddock and Canal paddock all in the town of Sale.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Sale are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £229.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"G. M. DAVIS."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, JAMES HERBERT DISNEY, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of South Melbourne, and are known as 'Clontarf Terrace,' Cecil-street, South Melbourne.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of South Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £167.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"J. H. DISNEY."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, CLIFDEN HENRY ANDREWS EAGER, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Kew, and are known as No. 26 Barrington-avenue, Kew.

"And I further declare that the said lands or tenements situate in the municipal district of Kew are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £52.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"C. H. A. EAGER."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, WILLIAM HASLAM EDGAR, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Camberwell, and are known as "Bingley," 617 Burke-road, Camberwell.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Camberwell are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £120.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"W. H. EDGAR."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, GEORGE LOUIS GOUDIE, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield, and are known as 49 Elizabeth-street, Elsternwick.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £83.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"GEO. L. GOUDIE."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, JOHN RICHARDS HARRIS, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Rutherglen, and are known as 'Thrana' vineyard, and land, parishes of Norong and Carlyle.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Rutherglen are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £230.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"JOHN R. HARRIS."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, JOHN PERCY JONES, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne, and are known as 16 to 22, 24, and 26 Patrick-street, Melbourne.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £350.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"J. P. JONES."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, HERBERT KECK, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Strathfieldsaye, and are known as 'The Palms,' Retreat-road, Bendigo.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Strathfieldsaye are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £240.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"HERBERT KECK."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, ESMOND LAWRENCE KIERNAN, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Heidelberg, and are known as house and land in Waldemar-road, Ivanhoe.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Heidelberg are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £96.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"ESMOND L. KIERNAN."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, RICHARD KILPATRICK, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Shepparton, and are known as—(i) Lots Nos. 9, 10, and 11 on plan of subdivision and part of Crown allotments 5A, 5B, 6B, parish of Shepparton, county of Moira, more particularly described in certificate of title, volume 3106, folio 621176; (ii) land and offices, Wyndham-street, Shepparton, in which the business of Kilpatrick, McLellan and Co. is carried on, being part of Crown allotments 1 and 1A, section E, township and parish of Shepparton, county of Moira, and being the land more particularly described in certificate of title, volume 982, folio 196309.

" And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Shepparton are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £119.

" And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

" R. KILPATRICK."

" In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, GEORGE VICTOR LANSELL, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Bendigo, and are known as (i) 'Denderah,' View Hill, Bendigo, and (ii) 'Royal Bank,' View Point, Bendigo.

" And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Bendigo are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £700.

" And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

" GEO. V. LANSELL."

" In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, GORDON STEWART McARTHUR do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Hampden, and are known as 'Meningoort,' Camperdown.

" And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Hampden, are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £1,260.

" And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

" G. S. McARTHUR."

" In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, MARTIN MCGREGOR, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Narracan, and are known as allotment 97A, parish of Moe, county of Buln Buln.

" And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Narracan are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £175.

" And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

" M. MCGREGOR."

" In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, DANIEL LAURENCE McNAMARA, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Berwick and Caulfield, and are known as allotment 2, section P, and allotment 49A, section Q, parish of Koo-wee-rup East, county of Mornington; also house and land known as 'Iona,' Talbot-avenue, East St. Kilda.

" And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Berwick are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £52, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £58.

" And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

" D. L. McNAMARA."

" In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, HERBERT HORACE OLNEY, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Heidelberg and are known as (i) 'Yantaringa,' 47 Locksley-road, Ivanhoe, occupied by myself; and (ii) 'Tarrangower Flats,' corner of Ivanhoe-parade and Westley-avenue, Ivanhoe.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Heidelberg are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £325.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ H. H. OLNEY.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, ALFRED JAMES PITTARD*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Ballarat and are known as 317 Sturt-street, Ballarat.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Ballarat are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £180.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ ALF. J. PITTARD.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HORACE FRANK RICHARDSON*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Geelong, and are known as ‘The Exchange,’ Little Malop-street, Geelong.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Geelong are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £350.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ H. F. RICHARDSON.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, MARCUS SALTAU*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Prahran, and are known as part of Crown portion 18, Parish of Prahran, County of Bourke, and more particularly described in certificate of title, volume 4940, folio 987927.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Prahran are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £250.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ M. SALTAU.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HERBERT HENRY SMITH*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Prahran and are known as ‘Narwee,’ 270 Domain-road, South Yarra.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Prahran are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £320.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ HERBERT H. SMITH.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, GEORGE JOSEPH TUCKETT*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Numurkah, and are known as allotments 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and part of allotment 11 of section D, parish of Yalca.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Numurkah are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £460.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“GEO. J. TUCKETT.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, WILLIAM TYNER, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Caulfield and Prahran, and are known as No. 70 Hawthorn-road, Caulfield, and Nos. 14 and 15 Spring-street, Prahran..

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £95, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Prahran are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon the yearly value of £64.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“WILLIAM TYNER.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, ROBERT WILLIAMS, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of South Melbourne, and are known as 123 Wright-street, Middle Park.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of South Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £75.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“R. WILLIAMS.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, WILLIAM JOHN WILLIAMSON, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Shire of Portland and Borough of Portland, and are known as allotments in the Parishes of Bolwarra and Gorae, and also properties in Barkley-street, Nelson-street, and Glenelg-street, Portland.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Shire of Portland are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £37, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Borough of Portland are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £18.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“W. J. WILLIAMSON.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, ALBERT MICHAEL ZWAR, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Beechworth, and are known as house and land in Church-street, and land in Malakoff-road, Beechworth.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Beechworth are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £91.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ALBERT M. ZWAR.”

5. RETURN TO WRIT.—The President announced that on the 23rd February last he had issued a Writ for the election of a member to serve for the North-Western Province in the place of the Honorable William John McCann, resigned, and that such Writ had been returned to him and by the indorsement thereon it appeared that Henry Pye had been elected in pursuance thereof.

6. SWEARING-IN OF NEW MEMBER.—The Honorable Henry Pye, having approached the Table, took and subscribed the Oath required by law, and delivered to the Clerk the Declaration required by the fifty-fifth section of the Act No. 3660, as hereunder set forth :—

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HENRY PYE, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Shire of Swan Hill, and are known as house and shops in Campbell-street, Swan Hill, numbered 1502, 1503, 1504, and 1508 in the rate-book.*

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Shire of Swan Hill, are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £373.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“HENRY PYE.”

7. JUDGMENTS (RECIPROCITY) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, a Bill to amend Division Twelve of Part VIII. of the *Supreme Court Act 1928* was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday, the 19th instant.

8. TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.—The President laid upon the Table the following Warrant nominating the Temporary Chairmen of Committees :—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—VICTORIA.

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

- The Honorable William Charles Angliss,
The Honorable William Lionel Russell Clarke,
The Honorable James Herbert Disney, and
The Honorable George Louis Goudie

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

Given under my hand this sixth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

FRANK CLARKE,

President of the Legislative Council.

9. COMMITTEE OF ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—The President laid upon the Table the following Warrant appointing the Committee of Elections and Qualifications :—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—VICTORIA.

Pursuant to the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928* I do hereby appoint—

- The Honorable Henry Isaac Cohen,
The Honorable Clifden Henry Andrews Eager,
The Honorable George Louis Goudie,
The Honorable Dr. John Richards Harris,
The Honorable John Percy Jones,
The Honorable Daniel Laurence McNamara, and
The Honorable Horace Frank Richardson

to be members of a Committee to be called “The Committee of Elections and Qualifications.”

Given under my hand this sixth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

FRANK CLARKE,

President of the Legislative Council.

10. PAPERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—

Indeterminate Sentences Board—Report for the year 1930-31.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Apprenticeship Acts—Apprenticeship Commission of Victoria—Regulations—

- Amendment of Painting Decorating and Signwriting Regulations (No. 2).
General Regulations (No. 4).

Proclamations proclaiming certain Trades to be Apprenticeship Trades.

Companies Act 1928—Return by the Prothonotary of Business of the Supreme Court in connexion with the winding-up of Companies.

Crimes Act 1928—Indeterminate Sentences Regulations 1931.

Fisheries Acts—Notices of Intention to issue Proclamations—

Respecting Restrictions on Fishing Nets and Boats in the Genoa and Wallaguraugh Rivers at Mallacoota.

To prohibit—

All Fishing in, or the Taking of Fish from, the Watchbox Creek and its tributaries.
Boats with long lines on board in Port Phillip Bay (including Corio and Hobson's Bays), &c.

Boats with nets on board, &c., on certain waters.

Netting in Curdie's Inlet and certain waters at the mouth thereof at Peterborough.

To vary the proclamation defining the mouth of Dawhls River, &c.

Justices Act 1928, Acts Interpretation Act 1928, and Landlord and Tenant (Rent Reduction) Act 1931—Applications to a Court of Petty Sessions under Part I. of the Landlord and Tenant (Rent Reduction) Act 1931—Rule.

Medical Act 1928 (Part II.)—Dental Board of Victoria—

Regulation.

Regulations repealed, regulations made.

Mines Act 1928—List of Suspensions of the Labour Covenants of Mining Leases and Licences granted during the year 1931.

Motor Car Acts—Motor Car Regulations 1931.

Public Service Act 1928—Regulations—

Classification of General Division, Chapter VII.—Department of Treasurer.

Professional Division, Chapter II.—Department of Chief Secretary.

Railways—

Awards Nos. 30 and 31 made by the Railways Classification Board and Orders dated 9th February, 1932, relating to certain matters arising out of Award No. 8.

Forty-third General Report of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Railways.

Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 31st December, 1931.

Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages Act 1928—Office Fees—Additional Regulation.

Unemployed Occupiers and Farmers Relief Act 1931—Amendment of Regulations.

Unemployment Relief Amendment Act 1931—Part IV.—Collections for Unemployment—Regulations.

11. SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The President reported the Speech of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.

The Honorable J. H. Disney moved, That the Council agree to the following Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY—

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

Debate ensued.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, the 19th instant.

12. LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—The Honorable A. J. Pittard moved, by leave, That leave of absence for one month be granted to the Honorable Frederick William Brawn on account of urgent private business.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

13. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Council at its rising adjourn until Tuesday, the 19th instant, at half-past Four o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at forty-three minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 19th instant.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1932.

Questions.

1. The Hon. W. H. EDGAR : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) How many tours of inspection by Railways Commissioners were made during the year 1930-31.
 - (b) What was the cost of these tours, stating separately—
 - (i) train running costs ;
 - (ii) cost of provisioning the trains ;
 - (iii) salaries and wages of officers and employees ;
 - (iv) overtime, travelling, and other allowances paid to officers and employees ;
 - (v) travelling and other allowances paid to persons other than officers and employees, specifying to whom paid and amount paid to each ; and
 - (vi) any other items of expenditure.
 - (c) How many officers and employees (specifying the class of work performed by each) and how many other persons accompanied the Commissioners on these tours.
2. The Hon. A. E. CHANDLER : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Has the Government instructed the Country Roads Board to hold in reserve a certain sum of money ; if so, what is the amount thereof, and for what purpose does the Government propose to use it.
3. The Hon. W. TYNER : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) What was the cost of the land acquired by the Government for business and residential sites at Wonthaggi, in connexion with the State Coal Mine.
 - (b) What amount has been received from the sale or lease of (i) business sites, and (ii) residential sites.
 - (c) What is the area and value of such land remaining unsold.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

1. The Hon. D. L. McNAMARA : To move, that he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Health Acts.
2. The Hon. D. L. McNAMARA : To move, that he have leave to bring in a Bill relating to the Department of Health and for other purposes.
3. The Hon. D. L. McNAMARA : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Masseurs Act* 1928.
4. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in each week be the days on which the Council shall meet for the despatch of business during the present Session, and that half-past Four o'clock be the hour of meeting on each day ; that on Tuesday and Thursday in each week the transaction of Government business shall take precedence of all other business ; and that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business ; and that no new business, except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper, be taken after the hour of Eleven o'clock.
5. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That the Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Col. Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson be members of the Select Committee on the Standing Orders of the House ; three to be the quorum.
6. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That the Honorables W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar be members of the House Committee.
7. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That the Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner be members of the Joint Committee to manage the Library.

8. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That the Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett be members of the Printing Committee ; three to be the quorum.
9. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That, in compliance with the recommendation of the Joint Select Committee on the Consolidation of the Laws, adopted by this House on the 22nd June, 1915, a Committee be appointed, consisting of six members, to join with a Committee of the Legislative Assembly, to deal with anomalies in the law and make recommendations as to statutory amendments, such Committee to consist of the Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson, with power to send for persons, papers, and records ; five to be the quorum.

Contingent on the foregoing being carried—

To move, That a Message be sent to the Legislative Assembly acquainting them with the foregoing resolution.

10. The Hon. D. L. McNAMARA : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to make provision with respect to the Training Qualifications and Registration of Nurses for Sick Children and to amend the *Nurses Act 1928* and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—
Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
2. JUDGMENTS (RECIPROCITY) BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

1. The Hon. W. TYNER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill relating to the Sale or Supply of Liquor on Christmas Day and Good Friday.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 6th April, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
 2. DECLARATION OF MEMBER.—The Honorable F. W. Brawn delivered to the Clerk the Declaration required by the fifty-fifth section of the Act No. 3660 as hereunder set forth :—

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, FREDERICK WILLIAM BRAWN*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Ballarat, and are known as 213 Mill-street, Ballarat.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Ballarat are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £50.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ F. W. BRAWN.”
 3. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable W. H. Edgar moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of the administration of the Railway Department and the delay in supplying information to honorable members ; and six members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed, the question was put and, after debate, negatived.
 4. APPROPRIATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue to the service of the year ending on the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. PAPERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—

Education—Report of the Minister of Public Instruction for the year 1930–31.

Penal Establishments, Gaols, and Reformatory Prisons—Report and Statistical Tables for the year 1930.

Unemployment Relief Works Board—Report for the quarter ended 31st December, 1931.

Severally ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Dried Fruits Acts—Regulations—Victorian Dried Fruits Board Election (2 papers).

Railways—

Copy of the Determination of the Railways Classification Board as to the rates of wages which shall be the basis of any Award to be made by the Board for the year 1932.

Reports of the Victorian Railways Commissioners with regard to Awards Nos. 30 and 31 made by the Railways Classification Board.

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

7. APPROPRIATION BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

8. UNEMPLOYED OCCUPIERS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Part I. of the ‘Unemployed Occupiers and Farmers Relief Act 1931’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable R. Williams, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, was read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

9. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Council at its rising adjourn until Thursday next at half-past Four o’clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at seven minutes past Eight o’clock, adjourned until Thursday next.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FIRST SESSION 1932.

QUESTIONS ASKED BY HONORABLE MEMBERS, AND REPLIES THERETO.

Subject-matter, and Name of Member.	No. of Notice-Paper. (Question.)	Page in Hansard. (Reply.)
COUNTRY Roads Board—Use to which money held in reserve is to be put (<i>Hon. A. E. Chandler</i>)	1	*
RAILWAYS—Tours of inspection by Railways Commissioners during 1930-31—Particulars as to cost, &c. (<i>Hon. W. H. Edgar</i>)	1	*
STATE Coal Mine, Wonthaggi—Cost of land acquired by the Government for business and residential sites, amount received from the sale or lease thereof, and area and value of land remaining unsold (<i>Hon. W. Tyner</i>) ..	1	*

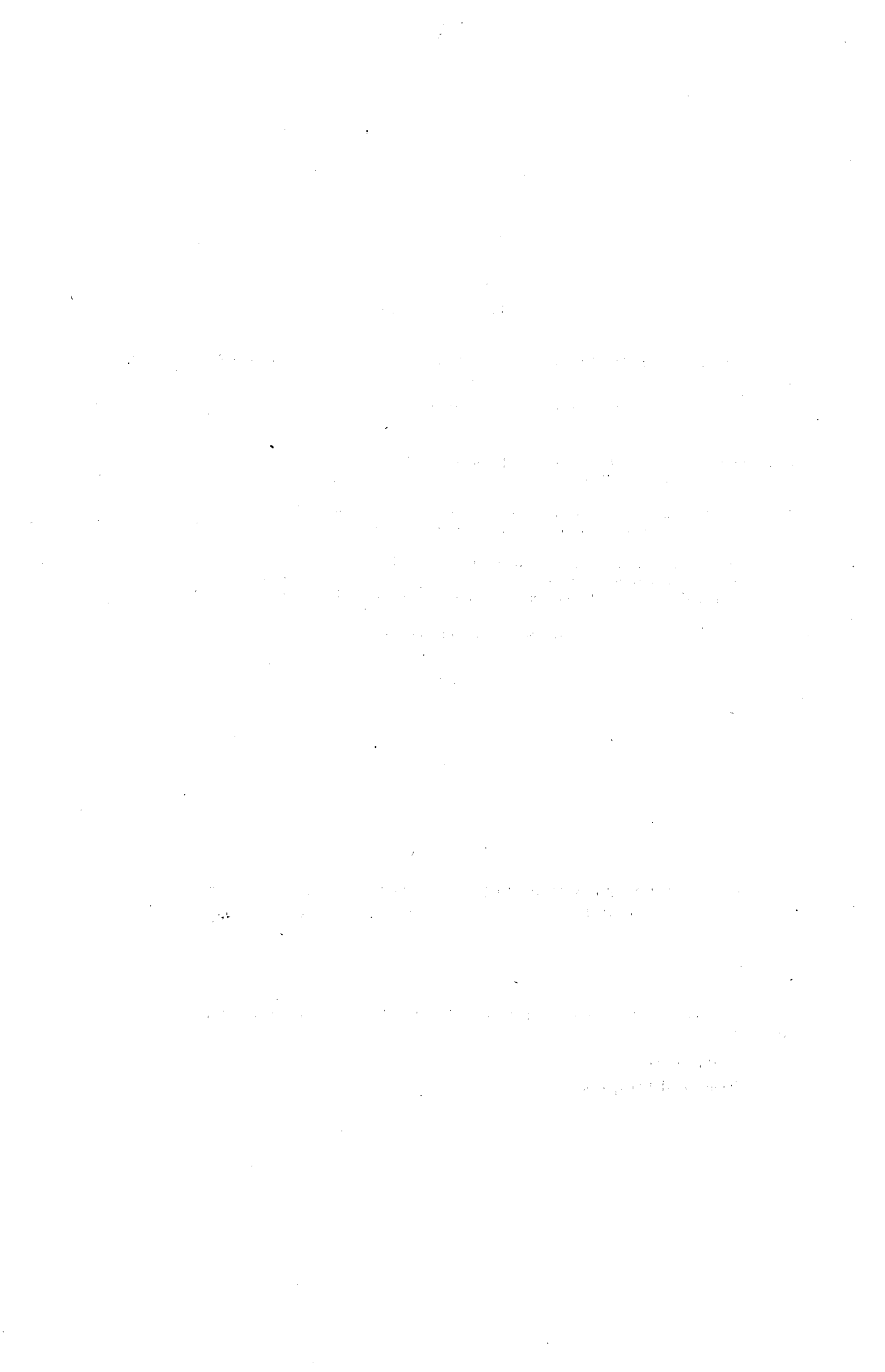
* Questions not answered. See *Hansard*, page 77.

BILLS ASSENTED TO AFTER THE FINAL ADJOURNMENT OF BOTH HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT AND BEFORE THE PROROGATION.

The following Bills were assented to by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor on the 20th April, 1932 :—

Appropriation.

Unemployed Occupiers.





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THURSDAY, APRIL 21.

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PROROGUING THE PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS The Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until Thursday, the twenty-first day of April, 1932 :
Now I, the Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue the said Parliament of Victoria on Thursday, the twenty-first day of April, 1932, until Friday, the twenty-second day of April, 1932.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-first day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, and in the twenty-second year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

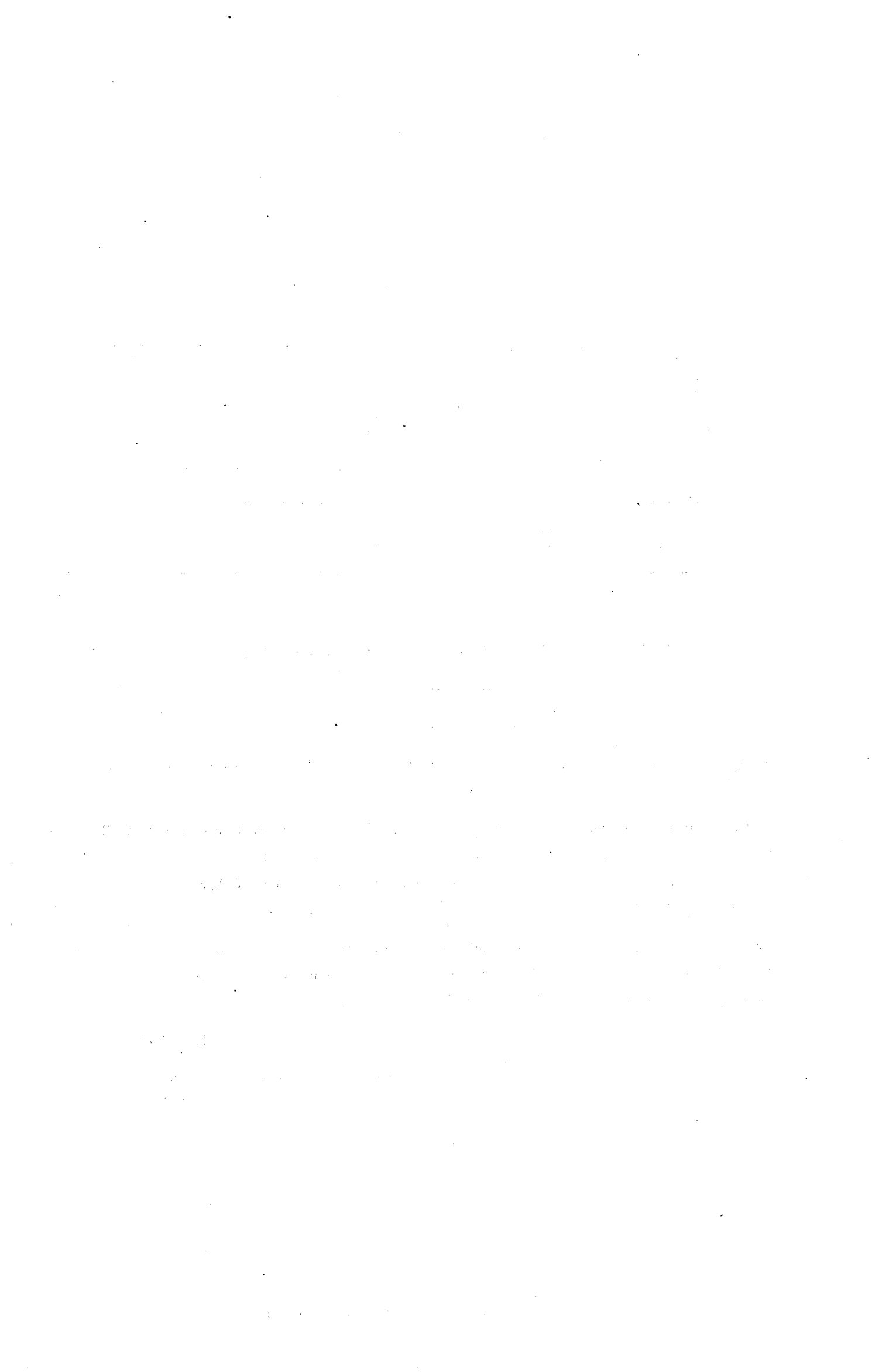
(L.S.)

W. H. IRVINE.

By His Excellency's Command,

T. TUNNECLIFFE.

GOD SAVE THE KING!



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THURSDAY, APRIL 21.

[1932

DISCHARGING MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL FROM ATTENDANCE AND
DISSOLVING THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS by *The Constitution Act* it was amongst other things enacted that it should be lawful for the Governor to fix such places within Victoria and, subject to the limitation therein contained, such times for holding the first and every other Session of the Council and Assembly, and to vary and alter the same respectively in such manner as he might think fit; and also from time to time to prorogue the said Council and Assembly, and to dissolve the said Assembly, by Proclamation or otherwise, whenever he should deem it expedient: And whereas the said Council and Assembly, called "The Parliament of Victoria," stand prorogued until Friday, the twenty-second day of April, 1932: And whereas it is expedient to dissolve the Legislative Assembly: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, in exercise of the power in me vested in this behalf, do by this my Proclamation discharge the Honorable the Members of the Legislative Council from their meeting and attendance on Friday, the twenty-second day of April, 1932: And I do dissolve the Legislative Assembly, such dissolution to take effect on Friday, the twenty-second day of April, 1932: And I do hereby declare that I have this day given Order that Writs be issued in due form, and [according to law, for the election of Members to be duly returned to serve in the Legislative Assembly.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria, at Melbourne, this twenty-first day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, and in the twenty-second year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

W. H. IRVINE.

By His Excellency's Command,

T. TUNNECLIFFE.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

GENERAL ELECTION,

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor will issue Writs for a General Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria on the day first hereinafter mentioned, viz. :—

Date of issue of Writs	...	...	...	...	...	Saturday, 23rd April, 1932.
Day of Nomination (before or on which nominations are to be made)	...	...	...	...	...	Friday, 29th April, 1932.
Day of Polling	...	...	...	...	...	Saturday, 14th May, 1932.
Return of Writs	...	...	...	...	...	Tuesday, 31st May, 1932.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. W. KINSMAN,
Official Secretary.

State Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 21st April, 1932.

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SELECT COMMITTEES.

APPOINTED DURING THE 1st SESSION 1932.

No. 1.—ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.

Appointed (by President's Warrant) 6th April, 1932.

The Hon. H. I. Cohen
 C. H. A. Eager
 G. L. Goudie
 Dr. J. R. Harris

The Hon. J. P. Jones
 D. L. McNamara
 H. F. Richardson

PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON RAILWAYS (JOINT).

Appointed under the Railways Standing Committee Act.

The Hon. M. McGregor
 (Appointed 11th December, 1929.)

The Hon. G. J. Tuckett
 (Appointed 12th May, 1931, *vice* Hon. A. Bell, deceased, but vacated office on retirement from the Council by effluxion of time; re-appointed 16th June, 1931, after re-election as a member of the Council.)

VICTORIA.



MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SECOND SESSION 1932

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MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

DURING THE PERIOD FROM 22ND APRIL TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1932.

Names of Provinces and Members.	Elected at—		Dates of Retirement.	Remarks.
	Nomination.	Polling.		
Each Province returns two Members.				
METROPOLITAN.				
EAST YARRA :				
The Honorables—				
Clifden Henry Andrews Eager ..	..	8 February, 1930	1934	68,476 Electors { Males, 46,085. Females, 22,391. Elected in place of Hon. R. G. Menzies, who resigned 11 Nov., 1929.
William Haslam Edgar .. (Chairman of Committees)	20 May, 1931 ..	..	1937	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
MELBOURNE :				
The Honorables—				
Herbert Henry Smith ..	14 May, 1928 ..	..	1934	22,852 Electors { Males, 16,436. Females, 6,416. Retired by rotation and re-elected.
Henry Isaac Cohen, K.C.	6 June, 1931 ..	1937		Retired by rotation and re-elected.
MELBOURNE EAST :				
The Honorables—				
John Percy Jones ..	14 May, 1928 ..	..	1934	19,328 Electors { Males, 14,099. Females, 5,229. Retired by rotation and re-elected.
Daniel Laurence McNamara	20 May, 1931	1937		Retired by rotation and re-elected.
MELBOURNE NORTH :				
The Honorables—				
Esmond Lawrence Kiernan	14 May, 1928 ..	..	1934	63,629 Electors { Males, 50,401. Females, 13,228. Retired by rotation and re-elected.
Herbert Horace Olney	6 June, 1931 ..	1937		Elected in place of Hon. W. J. Beckett, who retired by rotation.
MELBOURNE SOUTH :				
The Honorables—				
Colonel Harold Edward Cohen, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D.	..	22 June, 1929 ..	1934	32,371 Electors { Males, 21,124. Females, 11,247. Elected in place of Hon. Norman Fraser Falkiner, deceased.
Sir Francis Grenville Clarke, K.B.E. (President)	..	6 June, 1931 ..	1937		Retired by rotation and re-elected.
MELBOURNE WEST :				
The Honorables—				
Robert Williams ..	14 May, 1928 ..	..	1934	35,666 Electors { Males, 27,592. Females, 8,074. Retired by rotation and re-elected.
James Herbert Disney	6 June, 1931 ..	1937		Retired by rotation and re-elected.
COUNTRY.				
BENDIGO :				
The Honorables—				
Lieut.-Col. George Victor Lansell, V.D.	..	2 June, 1928 ..	1934	11,685 Electors { Males, 7,904. Females, 3,781. Elected to vacancy occurring by effluxion of period for which Hon. J. Sternberg was elected.
Herbert Keck ..	20 May, 1931	1937		Retired by rotation and re-elected.
GIPPSLAND :				
The Honorables—				
Martin McGregor ..	..	2 June, 1928 ..	1934	18,398 Electors { Males, 13,968. Females, 4,430. Retired by rotation and re-elected.
George Martley Davis ..	20 May, 1931	1937		Retired by rotation and re-elected.
NELSON :				
The Honorables—				
Henry Alan Currie, M.C. ..	14 May, 1928 ..	..	1934	12,190 Electors { Males, 8,766. Females, 3,424. Elected in place of Hon. T. Beggs, who retired by rotation.
Edwin George Bath	6 June, 1931 ..	1937		Retired by rotation and re-elected.

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—*continued.*

Names of Provinces and Members.	Elected at—		Dates of Retirement.	Remarks.
	Nomination.	Polling.		
Each Province returns two Members.				
COUNTRY— <i>continued.</i>				
NORTHERN :				
The Honorables—				16,926 Electors { Males, 13,029. Females, 3,897.
Richard Kilpatrick .. ..	.. ..	2 June, 1928 ..	1934	Elected in place of Hon. R. H. S. Abbott, who retired by rotation.
George Joseph Tuckett	20 May, 1931 ..	.. ..	1937	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
NORTH-EASTERN :				
The Honorables—				13,836 Electors { Males, 10,500. Females, 3,336.
Dr. John Richards Harris.. ..	.. ..	2 June, 1928 ..	1934	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
Albert Michael Zwar	20 May, 1931 ..	.. ..	1937	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
NORTH-WESTERN :				
The Honorables—				24,270 Electors { Males, 19,184. Females, 5,086.
Henry Pye .. ..	.. ..	2 March, 1932 ..	1934	Elected in place of Hon. W. J. McCann, who resigned 24 Oct., 1931.
George Louis Goudie	20 May, 1931 ..	.. ..	1937	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
SOUTHERN :				
The Honorables—				19,613 Electors { Males, 14,438. Females, 5,175.
William Charles Angliss .. ..	.. ..	2 June, 1928 ..	1934	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
William Lionel Russell Clarke .. ..	.. ..	6 June, 1931 ..	1937	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
SOUTH-EASTERN :				
The Honorables—				55,955 Electors { Males, 40,713. Females, 15,242.
William Tyner .. ..	.. ..	2 June, 1928 ..	1934	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
Alfred Elliott Chandler	20 May 1931 ..	.. ..	1937	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
SOUTH-WESTERN :				
The Honorables—				25,251 Electors { Males, 19,421. Females, 5,830.
Horace Frank Richardson.. ..	.. ..	2 June, 1928 ..	1934	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
Gordon Stewart McArthur.. ..	.. ..	6 June, 1931 ..	1937	Elected in place of Hon. H. Hitchcock, who retired by rotation.
WELLINGTON :				
The Honorables—				11,932 Electors { Males, 8,621. Females, 3,311.
Frederick William Brawn	14 May, 1928 ..	.. ..	1934	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
Alfred James Pittard .. ..	.. ..	6 June, 1931 ..	1937	Elected to vacancy occurring by effluxion of period for which Hon. A. Bell was elected.
WESTERN :				
The Honorables—				16,988 Electors { Males, 13,066. Females, 3,922.
Marcus Saltau	14 May, 1928 ..	.. ..	1934	Retired by rotation and re-elected.
William John Williamson .. ..	.. ..	6 June, 1931 ..	1937	Elected in place of Hon. E. J. White, who retired by rotation.
				Total No. of Electors. *469,366 { Males, 345,347 Females, 124,019

* Including 85 non-ratepaying electors—53 males, 32 females.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF VICTORIA.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF MEMBERS.

No.	Member.	Province.	Town Address.	Private Address.
1	Angliss, The Honorable William Charles	Southern ..	44 Bourke-street. C.1 ..	"Benbow," 48 Harcourt-street, Auburn. E.3
2	Bath, The Honorable Edwin George ..	Nelson ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	Swanwater West, Cope Cope
3	Brawn, The Honorable Frederick William	Wellington ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	213 Mill-street, Ballarat
4	Chandler, The Honorable Alfred Elliott (Honorary Minister)	South-Eastern ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	"Boronia," Boronia
5	Clarke, The Honorable Sir Frank, K.B.E., President	Melbourne South	360 Collins-street. C.1 ..	262 Domain-road, South Yarra. S.E.1
6	Clarke, The Honorable William Lionel Russell	Southern ..	Clarke Buildings, 430 Bourke-street. C.1	249 Domain-road, South Yarra. S.E.1
7	Cohen, Colonel The Honorable Harold Edward, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., (Honorary Minister)	Melbourne South	360 Collins-street. C.1 ..	202 Wattle-tree-road, Malvern. S.E.4
8	Cohen, The Honorable Henry Isaac, K.C.	Melbourne ..	38 Selborne Chambers, Chancery-lane. C.1	"Keonbrook," 106 Vale-street, East Melbourne. C.2
9	Currie, The Honorable Henry Alan, M.C.	Nelson ..	Melbourne Mansions, 91 Collins-street. C.1	"Ercildoune," Burrumbeet
10	Davis, The Honorable George Martley ..	Gippsland ..	11 Princes-avenue, East Caulfield. S.E.5	Raymond-street, Sale
11	Disney, The Honorable James Herbert..	Melbourne West	Parliament House. C.1 ..	83 St. Vincent-place, Albert Park. S.C.6
12	Eager, The Honorable Clifden Henry Andrews	East Yarra ..	40 Selborne Chambers, Chancery-lane. C.1	217 Cotham-road, Kew. E.4
13	Edgar, The Honorable William Haslam, Chairman of Committees	East Yarra ..	435 Collins-street. C.1 ..	"Bingley," 617 Burke-road, Cam- berwell. E.6
14	Goudie, The Honorable George Louis, Minister of Water Supply and Minister of Labour	North-Western	Public Offices. C.2 ..	49 Elizabeth-street, Elsternwick S.4
15	Harris, The Honorable Dr. John Richards	North-Eastern ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	Rutherglen
16	Jones, The Honorable John Percy, Commissioner of Public Works, Minister in Charge of Immigration, and Minister of Mines	Melbourne East	Public Offices, C.2; and 4 Royal Arcade, Bourke- street. C.1	"Ruskin Hall," 81 Princess-street, Kew. E.4
17	Keck, The Honorable Herbert ..	Bendigo ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	"The Palms," Retreat-road, Bendigo
18	Kiernan, The Honorable Esmond Lawrence	Melbourne North	220-228 Smith-street, Col- lingwood. N.5	Waldemar-road, Ivanhoe. N.22
19	Kilpatrick, The Honorable Richard ..	Northern ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	Shepparton
20	Lansell, Lieut.-Col. the Honorable George Victor, V.D.	Bendigo ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	"Denderah," View Hill, Bendigo
21	McArthur, The Honorable Gordon Stewart	South-Western..	472 Bourke-street. C.1 ..	"Meningoort." Camperdown
22	McGregor, The Honorable Martin ..	Gippsland ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	"Skye," Narracan
23	McNamara, The Honorable Daniel Laurence	Melbourne East	Trades Hall, Lygon- street, Carlton. C.1	"Iona," 24 Talbot-avenue, East St. Kilda. S.2
24	Olney, The Honorable Herbert Horace	Melbourne North	Parliament House. C.1 ..	"Yantaringa," 47 Locksley-road, Ivanhoe, N.21
25	Pittard, The Honorable Alfred James ..	Wellington ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	Hamilton-avenue, Ballarat
26	Pye, The Honorable Henry	North-Western	Parliament House. C.1 ..	Campbell-street, Swan Hill
27	Richardson, The Honorable Horace Frank	South-Western..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	The Exchange, Geelong
28	Saltau, The Honorable Marcus ..	Western ..	530 Collins-street. C.1 ..	"Moolooloo," Heyington-place, Toorak. S.E.2.
29	Smith, The Honorable Herbert Henry ..	Melbourne ..	Temple Court, 422 Collin- street. C.1	270 Domain-road, South Yarra. S.E.1
30	Tuckett, The Honorable George Joseph	Northern ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	"Theddingworth," Nathalia
31	Tyner, The Honorable William ..	South-Eastern ..	475 Collins-street. C.1 ..	70 Hawthorn-road, Caulfield. S.E.7
32	Williams, The Honorable Robert ..	Melbourne West	Parliament House. C.1 ..	123 Wright-street, Middle Park. S.C.6
33	Williamson, The Honorable William John	Western ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	Portland
34	Zwar, The Honorable Albert Michael ..	North-Eastern ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	Beechworth

OFFICERS.

The President	The Honorable Sir FRANK CLARKE, K.B.E.	} Parliament House. C.1 (Telephone F2131)	(See above)
Chairman of Committees ..	The Honorable WILLIAM HASLAM EDGAR		
Clerk of the Legislative Council	PERCY THOMAS POOK, Esquire, LL.M., J.P.	Parliament House. C.1 ..	29 Logan-street, Canterbury. E.7.
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Clerk of the Records and Clerk Assisting at the Table	ROY STANLEY SARAH, Esquire ..	Parliament House. C.1 ..	4 Albert-street, East Malvern. S.E.5. (Telephone U8116)

NOTE.—Honorable Members are requested to notify any Change of Address to the Usher of the Legislative Council.

PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

No.	Member.	Province.	Date of first Election.
1	*EDGAR, Hon. W. H., <i>Chairman of Committees(a)</i>	East Yarra	1 June, 1904†§
2	*BRAWN, Hon. F. W. (b)	Wellington	3 May, 1907
3	*JONES, Hon. J. P. (c)	Melbourne East	2 June, 1910§
4	CLARKE, Hon. W. L. R.	Southern	30 Sept., 1910
5	*RICHARDSON, Hon. H. F. (d)	South-Western	24 May, 1912
6	ANGLISS, Hon. W. C.	Southern	21 June, 1912
7	*CLARKE, Hon. Sir Frank, K.B.E., <i>President(e)</i>	Melbourne South	6 June, 1913§
8	*DISNEY, Hon. J. H. (f)	Melbourne West	1 June, 1916
9	*DAVIS, Hon. G. M. (g)	Gippsland	9 Feb., 1917
10	*McNAMARA, Hon. D. L. (h)	Melbourne East	18 May, 1917
11	*CHANDLER, Hon. A. E. (i)	South-Eastern	} 5 June, 1919§
12	*GOUDIE, Hon. G. L. (j)	North-Western	
13	*KIERNAN, Hon. E. L. (k)	Melbourne North	5 June, 1919
14	*†HARRIS, Hon. Dr. J. R. (l)	North-Eastern	2 Sept., 1920
15	*COHEN, Hon. H. I., K.C. (m)	Melbourne	5 May, 1921
16	KECK, Hon. H.	Bendigo	6 Oct., 1921
17	SMITH, Hon. H. H.	Melbourne	15 Dec., 1921
18	BATH, Hon. E. G.	Nelson	31 May, 1922
19	*McGREGOR, Hon. M. (n)	Gippsland	} 31 May, 1922§
20	TYNER, Hon. W.	South-Eastern	
21	*WILLIAMS, Hon. R. (o)	Melbourne West	} 17 Nov., 1922
22	ZWAR, Hon. A. M.	North-Eastern	
23	*SALTAU, Hon. M. (p)	Western	28 Feb., 1924
24	TUCKETT, Hon. G. J.	Northern	4 June, 1925§
25	*CURRIE, Hon. H. A., M.C. (q)	Nelson	} 2 June, 1928§
26	KILPATRICK, Hon. R.	Northern	
27	LANSELL, Lieut.-Col., Hon. G. V., V.D.	Bendigo	} 22 June, 1929
28	*COHEN, Colonel Hon. Harold, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D. (r)	Melbourne South	
29	EAGER, Hon. C. H. A.	East Yarra	8 Feb., 1930
30	McARTHUR, Hon. G. S.	South-Western	} 6 June, 1931§
31	OLNEY, Hon. H. H.	Melbourne North	
32	PITTARD, Hon. A. J.	Wellington	} 6 June, 1931§
33	WILLIAMSON, Hon. W. J.	Western	
34	PYE, Hon. H.	North-Western	19 March, 1932

* Executive Councillor.—† Service not continuous.—‡ Unofficial Leader.—§ General or Periodical Election.

- (a) Hon. W. H. Edgar represented Melbourne West Province 1 June, 1904, to 5 June, 1913; first elected for East Yarra Province 5 July, 1917; was Honorary Minister 1 June, 1909, to 27 Feb., 1912, and Minister of Public Health and Commissioner of Public Works 27 Feb., 1912, to 21 June, 1913; appointed Chairman of Committees 4 July, 1922, and re-appointed 8 July, 1924, 8 July, 1925, 4 July, 1928, and 16 June, 1931.
- (b) Hon. F. W. Brawn was Honorary Minister 19 Mar., to 18 July, 1924, and 3 July to 12 Dec., 1929.
- (c) Hon. J. P. Jones was Honorary Minister 9 to 22 Dec., 1913; Commissioner of Public Works, Minister of Public Health, and Minister in charge of Immigration 18 July to 18 Nov., 1924; and Commissioner of Public Works, Minister of Mines, and Minister in charge of Immigration 20 May, 1927, to 22 Nov., 1928; 12 Dec., 1929, to 26 April, 1932, and 19 May, 1932, to date.
- (d) Hon. H. F. Richardson was Honorary Minister 29 Nov., 1917, to 21 Mar., 1918; Minister of Forests 18 Nov., 1924, to 20 May, 1927; Unofficial Leader 25 Sept., 1923, to 18 Nov., 1924.
- (e) Hon. Sir Frank Clarke represented Northern Province 6 June, 1913, to 4 June, 1925; elected for Melbourne South Province 4 June, 1925; was Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey 29 Nov., 1917, to 21 Oct., 1919, Minister of Water Supply 29 Nov., 1917, to 22 Feb., 1921; Commissioner of Public Works 21 Oct., 1919, to 29 Aug., 1923; elected President 29 Aug., 1923, and re-elected 8 July, 1925, and 16 June, 1931.
- (f) Hon. J. H. Disney was Honorary Minister 18 July to 18 Nov., 1924, and 20 May, 1927, to 22 Nov., 1928.
- (g) Hon. G. M. Davis was Honorary Minister 17 Jan., 1922, to 7 Sept., 1923.
- (h) Hon. D. L. McNamara was Minister of Mines and Minister of Forests 18 July to 18 Nov., 1924; Honorary Minister 24 June, 1931, to 19 May, 1932.
- (i) Hon. A. E. Chandler was Commissioner of Public Works and Minister of Mines 22 Nov., 1928, to 12 Dec., 1929; Honorary Minister 19 May, 1932, to date.
- (j) Hon. G. L. Goudie was Commissioner of Public Works and Minister of Mines 7 Sept., 1923, to 19 Mar., 1924, and 18 Nov., 1924, to 20 May, 1927; Minister of Water Supply and Minister of Labour 19 May, 1932, to date.
- (k) Hon. E. L. Kiernan was Honorary Minister 12 Dec., 1929, to 26 April, 1932.
- (l) Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris was Honorary Minister 2 July, 1925, to 20 May, 1927; Unofficial Leader since 27 Nov., 1928.
- (m) Hon. H. I. Cohen was Unofficial Leader 4 July, 1922, to 7 Sept., 1923, and 2 Dec., 1924, to 22 Nov., 1928; Honorary Minister 7 Sept., 1923, to 19 Mar., 1924; Commissioner of Public Works and Minister of Mines 19 Mar., to 18 July, 1924; Attorney-General and Solicitor-General 11 July to 18 July, 1924; Minister of Public Instruction 22 Nov., 1928, to 12 Dec., 1929.
- (n) Hon. M. McGregor was Honorary Minister 19 Mar., to 18 July, 1924, and 18 Nov., 1924, to 20 May, 1927.
- (o) Hon. R. Williams was Honorary Minister 20 May, 1927, to 22 Nov., 1928, and 12 Dec. 1929, to 23rd June, 1931; Minister of Forests and Minister of Public Health 24 June, 1931, to 19 May, 1932; Minister of Labour 1st March, 1932, to 19 May, 1932.
- (p) Hon. M. Saltau was Honorary Minister 22 Nov., 1928, to 3 July, 1929.
- (q) Hon. H. A. Currie was Honorary Minister 3 July to 12 Dec., 1929.
- (r) Colonel the Hon. Harold Cohen appointed Honorary Minister 19 May, 1932.

SECOND SESSION 1932.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF VICTORIA.

FIRST SESSION

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ALBERT PARK LAND BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Read a first time, 13 Dec., 1932, p. 71; read a second time, and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council's amendments desired, 14 Dec., p. 74; Assembly notify their agreement to Council's amendments, 15 Dec., p. 75. Assented to 19 Dec. Act No. 4078.

APPROPRIATION BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Passed all stages without amendment, 23 Dec., 1932, p. 92. Assented to 5 Jan., 1933. Act No. 4107.

BETTING TAX. See "Stamps (Betting Tax) Bill."

BETTING TAX (SHOOTING CONTESTS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 29 Nov., 1932, p. 62; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 30 Nov., p. 66. Assented to 5 Dec. Act No. 4069.

BLACKBURN AND MITCHAM LOAN BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Private Bill—Ordered to be dealt with as a Public Bill; read a first time, 15 Nov., 1932, p. 55; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Nov., p. 57. Assented to 28 Nov. Act No. 4062.

BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Private Bill—Received from Assembly, 15 Dec., 1932, p. 75; ordered to be dealt with as a Public Bill except as to fees; receipt produced showing that fee of £20 had been paid; read a first time, 16 Dec., p. 77; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Dec., p. 87. Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4092.

BRUNSWICK LOAN BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Private Bill—Ordered to be dealt with as a Public Bill; read a first time, and passed remaining stages without amendment, 20 Sept., 1932, pp. 31, 32. Assented to 26 Sept. Act No. 4041.

BUCHAN LANDS EXCHANGE BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Passed all stages without amendment, 7 July, 1932, p. 24. Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4036.

CARRIAGES BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 21 Dec., 1932, p. 83; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Dec., p. 87. Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4093.

CHARLTON LAND BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Passed all stages without amendment, 20 Sept., 1932, pp. 32, 33. Assented to 26 Sept. Act No. 4042.

*CITY OF GEELONG BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones).—Initiated and passed all stages without amendment; concurrence of Assembly desired, 11 Oct., 1932, p. 43. Bill not returned from Assembly.

CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 13 Dec., 1932, p. 71; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 16 Dec., p. 77; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee; suggested amendments reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendments, 20 Dec., p. 80.

Assembly notify that they have made the amendments suggested by the Council, 21 Dec., p. 83; Bill further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered; suggested amendments proposed and agreed to; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendments, 21 Dec., p. 83.

Assembly notify that they have made the suggested amendments, 21 Dec., p. 83; report from Committee of the whole adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 21 Dec., p. 86. Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4091.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILLS†.—Brought from Assembly and passed all stages without amendment:—
 Bill No. 1.—(Hon. G. L. Goudie)—28 June, 1932, p. 17. Assented to 30 June. Act No. 4024.
 Bill No. 2.—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—12 July, 1932, p. 25. Assented to 19 July. Act No. 4037.
 Bill No. 3.—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—7 Sept., 1932, pp. 28, 29. Assented to 8 Sept. Act No. 4040.
 Bill No. 4.—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—5 Oct., 1932, p. 41. Assented to 6 Oct. Act No. 4049.
 Bill No. 5.—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—2 Nov., 1932, p. 51. Assented to 3 Nov. Act No. 4058.
 Bill No. 6.—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—29 Nov., pp. 61, 65. Assented to 30 Nov. Act No. 4063.

* Bill initiated in the Council.

† Bill not printed by the Council.

- COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time; read a second time by leave and on division, and passed remaining stages without amendment, 13 July, 1932, p. 26. *Assented to 19 July. Act No. 4038.*
- COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 7 Dec., 1932, p. 69; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time; amendment—That the word “now” be omitted and the words “this day six months” added after the word “time”—proposed, and, on division, negatived; Bill read a second time, and committed; considered in Committee; suggested amendments reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendments, 15–16 Dec., p. 76.
- Assembly notify that they have made the amendments suggested by the Council, 20 Dec., p. 79; Bill further considered in Committee, and reported without amendment; report considered, and adopted; Bill read a third time, and passed, 20 Dec., p. 82. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4086.*
- COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time; read a second time, by leave, and committed; considered in Committee, 20 Sept., 1932, pp. 31, 32; further considered in Committee; suggested amendments reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendments, 21 Sept., pp. 33, 34.
- Assembly notify that they have made the amendments suggested by the Council, 28 Sept., p. 37; Bill further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 4 Oct., p. 41. *Assented to 13 Oct. Act No. 4050.*
- COUNTRY SEWERAGE LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 16 Dec., 1932, p. 77; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 20 Dec., p. 81. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4083.*
- CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 22 Nov., 1932, p. 57; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 23 Nov., p. 58; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee; a suggested amendment reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendment, 29 Nov., p. 62.
- Assembly notify that they have made the suggested amendment with modifications, 6 Dec., p. 67; Bill further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered; a suggested amendment proposed and agreed to (*being an amendment of the amendment previously suggested by the Council as modified and made by the Assembly*); Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendment, 7 Dec., p. 69.
- Assembly notify that they have made the suggested amendment, 8 Dec., p. 70; report from Committee of the whole adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 13 Dec., p. 72. *Assented to 19 Dec. Act No. 4073.*
- DAYLESFORD LAND BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Passed all stages without amendment, 13 July, 1932, p. 26. *Assented to 19 July. Act No. 4039.*
- DEUTGAM LAND BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 20 Dec., 1932, p. 81; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 21 Dec., p. 82. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4089.*
- DRIED FRUITS BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 20 Dec., 1932, p. 79; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 21 Dec., p. 82. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4088.*
- EDUCATION (FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 13 Dec., 1932, p. 71; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 15 Dec., p. 75; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council’s amendments desired, 16 Dec., p. 77.
- Assembly notify that they have agreed to some of the amendments and have disagreed with the others, but have made an amendment in the Bill, 20 Dec., p. 79; message considered—the Council do not insist on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly and agree to the amendment made by the Assembly in the Bill, 20 Dec., p. 81. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4082.*
- ENTERTAINMENTS TAX BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 6 July, 1932, p. 23; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 7 July, p. 24. *Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4033.*
- *FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Initiated and read a first time; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time; further motion—That the debate be now adjourned—by leave, withdrawn; debate continued, and adjourned, 11 Oct., 1932, pp. 43, 44; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee, 25 Oct., p. 48; further considered in Committee, 2 Nov., p. 52; 8 Nov., p. 54; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly desired, 23 Nov., p. 58. *Bill not returned from Assembly.*
- FACTORIES AND SHOPS (SUNDAYS) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 21 Dec., 1932, p. 83; read a second time; motion—That the Bill be now committed—by leave, withdrawn; Bill ordered to be committed later this day; Bill committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 22 Dec., pp. 88, 89. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4102.*

* Bill initiated in the Council.

† Bill not printed by the Council.

- FARMERS RELIEF BILL**—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time ; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 25 Oct., 1932, pp. 47, 48 ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; report, by leave, considered and adopted ; Bill read a third time and passed ; concurrence of Assembly in Council's amendments desired, 2 Nov., p. 51. Assembly notify their agreement to Council's amendments, 8 Nov., p. 53. *Assented to 7 Nov. Act No. 4060.*
- FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (AMENDMENT) BILL**—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 21 June, 1932, p. 15 ; read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; report considered and adopted ; Bill read a third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority and passed, 22 June, p. 15. *Assented to 30 June. Act No. 4020.*
- FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL†**—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Passed all stages without amendment, 28 Sept., 1932, p. 37. *Assented to 30 Sept. Act No. 4047.*
- FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL (No. 2)†**—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Passed all stages without amendment, 25 Oct., 1932, p. 48. *Assented to 31 Oct. Act No. 4055.*
- FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL (No. 3)†**—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Passed all stages without amendment, 30 Nov., 1932, p. 65. *Assented to 30 Nov. Act No. 4064.*
- FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL**—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 29 Nov., 1932, p. 61 ; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time ; further motion—That the debate be now adjourned—agreed to ; further motion—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next ; amendment to omit "Tuesday next" and insert "to-morrow," by leave, withdrawn ; debate adjourned until Tuesday next, 6 Dec., p. 68 ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee, 13 Dec., p. 72 ; further considered in Committee, 14–15 Dec., p. 74 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; recommitted in respect of clause 4 ; reconsidered in Committee, 15 Dec., p. 75 ; further considered in Committee and re-reported with further amendments ; recommitted in respect of clause 8 ; further considered in Committee and re-reported with a further amendment ; report, by leave, considered and adopted ; Bill read a third time and passed ; concurrence of Assembly in Council's amendments desired, 16 Dec., p. 76.
- Assembly notify that they have agreed to some of the amendments, have disagreed with others, and have agreed to two with amendments, 21 Dec., p. 83 ; message considered—the Council agree to one and disagree with the other of the amendments of the Assembly on the amendments of the Council, and insist on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly, (two on division), 21 Dec., pp. 84–6.
- Assembly notify that they desire a Free Conference on the subject-matter of the amendments made in this Bill and insisted on or disagreed with by the Council ; the Council agree to the Free Conference, appoint six Managers, and fix time and place of meeting, 22 Dec., p. 89 ; Managers report that the Conference had made certain recommendations, 23 Dec., p. 90.
- Assembly notify that they have agreed to the recommendations of the Free Conference ; message considered—the Council agree to the recommendations of the Free Conference, 23 Dec., pp. 90–92. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4106.*
- FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION TRUSTS) BILL†**—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 21 Sept., 1932, p. 34 ; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 27 Sept., p. 35. *Assented to 30 Sept. Act No. 4046.*
- FIREARMS BILL**—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 23 Nov., 1932, p. 58 ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee, 30 Nov., p. 66 ; further considered in Committee ; a suggested amendment reported and adopted ; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendment, 6 Dec., p. 68.
- Assembly notify that they have made the amendment suggested by the Council, 21 Dec., p. 83 ; Bill further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; report, by leave, considered and adopted ; Bill read a third time and passed ; concurrence of Assembly in Council's amendments desired, 21 Dec., p. 86.
- Assembly notify that they have agreed to some of the Council's amendments, and have disagreed with one of the said amendments ; message considered—the Council do not insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly, 22 Dec., p. 88. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4099.*
- FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL**—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time ; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 20 Sept., 1932, pp. 31, 33 ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time, on division, and committed ; considered in Committee, 27 Sept., p. 36 ; further considered in Committee, 28 Sept., p. 37 ; further considered in Committee ; suggested amendments reported and adopted ; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendments, 4 Oct., pp. 39–40.
- Assembly notify that they have decided not to make the amendments suggested by the Council, 11 Oct., p. 43 ; Bill further considered in Committee, and reported without amendment ; report considered ; suggested amendments proposed, and agreed to ; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendments, 11 Oct., pp. 43–44.
- Assembly notify that they have made the suggested amendments, 23 Nov., p. 58 ; report from Committee of the whole adopted ; Bill read a third time and passed, 23 Nov., p. 59.
- Assembly transmit Lieutenant-Governor's message recommending an amendment, with which amendment the Assembly have agreed ; His Excellency's message considered and the amendment agreed to, 30 Nov., p. 65. *Assented to 5 Dec. Act No. 4065.*

† Bill not printed by the Council.

- FORESTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Read a first time, 20 Dec., 1932, p. 79; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Dec., p. 87. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4096.*
- FREEZING WORKS (OVERDRAFT GUARANTEE) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Passed all stages without amendment, 7 July, 1932, p. 24. *Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4034.*
- GEELONG. See “City of Geelong Bill” and “Melbourne and Geelong Debentures and Inscribed Stock Bill.”
- GORMANDALE LAND BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Passed all stages without amendment, 20 Sept., 1932, pp. 32, 33. *Assented to 26 Sept. Act No. 4044.*
- GOVERNMENT ADVANCES (REDUCTION OF INTEREST) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Passed all stages without amendment, 20 Sept., 1932, pp. 31, 33. *Assented to 26 Sept. Act No. 4043.*
- INCOME TAX BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 25 Oct., 1932, pp. 47, 48; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 26 Oct., p. 49.
Assembly transmit Lieutenant-Governor’s message recommending an amendment, with which amendment the Assembly have agreed; His Excellency’s message considered and the amendment agreed to, 2 Nov., p. 52. *Assented to 7 Nov. Act No. 4059.*
- INCOME TAX ACTS AMENDMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 25 Oct., 1932, pp. 47, 48; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; recommitted in respect of clause 4; reconsidered in Committee and reported without further amendment; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council’s amendments desired, 26 Oct., p. 49. Assembly notify their agreement to Council’s amendments, 26 Oct., p. 49. *Assented to 31 Oct. Act No. 4056.*
- INCOME TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time; read a second time, by leave, and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; report by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council’s amendment desired, 7 July, 1932, p. 24. Assembly notify their agreement to Council’s amendment, 12 July, p. 25. *Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4035.*
- INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Read a first time, 28 June, 1932, p. 17; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council’s amendment desired, 29 June, p. 18.
Assembly notify that they have disagreed with the Council’s amendment; message considered; motion—That the Council do not insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly; amendment agreed to—That the Council insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly but with an amendment, 5 July, p. 22.
Assembly notify that they do not insist on disagreeing with the Council’s amendment, but have agreed to the same as amended by the Council, 7 July, p. 23. *Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4031.*
- JUDGMENTS (RECIPROCITY) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 21 June, 1932, p. 14; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 June, p. 16. *Assented to 30 June. Act No. 4021.*
- LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 20 Dec., 1932, p. 81; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Dec., p. 87. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4095.*
- LAND TAX BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 29 Nov., 1932, p. 62; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 30 Nov., p. 66. *Assented to 5 Dec. Act No. 4068.*
- *LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Initiated and read a first time; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate adjourned, 6 Sept., 1932, pp. 27, 28; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee, 20 Sept., p. 32.
Order for further consideration in Committee discharged, and *Bill withdrawn*, 20 Dec., p. 80.
- LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL (No. 2)†—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time; read a second time, by leave and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council’s amendment desired, 22–23 Dec., 1932, pp. 89, 90. Assembly notify their agreement to Council’s amendment, 23 Dec., p. 90. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4105.*
- *LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones).—Initiated and read a first time, 14 June, 1932, p. 10. *Bill lapsed.*
- *LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones).—Initiated and read a first time, 14 June, 1932, p. 10; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of Assembly desired, 21 June, p. 15; Assembly notify their agreement to the Bill, 5 July, p. 21.

Lieutenant-Governor's message recommending an amendment; His Excellency's message considered and the amendment agreed to; concurrence of Assembly desired, 5 July, p. 21; Assembly notify their agreement to the amendment recommended by His Excellency, 5 July, p. 22. *Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4029.*

- LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DEBENTURES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 16 Dec., 1932, p. 77; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council's amendment desired, 20 Dec., p. 80. Assembly notify their agreement to Council's amendment, 20 Dec., p. 81. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4081.*
- *LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones).—Initiated and read a first time, 8 Nov., 1932, p. 53; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly desired, 30 Nov., p. 65. *Bill not returned from Assembly.*
- *MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Initiated and read a first time, 21 June, 1932, p. 14; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee, 22 June, p. 15. *Bill lapsed.*
- MARRIAGE (VALIDATING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 21 June, 1932, p. 14; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 June, p. 15. *Bill reserved for the signification of His Majesty's pleasure thereon, 30 June. See p. 21. Royal assent proclaimed, 22 Nov. See p. 61. Act No. 4061.*
- MELBOURNE AND GEELONG DEBENTURES AND INSCRIBED STOCK BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 27 Sept., 1932, p. 35; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 28 Sept., p. 37. *Assented to 3 Oct. Act No. 4048.*
- MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN TRAMWAYS BOARD BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 16 Dec., 1932, p. 78; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 20 Dec., p. 80. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4080.*
- MILK BOARD BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 21 Dec., 1932, p. 86; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Dec., p. 89. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4104.*
- MOORABBIN LOANS BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Private Bill—Ordered to be dealt with as a Public Bill; read a first time, 28 June, 1932, p. 17; read a second time, and passed remaining stages without amendment, 29 June, p. 18.
 Assembly transmit Lieutenant-Governor's message recommending an amendment, with which amendment the Assembly have agreed; His Excellency's message considered and the amendment agreed to, 5 July, p. 22. *Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4028.*
- MORATORIUM. See "Financial Emergency (Moratorium), &c."
- MORTGAGES. See "Financial Emergency (Mortgages) Bill."
- MOTOR CAR BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 20 Sept., 1932, p. 31; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 21 Sept., p. 33. *Assented to 30 Sept. Act No. 4045.*
- *MOTOR OMNIBUS (BY-LAWS) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Initiated and read a first time, 5 July, 1932, p. 21; read a second time, by leave, and passed remaining stages without amendment; concurrence of Assembly desired, 5 July, p. 22. Assembly notify their agreement to the Bill, 6 July, p. 23. *Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4032.*
- PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 27 Sept., 1932, p. 35; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate adjourned, 28 Sept., p. 36; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee, 4 Oct., p. 40; further considered in Committee; suggested amendments reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendments, 5 Oct., p. 41.
 Assembly notify that they have made the amendments suggested by the Council, 5 Oct., p. 42; Bill further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 5 Oct., p. 42. *Assented to 13 Oct. Act No. 4052.*
- *POLICE OFFENCES (ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Initiated and read a first time, 21 Sept., 1932, p. 33; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly desired, 27 Sept., p. 36. *Bill not returned from Assembly.*
- *POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Initiated and read a first time, 26 Oct., 1932, p. 49; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 2 Nov., p. 52; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee, 8 Nov., p. 54; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly desired, 22 Nov., p. 57.
 Assembly notify that they have agreed to the Bill with an amendment, 13 Dec., p. 72; amendment considered and agreed to, 13 Dec., p. 72. *Assented to 19 Dec. Act No. 4074.*
- POLICE OFFENCES (RACE-MEETINGS) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Passed all stages without amendment, 22 Dec., 1932, p. 89. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4103.*

* Bill initiated in the Council.

† Bill not printed by the Council.

- PUBLIC SERVICE PAYMENTS REDUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 21 June, 1932, p. 14; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 June, p. 16. *Assented to 30 June. Act No. 4022.*
- PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 8 Dec., 1932, p. 70; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 13 Dec., p. 74. *Assented to 19 Dec. Act No. 4077.*
- RACE-MEETINGS. See “Police Offences (Race-meetings) Bill.”
- RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION TRUSTS. See “Financial Emergency (Railway Construction Trusts) Bill.”
- RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 20 Dec., 1932, p. 79; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Dec., p. 87. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4098.*
- *RAILWAYS BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Initiated and read a first time, 26 Oct., 1932, p. 49; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 2 Nov., p. 52; debate resumed and further adjourned, 8 Nov., p. 54; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly desired, 22 Nov., p. 58. *Bill not returned from Assembly.*
- SEWERAGE. See “Country Sewerage Loan Application Bill.”
- SHOOTING CONTESTS. See “Betting Tax (Shooting Contests) Bill.”
- STAMPS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 2 Nov., 1932, pp. 51, 52; debate resumed; question—That this Bill be now read a second time, on division, negatived, 8 Nov., p. 54.
- STAMPS BILL (No. 2)†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 6 Dec., 1932, p. 67; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time; amendment—That the word “now” be omitted and the words “this day three months” added after the word “time”—negatived; Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 7–8 Dec., p. 69. *Assented to 12 Dec. Act No. 4072.*
- STAMPS (BETTING TAX) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time; read a second time, by leave, and committed; considered in Committee; a suggested amendment reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendment, 11 Oct., 1932, p. 44.
Assembly notify that they have made the amendment suggested by the Council, 12 Oct., p. 45; Bill further considered in Committee and reported without amendment, report considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 12 Oct., p. 45. *Assented to 13 Oct. Act No. 4054.*
- STAMPS (UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time; read a second time, by leave, and committed; considered in Committee; a suggested amendment reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendment, 29 June, 1932, p. 18.
Assembly notify that they have made the amendment suggested by the Council, 29 June, p. 18; Bill further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 29 June, p. 19. *Assented to 30 June. Act No. 4026.*
- STATE COAL MINE INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Passed all stages without amendment, 6 July, 1932, p. 23. *Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4030.*
- STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (BORROWING) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Passed all stages without amendment, 20 Dec., 1932, pp. 81, 82. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4087.*
- STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 6 Dec., 1932, p. 67; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 13 Dec., p. 72. *Assented to 19 Dec. Act No. 4075.*
- STATE SAVINGS BANK BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Read a first time, 6 Dec., 1932, p. 67; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 7 Dec., p. 69. *Assented to 9 Dec. Act No. 4071.*
- SUPERANNUATION AND OTHER TRUST FUNDS VALIDATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 15 Dec., 1932, p. 75; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 21 Dec., p. 82. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4090.*
- SUPERANNUATION (RETIREMENT) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 13 Dec., 1932, p. 71; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 20 Dec., p. 81. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4085.*
- THEATRES BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time; read a second time, by leave and on division, and passed remaining stages without amendment, 13 Dec., 1932, pp. 71, 72–3. *Assented to 19 Dec. Act No. 4076.*

THORNBURY LAND BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler).—Read a first time, 21 Dec., 1932, p. 83; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Dec., p. 87. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4094.*

TRACTION ENGINE FEES. See “Country Roads (Traction Engine Fees) Bill.”

TRANSPORT REGULATION BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 20 Dec., 1932, p. 79; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council’s amendments desired, 21 Dec., pp. 82, 83, 86.

Assembly notify that they have agreed to some of the amendments and have disagreed with one of the said amendments; message considered—the Council do not insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly, 22 Dec., p. 88. *Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4100.*

TREASURY BONDS BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 29 Nov., 1932, p. 62; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 30 Nov., p. 66. *Assented to 5 Dec. Act No. 4067.*

TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Read a first time, 20 Sept., 1932, p. 32; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee; a suggested amendment reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendment, 21 Sept., p. 34.

Assembly notify that they have made the amendment suggested by the Council, 28 Sept., p. 37; Bill further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 4 Oct., p. 41. *Assented to 13 Oct. Act No. 4051.*

TROUT LICENCES. See “Fisheries (Trout Licences) Bill.”

TRUST FUNDS. See “Superannuation and Other Trust Funds Validation Bill.”

UNEMPLOYED OCCUPIERS BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Passed all stages without amendment, 29 June, 1932, p. 18. *Assented to 30 June. Act No. 4025.*

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF. See “Stamps (Unemployment Relief) Bill.”

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate adjourned, 8 Nov., 1932, pp. 53, 54; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee, 15 Nov., p. 55; further considered in Committee; a suggested amendment reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendment, 16 Nov., p. 56.

Assembly notify that they have made the amendment suggested by the Council, 22 Nov., p. 57; Bill further considered in Committee and reported with amendments; report, by leave, considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed; concurrence of Assembly in Council’s amendments desired, 22 Nov., p. 57.

Assembly notify that they have agreed to some of the amendments, have disagreed with others, have agreed to others with amendments, and have agreed to the amendment in sub-clause (3) of clause 8, but have amended the said sub-clause, 29 Nov., p. 61; message considered—the Council agree to the amendment of the Assembly on the amendment of the Council in clause 16 and agree to the amendment made by the Assembly in clause 8 but make amendments in the same and a consequential amendment in clause 22, insist (on division) on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly but amend one of such amendments, disagree with the amendment of the Assembly on the amendment of the Council in clause 11 and with the amendment of the Assembly on the amendment of the Council to insert new clause AA but make amendments in the new clause, 29 Nov., pp. 62–4.

Assembly notify that they do not insist on disagreeing with the amendment in clause 7 made and insisted on by the Council but agree to the said amendment with an amendment and with an amendment in the proviso of sub-clause (1) of the clause, agree to the amendments of the Council in the proviso added by the Assembly to sub-clause (3) of clause 8 and to the consequential amendment in clause 22 of the Bill, do not agree to the Council’s amendment in line 35 of clause 8 as amended by the Council and insist on disagreeing with the said amendment, do not insist on their amendment on the amendment of the Council in clause 11, and do not insist on their amendments in new clause AA but agree to the amendments of the Council in the said new clause with an amendment, 13 Dec., p. 71; message considered—the Council agree to the amendments now made by the Assembly on the amendments of the Council and in the Bill, and do not insist on the amendment of the Council in clause 8, sub-clause (6), or on this amendment as amended by the Council, 13 Dec., p. 73.

Assembly transmit communication from Clerk of the Parliaments calling attention to a clerical error, which error the Assembly have agreed to correct; the Council concur with the Assembly in the correction of the error, 20 Dec., p. 79. *Assented to 21 Dec. Act No. 4079.*

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Passed all stages without amendment, 22 June, 1932, p. 16. *Assented to 30 June. Act No. 4023.*

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time; motion, by leave—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate adjourned, 20 Sept., 1932, pp. 31, 32; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee; a suggested amendment reported and adopted; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendment, 21 Sept., p. 34.

Assembly notify that they have decided not to make the amendment suggested by the Council, 4 Oct., p. 39; Bill further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered; a suggested amendment proposed and (on division) negatived; other suggested amendments proposed and agreed to; Bill returned to Assembly with the suggested amendments, 4 Oct., p. 40.

Assembly notify that they have made the suggested amendments, 5 Oct., p. 42; report from Committee of the whole adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 5 Oct., p. 42. Assented to 13 Oct. Act No. 4053.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF LOAN AND APPLICATION BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 20 Dec., 1932, p. 80; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 22 Dec., p. 87. Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4097.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (TAXATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones).—Passed all stages without amendment, 26 Oct., 1932, pp. 48, 49. Assented to 31 Oct. Act No. 4057.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS (COMMONWEALTH AND STATES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 28 June, 1932, p. 17; motion—That this Bill be now read a second time, debate adjourned, 29 June, p. 18; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 5 July, p. 21. Assented to 11 July. Act No. 4027.

WATER SUPPLY LOANS APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time, 16 Dec., 1932, p. 78; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 20 Dec., p. 81. Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4084.

WHEAT-GROWERS RELIEF (COMMONWEALTH PAYMENT) BILL†—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie).—Read a first time; read a second time, by leave, and committed; considered in Committee; further considered in Committee and reported without amendment; report considered and adopted; Bill read a third time and passed, 22 Dec., 1932, pp. 87, 89. Assented to 29 Dec. Act No. 4101.

WRONGS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen).—Read a first time, 29 Nov., 1932, p. 61; read a second time and passed remaining stages without amendment, 30 Nov., p. 66. Assented to 5 Dec. Act No. 4070.

† Bill not printed by the Council.

SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS ON BILLS.

(2ND SESSION 1932.)

BILLS INITIATED IN THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—

Passed and assented to	3
Passed the Council but not the Assembly (<i>City of Geelong, Factories and Shops, Local Government (Overdrafts), Police Offences (Advertisements), Railways</i>)	5
Lapsed (<i>Legislative Council Elections, Marriage</i>)	2
Withdrawn (<i>Landlord and Tenant</i>)	1
	— 11

BILLS BROUGHT FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY—

Passed and assented to	85
Second reading negatived (<i>Stamps</i>)	1
	— 86

Total number of Bills introduced in the Legislative Council during the Session 97

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 14TH JUNE, 1932.

1. The Council met pursuant to the Proclamation of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of May, 1932, which Proclamation was read by the Clerk and is as follows :—

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

PROCLAMATION

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

I, the Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation fix Tuesday, the fourteenth day of June, 1932, as the time for the commencement and holding of the First Session of the Thirty-first Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne: And the Honorable the Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

(L.S.) Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fourth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, and in the twenty-third year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

W. H. IRVINE.

By His Excellency's Command,

STANLEY S. ARGYLE.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

HONORABLE GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE
ASSEMBLY:

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

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

GEORGE V., by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India :

WHEREAS by Proclamation made the twenty-fourth day of May, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two by His Excellency the Honorable SIR WILLIAM HILL IRVINE, Doctor of Laws, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c., Tuesday, the fourteenth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, was fixed as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the Parliament of Victoria, at Twelve of the clock noon, in the Parliament Houses, in the City of Melbourne: And forasmuch as for certain causes the said WILLIAM HILL IRVINE, cannot conveniently be present in person in the said Parliament at that time: NOW KNOW YE THAT WE, trusting in the discretion, fidelity, and care of Our trusty and well-beloved the Honorable FREDERICK WOLLASTON MANN, Judge of Our Supreme Court of Victoria, do give and grant by the tenor of these presents unto you the said FREDERICK WOLLASTON MANN, full power in Our name to begin and hold the said Session of Our said Parliament, and to do everything which for and by Us, or the said WILLIAM HILL IRVINE, shall be there to be done; commanding also by the tenor of these presents all whom it may concern to meet Our said Parliament, and to the said FREDERICK WOLLASTON MANN, that he diligently attend in the premises and form aforesaid. In testimony whereof We have caused the Seal of Our said State to be hereunto affixed.

(L.S.) Witness Our trusty and well-beloved the Honorable Sir William Hill Irvine, Doctor of Laws, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria, and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c., at Melbourne, this eighth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, and in the twenty-third year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

W. H. IRVINE.

By His Excellency's Command,

STANLEY S. ARGYLE.

Entered on Record by me in Register of Patents, Book 31,
page 61, this eighth day of June, One thousand
nine hundred and thirty-two.

L. CHAPMAN, Under-Secretary.

Then the Honorable Mr. Justice Mann said—

HONORABLE GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

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

The Members of the Legislative Assembly then withdrew.

The Commissioner withdrew.

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

3. DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS.—The Honorables the President (Sir Frank Clarke), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, G. M. Davis, C. H. A. Eager, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, R. Kilpatrick, H. H. Olney, A. J. Pittard, H. Pye, M. Saltau, H. H. Smith, G. J. Tuckett, and A. M. Zwar severally delivered to the Clerk the Declaration required by the forty-ninth section of the Act No. 2632, as hereunder set forth :—

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, FRANCIS GRENVILLE CLARKE, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of St. Kilda and are known as Nos. 97 and 99 Mitford-street, Elwood, being allotment 27, section 3, at Elwood.*

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of St. Kilda are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £174.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“FRANK CLARKE.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, WILLIAM CHARLES ANGLISS, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne, and are known as part of allotment 6, section 24, city of Melbourne, parish of North Melbourne, county of Bourke, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, volume 3701, folio 740157.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £440.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ W. ANGLISS.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, ALFRED ELLIOTT CHANDLER, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Ferntree Gully, and are known as ‘Boronia,’ corner of Boronia and Forest-roads, Boronia, being portion of Crown lot 69, parish of Scoresby.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Ferntree Gully are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £100.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ A. E. CHANDLER.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, GEORGE MARTLEY DAVIS, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Sale, and are known as Mathieson and Davis’ offices, saleyards, motor garage, and tobacconist shop; and 37 acres and 26 perches known as Sale Plains paddock and Canal paddock all in the town of Sale.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Sale are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £199.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ G. M. DAVIS.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, CLIFDEN HENRY ANDREWS EAGER, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Kew, and are known as No. 26 Barrington-avenue, Kew.

“ And I further declare that the said lands or tenements situate in the municipal district of Kew are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £52.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ C. H. A. EAGER.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, WILLIAM HASLAM EDGAR, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Camberwell, and are known as “Bingley,” 617 Burke-road, Camberwell.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Camberwell are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £120.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ W. H. EDGAR.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, GEORGE LOUIS GOUDIE, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield, and are known as 49 Elizabeth-street, Elsternwick.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £83.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“GEO. L. GOUDIE.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, JOHN PERCY JONES, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne, and are known as 16 to 22, 24, and 26 Patrick-street, Melbourne.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £350.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“J. P. JONES.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, RICHARD KILPATRICK, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Shepparton, and are known as—(i) Lots Nos. 9, 10, and 11 on plan of subdivision and part of Crown allotments 5A, 5B, 6B, parish of Shepparton, county of Moira, more particularly described in certificate of title, volume 3106, folio 621176; (ii) land and offices, Wyndham-street, Shepparton, in which the business of Kilpatrick, McLellan and Co. is carried on, being part of Crown allotments 1 and 1A, section E, township and parish of Shepparton, county of Moira, and being the land more particularly described in certificate of title, volume 982, folio 196309.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Shepparton are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £119.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“R. KILPATRICK.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, HERBERT HORACE OLNEY, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Heidelberg and are known as (i) ‘Yantaringa,’ 47 Locksley-road, Ivanhoe, occupied by myself; and (ii) ‘Tarrangower Flats,’ corner of Ivanhoe-parade and Westley-avenue, Ivanhoe.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Heidelberg are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £270.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“H. H. OLNEY.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, ALFRED JAMES PITTARD, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seized of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Ballarat and are known as 317 Sturt-street, Ballarat.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Ballarat are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £150.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"ALF. J. PITTARD."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HENRY PYE*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Shire of Swan Hill, and are known as house and shops in Campbell-street, Swan Hill, numbered 1502, 1503, 1504, and 1508 in the rate-book.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Shire of Swan Hill, are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £373.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"HENRY PYE."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, MARCUS SALTAU*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Prahran, and are known as part of Crown portion 18, Parish of Prahran, County of Bourke, and more particularly described in certificate of title, volume 4940, folio 987927.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Prahran are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £250.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"M. SALTAU."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HERBERT HENRY SMITH*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Prahran and are known as 'Narwee,' 270 Domain-road, South Yarra.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Prahran are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £320.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"HERBERT H. SMITH."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, GEORGE JOSEPH TUCKETT*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Numurkah, and are known as allotments 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and part of allotment 11 of section D, parish of Yalca.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Numurkah are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £460.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"GEO. J. TUCKETT."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, ALBERT MICHAEL ZWAR*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Beechworth, and are known as house and land in Church-street, and land in Malakoff-road, Beechworth.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Beechworth are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £91.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ A. M. ZWAR.”

4. DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS.—The Honorables E. G. Bath, F. W. Brawn, W. L. R. Clarke, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. A. Currie, J. H. Disney, Dr. J. R. Harris, E. L. Kiernan, G. S. McArthur, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, W. Tyner, and W. J. Williamson severally delivered to the Clerk the Declaration required by the forty-ninth section of the Act No. 2632 as hereunder set forth :—

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, EDWIN GEORGE BATH*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Kara Kara and are known as ‘ Pleasantside ’ Estate.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Kara Kara are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £1,083.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ EDWIN G. BATH.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, FREDERICK WILLIAM BRAWN*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and encumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Ballarat, and are known as 213 Mill-street, Ballarat.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Ballarat are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £50.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ F. W. BRAWN.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, WILLIAM LIONEL RUSSELL CLARKE*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Bulla and Melbourne, and are known as Rupertswood Farm, being Crown allotment 2 and parts of Crown allotment 1 of section 21 of the parish of Bulla Bulla, and part of W. J. T. Clarke’s special survey in the same Parish, Nos. 233 and 234 in the rate-book, and as 249–251 Domain-road, South Yarra, being part of Crown allotment 21 at South Yarra, Parish of South Melbourne, No. 1198 in the rate-book.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Bulla are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £344, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £400.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ W. L. RUSSELL CLARKE.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HAROLD EDWARD COHEN*, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment, and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Caulfield and St. Kilda, and are known as 22 and 24 Empress-road, Caulfield, being all the land comprised in certificate of title, volume 3833, folio 766504, and as 56 and 58 Nightingale-street, St. Kilda, being all the lands comprised in certificates of title, volume 4329, folio 865783, and volume 4778, folio 955542.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £80, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of St. Kilda are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £87.

And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"HAROLD COHEN."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, HENRY ALAN CURRIE, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Lexton, and are known as 'Ercildoune Estate.'

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Lexton are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £3,116.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"H. ALAN CURRIE."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, JAMES HERBERT DISNEY, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of South Melbourne, and are known as 'Clontarf Terrace,' Cecil-street, South Melbourne.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of South Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £167.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"J. H. DISNEY."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, JOHN RICHARDS HARRIS, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Rutherglen, and are known as 'Thrana' vineyard, and land, parishes of Norong and Carlyle.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Rutherglen are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £230.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"JOHN R. HARRIS."

"In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, ESMOND LAWRENCE KIERNAN, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Heidelberg, and are known as house and land in Waldemar-road, Ivanhoe.

"And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Heidelberg are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £96.

"And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

"ESMOND L. KIERNAN."

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, GORDON STEWART McARTHUR do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Hampden, and are known as ‘ Meningoort,’ Camperdown.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Hampden, are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £1,260.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ G. S. McARTHUR.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, MARTIN MCGREGOR, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Narracan, and are known as allotment 97A, parish of Moe, county of Buln Buln.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Narracan are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £175.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ M. MCGREGOR.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, DANIEL LAURENCE McNAMARA, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Berwick and Caulfield, and are known as allotment 2, section p, and allotment 49A, section q, parish of Koo-wee-rup East, county of Mornington ; also house and land known as ‘ Iona,’ Talbot-avenue, East St. Kilda.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Berwick are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £52, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £58.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ D. L. McNAMARA.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, WILLIAM TYNER, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Caulfield and Prahran, and are known as No. 70 Hawthorn-road, Caulfield, and Nos. 14 and 15 Spring-street, Prahran.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Caulfield are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £95, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Prahran are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £64.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ WILLIAM TYNER.”

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, WILLIAM JOHN WILLIAMSON, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Shire of Portland and Borough of Portland, and are known as allotments in the Parishes of Bolwarra and Gorae, and also properties in Barkley-street, Nelson-street, and Glenelg-street, Portland.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Shire of Portland are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £37, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Borough of Portland are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £18.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ W. J. WILLIAMSON.”

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

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

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

I have taken an early opportunity, after the recent General Election, of calling you together to enable you to deal with urgent public business.

It is regretted that the death of Mr. R. H. Solly has to be recorded. As a Member of the Legislative Assembly for many years he rendered valuable public service.

The Government views with deep concern the present financial position of the State. The expenditure this financial year will greatly exceed the revenue. My Advisers feel that the drift must be arrested and all adjustable Government expenditure reviewed in a determined attempt to balance Budgets. The methods to be adopted, in order to place the finances of the State on a more satisfactory basis, are receiving their earnest attention. Every effort is being made to keep the deficit within the amount of the revised deficit allowed to Victoria under the Premiers' Plan.

You will be asked to devote your attention at first to urgent legislation. In addition to other measures, Bills will be submitted to provide for an extension of the period for the operation of Parts I. and II. and portions of Part IV. of the *Financial Emergency Act 1931*, and also of Part I. of the *Unemployed Occupiers and Farmers Relief Act 1931*.

My Ministers will co-operate with the Commonwealth Government in the scheme for making provision for works for the relief of unemployment, and the necessary legislation, so far as this State is concerned, will be submitted for your early consideration.

Pending the preparation of further proposals for the relief of unemployment during the ensuing financial year, a measure for the amendment and temporary continuation of the Stamps (Unemployment Relief) Acts will be brought forward.

When the urgent legislation to which reference has been made has been passed, my Advisers propose that there should be an adjournment for a short period to enable them to prepare their legislative programme for the remainder of the Session, which will include measures relating to—

- (i) the provision of relief work for unemployed persons, pending their re-absorption in industry ;
- (ii) Closer Settlement and Discharged Soldiers' Settlement ; and
- (iii) the co-ordination of transport.

When Parliament resumes, a Ministerial statement will be made indicating the measures which will be presented for your consideration during the remainder of the Session.

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

The Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the financial year 1931-32 and a Bill to make preliminary provision for the services of the ensuing financial year will be submitted to you.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the year 1932-33 will be placed before you at an earlier date than usual.

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

My Advisers, believing that greater production in exportable commodities is an essential factor in any efforts to rehabilitate the State, will pursue the policy of stimulating the development of rural industries, and legislation with that object will be introduced as early as possible.

My Ministers are of opinion that the pressing need of this State at the present time is not for legislative effort involving, in many instances, increased demands on the Treasury, but for a more vigorous administration of the public departments in order to reduce State expenditure and promote greater efficiency.

It is, therefore, proposed that, when the essential legislation for the Session has been dealt with, Parliament should be prorogued in order that Ministers may devote the whole of their time to the administration of their respective Departments, and to the important task of bringing about Budgetary equilibrium.

I now leave you to the discharge of your duties and trust that Divine Providence will guide your deliberations.

Which being concluded, a copy of the Speech was delivered to the President, and a copy to Mr. Speaker, and His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor left the Chamber.

The Legislative Assembly then withdrew.

6. The President resumed the Chair.

7. **DECLARATION OF MEMBER.**—The Honorable R. Williams delivered to the Clerk the Declaration required by the forty-ninth section of the Act No. 2632 as hereunder set forth :—

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, **ROBERT WILLIAMS**, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of South Melbourne, and are known as 123 Wright-street, Middle Park.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of South Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £75.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ R. WILLIAMS.”

8. **LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL.**—On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, a Bill relating to Elections for the Legislative Council was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

9. **COMMITTEE OF ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—The President laid upon the Table the following Warrant appointing the Committee of Elections and Qualifications :—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—VICTORIA.

Pursuant to the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928* I do hereby appoint—

The Honorable Henry Isaac Cohen,
The Honorable Clifden Henry Andrews Eager,
The Honorable George Louis Goudie,
The Honorable Dr. John Richards Harris,
The Honorable John Percy Jones,
The Honorable Daniel Laurence McNamara, and
The Honorable Horace Frank Richardson

to be members of a Committee to be called “ The Committee of Elections and Qualifications.”

Given under my hand this fourteenth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

FRANK CLARKE,

President of the Legislative Council.

10. **TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.**—The President laid upon the Table the following Warrant nominating the Temporary Chairmen of Committees :—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—VICTORIA.

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

The Honorable William Charles Angliss,
The Honorable William Lionel Russell Clarke,
The Honorable James Herbert Disney, and
The Honorable George Joseph Tuckett

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

Given under my hand this fourteenth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

FRANK CLARKE,

President of the Legislative Council.

11. **LEAVE OF ABSENCE.**—The Honorable H. H. Smith moved, by leave, That leave of absence for one month be granted to the Honorable Henry Isaac Cohen on account of ill-health, and that a letter of sympathy be sent to him.

Debate ensued.

Motion, by leave, withdrawn.

The Hon. H. H. Smith moved, by leave, That leave of absence for three months be granted to the Honorable Henry Isaac Cohen on account of ill-health, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to him, together with a report of the debate.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

12. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.**—On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, a Bill to amend Divisions Nine and Ten of Part XIX. and Division Five of Part XXI. of the *Local Government Act 1928* was, by leave, read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

13. PAPERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—

Unemployment Relief Works Board—Report for the quarter ended 31st March, 1932.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Agricultural Education—Accounts of the Trustees of Agricultural Colleges and the Council of Agricultural Education for the six months ended 30th September, 1930, and 31st March, 1931.

Apprenticeship Acts—Apprenticeship Commission of Victoria—

Amendment of Plumbing and Gasfitting Regulations (No. 1) and (No. 3).

Boot Trades Regulations (No. 1).

Further Amendment of Printing Trades Regulations (No. 2).

Bank Liabilities and Assets—Summary of Sworn Returns for the quarter ended 31st March, 1932.

Health Acts—Plumbers and Gasfitters Regulations 1932.

Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners—Statement of Accounts for the year 1931.

Melbourne Sailors' Home Act 1901—Accounts and Statements of Receipts and Expenditure for the year 1931.

Public Service Act 1928—Regulations—

Classification of General Division—Chapter VII.—

Department of Chief Secretary.

Department of Public Health.

Department of Public Instruction.

Department of Public Works.

Department of Treasurer.

Professional Division—Chapter II.—

Department of Agriculture (2 papers).

Department of Chief Secretary (2 papers).

Department of Law (2 papers).

Department of Mines.

Department of Public Health.

Department of Public Instruction.

Department of Public Works.

Travelling Allowances—Chapter IX.—Miscellaneous.

Railways—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 31st March, 1932.

14. SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The President reported the Speech of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.

The Honorable G. S. McArthur moved, That the Council agree to the following Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech :—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY—

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

Debate ensued.

The Honorable E. L. Kiernan moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

15. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Council at its rising adjourn until Tuesday next at half-past Four o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 21st JUNE, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. W. TYNER : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) What was the cost of the land acquired by the Government for business and residential sites at Wonthaggi, in connexion with the State Coal Mine.
 - (b) What amount has been received from the sale or lease of (i) business sites, and (ii) residential sites.
 - (c) What is the area and value of such land remaining unsold.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

1. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in each week be the days on which the Council shall meet for the despatch of business during the present Session, and that half-past Four o'clock be the hour of meeting on each day ; that on Tuesday and Thursday in each week the transaction of Government business shall take precedence of all other business ; and that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business ; and that no new business, except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper, be taken after the hour of Eleven o'clock.
2. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That the Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson be members of the Select Committee on the Standing Orders of the House ; three to be the quorum.
3. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That the Honorables W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar be members of the House Committee.
4. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That the Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner be members of the Joint Committee to manage the Library.
5. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That the Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett be members of the Printing Committee ; three to be the quorum.
6. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That, in compliance with the recommendation of the Joint Select Committee on the Consolidation of the Laws, adopted by this House on the 22nd June, 1915, a Committee be appointed, consisting of six members, to join with a Committee of the Legislative Assembly, to deal with anomalies in the law and make recommendations as to statutory amendments, such Committee to consist of the Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson, with power to send for persons, papers, and records ; five to be the quorum.

Contingent on the foregoing being carried—

To move, That a Message be sent to the Legislative Assembly acquainting them with the foregoing resolution.

7. The Hon. Colonel HAROLD COHEN : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Seventy-five of the *Marriage Act 1928*.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—
Resumption of debate (Hon. E. L. Kiernan).
2. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.
3. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 2.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND JUNE, 1932.

Questions.

1. The Hon. G. J. TUCKETT: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Does the Government intend to re-enact or amend the sections in Part III. of the *Financial Emergency Act* 1931 dealing with the reduction of interest rates on mortgages and thus extend the moratorium in conformity with the spirit of the Premiers' Plan.
2. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Will the Government bring before the next Premiers' Conference the advisability of passing legislation that will provide for one department to make the necessary valuations for Federal and State Land Tax Departments and Probate Duties Offices, Municipalities, Law Courts, Land Settlement Departments, Water and Sewerage Boards, Financial Institutions, and for other purposes with the view of securing uniformity and saving unnecessary expense, and also provide that such valuations shall be based on the productive values of all properties.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
2. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
3. MARRIAGE (VALIDATING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
4. JUDGMENTS (RECIPROCITY) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
5. PUBLIC SERVICE PAYMENTS REDUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
6. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. Kilpatrick).
7. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
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STANDING ORDERS—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT)—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

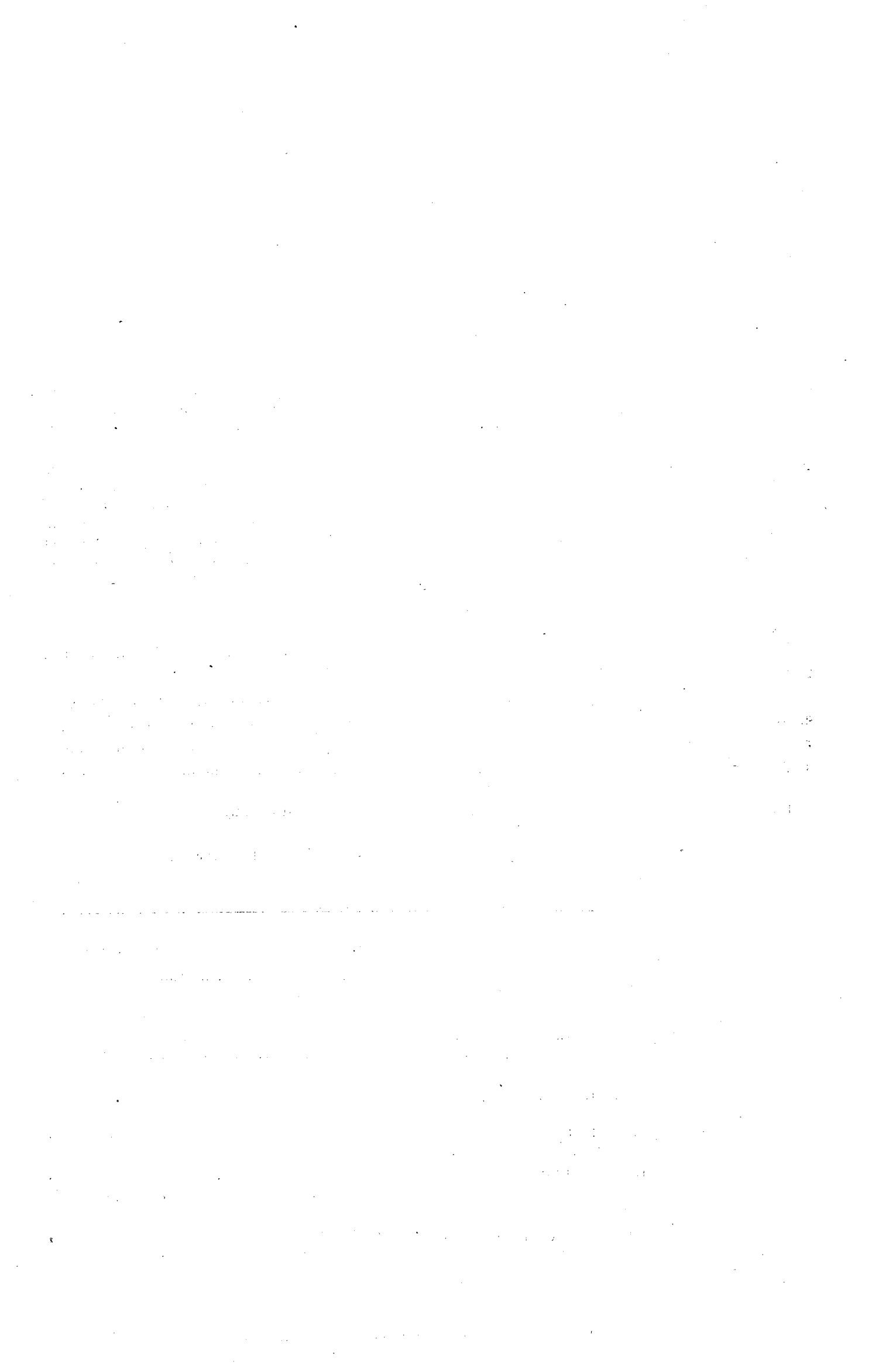
LIBRARY (JOINT)—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 21ST JUNE, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS.—The Honorables H. Keck, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, and H. F. Richardson severally delivered to the Clerk the Declaration required by the fifty-fifth section of the Act No. 3660 as hereunder set forth :—

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HERBERT KECK, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Strathfieldsaye, and are known as ‘The Palms,’ Retreat-road, Bendigo.*

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Strathfieldsaye are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £240.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“HERBERT KECK.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, GEORGE VICTOR LANSSELL, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Bendigo, and are known as (i) ‘Denderah,’ View Hill, Bendigo, and (ii) ‘Royal Bank,’ View Point, Bendigo.*

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Bendigo are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £550.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“GEO. V. LANSELL.”

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928, I, HORACE FRANK RICHARDSON, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Geelong, and are known as ‘The Exchange,’ Little Malop-street, Geelong.*

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Geelong are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £350.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“H. F. RICHARDSON.”

3. **PUBLIC SERVICE PAYMENTS REDUCTION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section Five of the ‘ Public Service Payments Reduction Act 1930’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. **JUDGMENTS (RECIPROCITY) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Division Twelve of Part VIII. of the ‘ Supreme Court Act 1928’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. **MARRIAGE (VALIDATING) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide Facilities for enabling certain Marriages in Fact to be declared not to be invalid* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
- Fisheries Acts—Notices of Intention to issue Proclamations—
To prohibit all Fishing in or the Taking of Fish from—
Buffalo Creek until 30th September, 1934.
Lang Lang River and its Tributaries.
To vary the Proclamation *re* Prohibition of Fishing in Portion of Woady Yallock Creek.
- Friendly Societies—Fifty-fourth Annual Report of the Government Statist relating to the period of twelve months ended 30th June, 1931, with Appendices.
- Public Service Act 1928—Copy of Papers in connexion with the promotion of John Richmond Henry from the Second Class to the First Class, Department of Chief Secretary.
- Trade Unions—Report of the Government Statist for the year 1931, with an Appendix.
- Water Acts—Copy of Declaration of the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply (together with plan) defining the area that ought to be constituted the Bellarine Peninsula Waterworks District.
7. **DAYS OF BUSINESS.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in each week be the days on which the Council shall meet for the despatch of business during the present Session, and that half-past Four o'clock be the hour of meeting on each day ; that on Tuesday and Thursday in each week the transaction of Government business shall take precedence of all other business ; and that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business ; and that no new business, except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper, be taken after the hour of Eleven o'clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
8. **STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson be members of the Select Committee on the Standing Orders of the House ; three to be the quorum.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
9. **HOUSE COMMITTEE.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Honorables W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar be members of the House Committee.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
10. **LIBRARY COMMITTEE.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner be members of the Joint Committee to manage the Library.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
11. **PRINTING COMMITTEE.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett be members of the Printing Committee ; three to be the quorum.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
12. **STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That, in compliance with the recommendation of the Joint Select Committee on the Consolidation of the Laws, adopted by this House on the 22nd June, 1915, a Committee be appointed, consisting of six members, to join with a Committee of the Legislative Assembly, to deal with anomalies in the law and make recommendations as to statutory amendments, such Committee to consist of the Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGeorge, and H. F. Richardson, with power to send for persons, papers, and records ; five to be the quorum.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them with the foregoing resolution.
13. **MARRIAGE BILL.**—On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, a Bill to amend Section Seventy-five of the *Marriage Act 1928* was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

14. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 11 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable R. Kilpatrick moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
15. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Parts I., II., and IV. of the Financial Emergency Act 1931* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until after No. 3.
17. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
18. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 3.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND JUNE, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair, and read the Prayer.
2. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the members of the Legislative Council and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the members of the Legislative Council and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
3. MARRIAGE BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
4. MARRIAGE (VALIDATING) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

5. **JUDGMENTS (RECIPROCITY) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
6. **PUBLIC SERVICE PAYMENTS REDUCTION BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
7. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 6, be postponed until Tuesday next.
8. **UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make provision for the Establishment of the Employment Council of Victoria and with respect to Payments out of the Unemployment Relief Fund*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, was read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
9. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 3.

TUESDAY, 28TH JUNE, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—
Resumption of debate (Hon. R. Kilpatrick).
2. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

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STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

PHILOSOPHY

PHILOSOPHY 101: INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY

LECTURE 1

THE PHILOSOPHER'S WISDOM

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What is philosophy? It is the study of the most general and fundamental aspects of human existence, such as truth, knowledge, and the nature of reality.

Philosophy is a discipline that seeks to understand the world and ourselves through critical thinking and logical analysis.

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In this lecture, we will explore the foundations of philosophy and the role of the philosopher in society.

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Philosophy is a discipline that has shaped the course of human history and continues to influence our lives today.

By studying philosophy, we can develop the skills and habits of mind that are essential for a well-lived life.

Let us begin our journey into the world of philosophy by exploring the question of what is the good life?

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 4.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH JUNE, 1932.

Questions.

1. The Hon. H. H. SMITH: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) What action is the Government taking to suppress communist clubs and to prevent the holding of disloyal meetings, the dissemination of godless teachings among children and others by means of a catechism, and the printing of seditious literature.
 - (b) Will the Government communicate with the Commonwealth authorities to ensure joint action being taken in regard to these matters.
 - (c) What action is the Government taking to prevent groups of unemployed persons travelling on the railways without authority or the payment of fares.
2. The Hon. E. L. KIERNAN: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—What action does the Government propose to take in the direction of placing the control of the Mines Department under a qualified technical director directly responsible to the Minister of Mines.
3. The Hon. H. H. SMITH: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) In view of the rotting of the old wharves between the Queen's bridge and the Spencer-street bridge, will the Government take steps to have these wharves demolished.
 - (b) Has the Government considered the advisability of having arterial roads constructed on the south side of the Spencer-street bridge.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS (COMMONWEALTH AND STATES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
2. MOORABBIN LOANS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
3. INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
4. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. Kilpatrick).*
5. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,

President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 28TH JUNE, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MOORABBIN LOANS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Shire of Moorabbin to expend the Balances of certain Moneys for purposes other than the purposes for which the said Moneys were borrowed by the said Shire* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
The Honorable A. E. Chandler moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable A. E. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 1).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Two million three hundred and six thousand four hundred and fifty-three pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Apprenticeship Acts—Apprenticeship Commission of Victoria—Further Amendment of Plumbing and Gasfitting Regulations (No. 3).
5. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable R. Kilpatrick moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of the parlous position of the primary producers of this State ; and six members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed, the question was put and, after debate, negatived.
6. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS (COMMONWEALTH AND STATES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Raising of Money by the State for the purposes of the Commonwealth Acts known as the ‘ Loan (Unemployment Relief Works) Acts 1932,’ and relating to the Provision by the State of certain Moneys in respect of Interest on Amounts borrowed in accordance with the said Acts by certain Authorities and Bodies of Persons and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
7. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 1).—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
8. INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to the Borrowing Powers of the Queen’s Memorial Infectious Diseases Hospital Board* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH JUNE, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages Act 1928—General Abstract of the number of Births, Deaths, and Marriages registered during 1931 in Victoria.
3. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS (COMMONWEALTH AND STATES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time and, debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, and after debate, that the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
4. STAMPS (UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend and continue the Stamps (Unemployment Relief) Acts*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. MOORABBIN LOANS BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
6. INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
7. UNEMPLOYED OCCUPIERS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Sections Seventeen and Eighteen of the ‘Unemployed Occupiers and Farmers Relief Act 1931’ as amended by the ‘Unemployed Occupiers Act 1932’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
8. STAMPS (UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—
That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—
Clause 5, line 33, after “fails” insert “without reasonable cause”—
and asked leave to sit again.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.
9. UNEMPLOYED OCCUPIERS BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
10. STAMPS (UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

11. STAMPS (UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 5.

TUESDAY, 5TH JULY, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. A. J. PITTARD: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) How many motor accidents (i) fatal, (ii) serious, and (iii) minor occurred during the years 1930, 1931, and 1932 to date.
 - (b) How many of such accidents occurred in (i) the city of Melbourne, (ii) the suburbs, and (iii) the country.
 - (c) What were the causes of these accidents.
 - (d) How many motor cars were registered in each year during this period.
 - (e) What was the ratio of accidents to cars registered in each year.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS (COMMONWEALTH AND STATES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
2. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. Kilpatrick).
3. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 6.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH JULY, 1932.

Questions.

1. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Will the Government favourably consider an amendment of the Motor Acts to provide for compulsory insurance in connexion with motor accidents and for the payment out of the proceeds of such insurance to public hospitals and other charitable institutions of the cost of treating persons injured in such accidents.
2. The Hon. M. SALTAU: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) What is the number and total amount of advances made to cultivators of land under the Cultivation Advances Acts since 1st January, 1930, specifying the number and amount of such advances made during the years 1930, 1931, and 1932 to date, respectively.
 - (b) How much of the total amount advanced during that period has not yet been repaid and how much of this amount is regarded as irrecoverable.
 - (c) What is the amount of the largest individual advance made during that period.
 - (d) What is the number and total amount of advances made during the years 1931 and 1932 to date respectively to cultivators of crops other than wheat, oats, or barley.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—
Resumption of debate (Hon. R. Kilpatrick).
2. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,

President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 7.

THURSDAY, 7TH JULY, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) What amount has been expended on roads and bridges by the Country Roads Board since its inception.
 - (b) What amounts have been contributed to the Board (i) from loans, (ii) from motor taxation, and (iii) from Government grants.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie*)—Second reading.
2. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,

President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 5TH JULY, 1932.

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

2. MESSAGE FROM THE DEPUTY FOR HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Goudie presented Messages from the Deputy for His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—Informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

Financial Emergency (Amendment) Act.

Judgments (Reciprocity) Act.

Public Service Payments Reduction Act 1930 Amendment Act.

Unemployment Relief (Amendment) Act.

Consolidated Revenue Act.

Unemployed Occupiers Act (No. 2).

Stamps (Unemployment Relief) Act.

Informing the Council that he had reserved for the signification of His Majesty's pleasure thereon the undermentioned Bill, viz. :—

Marriage (Validating) Bill.

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Goudie presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor transmitting to the Council, pursuant to the provisions of section XXXVI. of The Constitution Act, the following amendment which he desires to be made in the *Local Government Bill* :—

In sub-clause (1) of clause 2, omit "so levelling" and insert "so forming levelling."

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

4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.

5. MOTOR OMNIBUS (BY-LAWS) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, a Bill to amend Section Thirty-five of the *Motor Omnibus Act 1928* was, by leave, read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time later this day.

6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor recommending a certain amendment in this Bill having been read—

(For this amendment see entry 4 above.)

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Council agreed to the amendment recommended by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and ordered the Message from His Excellency to be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith and desiring their concurrence therein.

7. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS (COMMONWEALTH AND STATES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

8. **INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have disagreed with the amendment made in this Bill by the Council.

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

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

Clause 2, page 2, line 5, after “interest” insert “not exceeding Four per centum per annum”.

The Honorable A. E. Chandler moved, That the Council do not insist on this amendment disagreed with by the Assembly.

Debate ensued.

The Honorable C. H. A. Eager moved, as an amendment, That all the words after “That” be omitted from the question with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly but with the following amendment :—

After ‘per annum’ insert ‘or such higher rate as is approved by the Governor in Council.’”

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

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the Council insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly but with the following amendment :—

After “per annum” insert “or such higher rate as is approved by the Governor in Council”—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly but have amended the same and desiring their concurrence therein.

9. **MOORABBIN LOANS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, pursuant to the provisions of section XXXVI. of The Constitution Act, recommending the following amendment which he desires to be made in this Bill, and acquainting the Council that the Assembly have agreed to such amendment, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein :—

In the First Schedule, omit all the words and figures in Column 4 and insert the following words and figures :—

Column 4.	
Purposes to which Loans were to be applied, but to which the Amounts thereof shown hereunder have not been so applied.	
Reconstruction of Thomas-street from McKinnon-road to North-road	£1,395 11 0
Improvements to Depot (erection of sheds, fencing, and laying on water)	131 2 8
Purchase and improvements, Storage Depot	2,185 0 11
Construction of drainage works, Manchester-road to Lindsay-street	515 12 11
Purchase of plant	6 5 11
Cost of acquiring for recreation purposes 12 acres (more or less) of land situate Tucker-road, Bentleigh, in the Parish of Moorabbin	£107 14 8
Total .. .. .	.. .. .

On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, the Council agreed to the amendment recommended by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, and ordered His Excellency’s Message to be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

10. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment recommended by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor in this Bill.

11. **MOTOR OMNIBUS (BY-LAWS) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 7.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH JULY, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 11 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That the Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor by the President and such members of the Council as may wish to accompany him.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
3. STATE COAL MINE INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to the Establishment of an Industrial Tribunal with Power to determine the Rates of Pay and Conditions of Employment at or in connexion with the State Coal Mine at Wonthaggi*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave and after debate, was read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
4. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to provide for the Imposition of a Tax upon Payments for Admission to Entertainments*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
5. MOTOR OMNIBUS (BY-LAWS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to this Bill without amendment.
6. ADJOURNMENT.—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at a quarter past Three o'clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 8.

THURSDAY, 7TH JULY, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they do not insist on disagreeing with the amendment of the Council in this Bill, but have agreed to the same as amended by the Council.
3. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that no new business except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper shall be taken after the hour of Eleven o'clock be suspended for the remainder of this week.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

4. ENTERTAINMENTS TAX BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
5. FREEZING WORKS (OVERDRAFT GUARANTEE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Treasurer of Victoria to guarantee the Payment to the Commonwealth Bank of Australia by the Amalgamated Freezing Company (Victoria) Proprietary Limited of Moneys advanced by the said Bank to the said Company by way of Overdraft for the purposes of its Undertakings at Ballarat and Bendigo during the Financial Year 1932–1933, and the Payment of Interest on such Moneys* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave and after debate, was read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
6. INCOME TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section Ten of the Income Tax Acts Amendment Act 1931* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. BUCHAN LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Exchange of certain Crown Lands in the Town of Buchan for certain other Lands in the said Town and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
8. INCOME TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
9. BUCHAN LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
10. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 8.

TUESDAY, 12TH JULY, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. G. J. TUCKETT: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—What legislation (if any) does the Government intend to introduce with reference to Part III. of the *Financial Emergency Act 1931*, and particularly with reference to—
 - (a) reduction of interest on mortgages or renewals or extensions of mortgages entered into since that Act was passed;
 - (b) extension of the period (expiring on the 1st October next) during which mortgagees may be prevented from exercising any power of sale or foreclosure or other remedy for enforcing payment of the principal moneys secured by the mortgage; and
 - (c) any further moratorium to mortgagors, and particularly to mortgagors who are primary producers.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 9.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH JULY, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. H. A. CURRIE : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) How many children are attending State primary schools in Victoria.
 - (b) How many teachers are employed by the Education Department to teach these children.
 - (c) What amount was paid as salaries to these teachers during the financial year 1931-32.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 9.

TUESDAY, 12TH JULY, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Unemployment Relief Works (Commonwealth and States) Act.*
 - Moorabbin Loans Act.*
 - Local Government Act.*
 - State Coal Mine Industrial Tribunal Act.*
 - Infectious Diseases Hospital Act.*
 - Motor Omnibus (By-laws) Act.*
 - Entertainments Tax Act.*
 - Freezing Works (Overdraft Guarantee) Act.*
 - Income Tax (Amendment) Act.*
 - Buchan Lands Exchange Act.*
3. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Five hundred and seventy thousand five hundred and fifty-five pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. INCOME TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.
5. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Children’s Welfare Department and Reformatory Schools—Report of the Secretary and Inspector for the year 1931.
 - Education Act 1928—Provision of Meals for State School Children—Statement of Expenditure for the year 1931–32.
 - Medical Act 1928 (Part II.)—Dental Board of Victoria—Regulations.
6. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 2).—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
7. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that no new business except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper shall be taken after the hour of Eleven o’clock be suspended during this sitting of the Council.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
8. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 10.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH JULY, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to The Country Roads Board Fund and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. DAYLESFORD LAND BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Revocation of the Setting Apart and the Reservation of certain Crown Land in the Borough of Daylesford set apart and reserved as a Site for a Market and for the Revocation of the Crown Grant of the said Land and for the Permanent Reservation of Portion of the said Land as a Site for Market Purposes and of another Portion thereof for Municipal Purposes and of another Portion thereof for the Purposes of the ‘ Education Act 1928 ’ and for the Issue of a Crown Grant of the Balance of the said Land to the Country Fire Brigades Board* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that no new business except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper shall be taken after the hour of Eleven o’clock be suspended during this sitting of the Council.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
5. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
Debate ensued.
Question—put.
The Council divided.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. E. G. Bath,
F. W. Brawn (*Teller*),
A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager (*Teller*),
W. H. Edgar,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
G. S. McArthur,
A. J. Pittard,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith.

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The Hon. J. H. Disney,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
M. McGregor,
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*),
H. H. Olney (*Teller*),
H. F. Richardson,
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner,
W. J. Williamson.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

6. DAYLESFORD LAND BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

7. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 6th September next, at half-past Four o’clock, or such earlier date and hour as may be fixed by Mr. President and notified by him to each honorable member by telegram or letter.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at six minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 6th September next, at half-past Four o’clock, or such earlier date and hour as may be fixed by Mr. President and notified by him to each honorable member by telegram or letter.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 10.

TUESDAY, 6TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. J. H. DISNEY: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—

- (a) Has he noticed in the columns of the *Age* newspaper of Monday, the 11th July, that there is a doubt expressed relative to the Australian Naval Squadron making its usual visit to Melbourne during the forthcoming Melbourne Cup festivities.
- (b) Will he make representations to the Naval Board expressing, on behalf of the Government and the people of this State, the view that the visit to Melbourne by the Squadron would be welcomed by the people of Victoria.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

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STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 11.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris*).
2. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorable H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 11.

TUESDAY, 6TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. DECLARATION OF MEMBER.—The Honorable H. I. Cohen delivered to the Clerk the Declaration required by the fifty-fifth section of the Act No. 3660 as hereunder set forth :—

“In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, HENRY ISAAC COHEN, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal districts of Melbourne and Northcote, and are known as ‘Keonbrook,’ 106 Vale-street, East Melbourne, and lots 11 and 12, part A, of Thornbury Park Estate.

“And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Melbourne are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £225, and that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Northcote are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £39.

“And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“HENRY I. COHEN.”

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

Consolidated Revenue Act.
Country Roads Board Fund Act.
Daylesford Land Act.

4. PRESENTATION OF ADDRESS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The President reported that, accompanied by honorable members, he had on the 3rd August last waited upon His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and had presented to him the Address of the Legislative Council, adopted on the 6th July last, in reply to His Excellency’s Opening Speech, and that His Excellency had been pleased to make the following reply :—

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

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

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

5. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL.—On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, a Bill to amend the Law relating to Distress for Rent in the case of Goods and Chattels comprised in Hire Purchase Agreements was, by leave, read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time later this day.
6. THE LATE WILLIAM PAUL CROCKETT, HOWARD HITCHCOCK, SIR WILLIAM MURRAY MCPHERSON, AND HENRY BEARDMORE.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That this House place on record its sorrow at the death of the Honorable William Paul Crockett and Howard Hitchcock, C.M.G., O.B.E., formerly members of this House, and of the Honorable Sir William Murray McPherson, K.B.E., formerly a member of the Legislative Assembly and Premier and Treasurer of the State, and the Honorable Henry Beardmore, a member of the Legislative Assembly, and its appreciation of the services rendered by them to the Parliament and people of Victoria.

And other honorable members having addressed the House—

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

7. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House, out of respect to the memory of the late Honorable William Paul Crockett, the late Howard Hitchcock, the late Honorable Sir William Murray McPherson, and the late Honorable Henry Beardmore, do now adjourn until a quarter to Eight o'clock this day.

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

1. The President resumed the Chair.
2. PAPERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—

Public Service Commissioner—Report for the period 1st January, 1931, to 30th June, 1932.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Agricultural Education—Accounts of the Trustees of Agricultural Colleges and the Council of Agricultural Education for the six months ended 30th September, 1931.

Apprenticeship Acts—Apprenticeship Commission of Victoria—Boot Trades Regulations (No. 2):

Bank Liabilities and Assets—Summary of Sworn Returns for the quarter ended 30th June, 1932.

Constitution Statute—Statement of Expenditure under Schedule D to Act 18 and 19 Vict., Cap. 55, Act No. 3660, and Act No. 3945, and Act No. 3961 during the year 1931–32.

Crimes Act 1928—Probation Officers Regulations 1932.

Explosives Act 1928—Report of the Chief Inspector of Explosives on the Working of the Act during the year 1931.

Factories and Shops—Report of the Chief Inspector for the year 1931.

Fisheries Acts—Notice of Intention to issue a Proclamation to prohibit all Fishing in or the Taking of Fish from the Serpentine Lagoon, near Maffra, until 30th September, 1933.

Friendly Societies Act 1928 and Trade Unions Act 1928—Report of the Registrar of Friendly Societies for the year 1931, with an Appendix.

Geelong Harbor Trust—Accounts and Balance-sheet for the year 1931.

Health Acts—Septic Tank Regulations 1932.

Justices Act 1928 and Maintenance Act 1928—Additional Rules.

Lunacy Act 1928—Regulation revoked and Regulation made.

Medical Act 1928 (Part II.)—Dental Board of Victoria—Regulations relating to Elections.

Public Service Act 1928—

Copy of Papers in connexion with the promotion of James Bruce Banks from the Fifth Class to the Fourth Class, Department of Law.

Regulations—Classification of General Division, Chapter VII.—Department of Public Works.

Railways—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the year 1931–32.

State Coal Mine Industrial Tribunal Act 1932—Award No. 1 made by the State Coal Mine Industrial Tribunal relating to the rates of payment to workers at the State Coal Mine, Wonthaggi, together with the Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners with regard thereto.

Water Acts—Copy of Declaration of the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply (together with plan) defining the area that ought to be constituted the Newstead Waterworks District.

3. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That this Bill be now read a second time and, debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
4. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 12.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 3).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Nine hundred and seventy-one thousand six hundred and twenty-seven pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

3. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 3).—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

4. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 20th instant.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-one minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 20th instant.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 12.

TUESDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. H. H. SMITH: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—

- (a) What was the total amount received by the State Electricity Commission from the sales of electrical appliances during each of the years 1929-30, 1930-31, and 1931-32.
- (b) What was the total amount of profit on such sales in each of these years.
- (c) How many briquette distribution depots have been established by the Commission.
- (d) What was the amount received from the sales of briquettes at each of these depots during the year 1931-32.
- (e) What was the total amount of profit on such sales.
- (f) What is the estimated amount of the saving made by the Commission by distributing briquettes through their own depots instead of as formerly through fuel merchants.
- (g) Is it intended that the Commission will continue the present system of selling electrical appliances direct to the public in competition with merchants engaged in the sale of such appliances.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris*).
2. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

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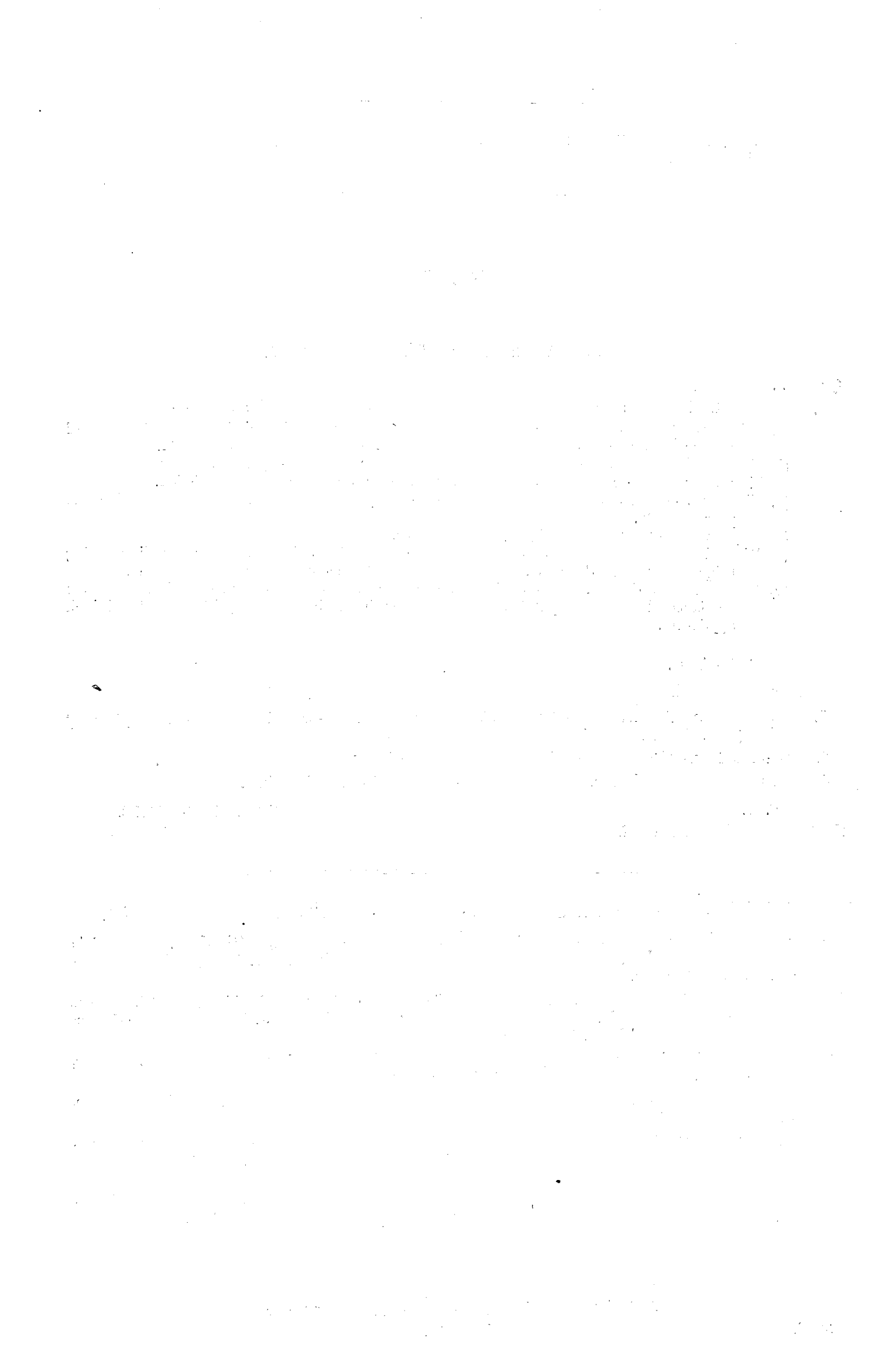
STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 13.

WEDNESDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER, 1932.

Questions.

1. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour—Will the Government cause to be referred to the Employment Council for consideration and report the question of the advisability of allocating from the Unemployment Relief Fund a sum of not less than £5,000 for the purpose of paying approximately five shillings a week to unemployed boys under the age of eighteen years who are anxious to learn general farming and other rural occupations where employers are willing to give employment and instruction to such boys and to provide them with free board and lodging.
2. The Hon. W. TYNER: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Are the Queen Victoria Market lands being used for any purposes other than those provided for in any Acts relating to the market or in the conditions of the Crown Grant of such lands.
3. The Hon. W. TYNER: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Is it the intention of the Government to introduce an amending Factories Bill this Session.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

1. The Hon. A. E. CHANDLER: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill relating to the Publication of Certain Advertisements.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. MOTOR CAR BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
2. COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
4. TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
5. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Pittard).
6. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- STANDING ORDERS.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
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- PRINTING.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.
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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 13.

TUESDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM THE DEPUTY FOR HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from the Deputy for His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Consolidated Revenue Act.
3. COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the Third Schedule to the ‘ Country Roads Act 1928’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. BRUNSWICK LOAN BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the City of Brunswick to expend the Balance of certain Moneys for purposes other than the purposes for which the said Moneys were borrowed by the said City* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to Trout-fishing Licences* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. MOTOR CAR BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the Motor Car Acts* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
7. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section Nine of the ‘ Unemployment Relief Amendment Act 1930’ and Sections Five and Nine of the ‘ Unemployment Relief Amendment Act 1931’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
8. GOVERNMENT ADVANCES (REDUCTION OF INTEREST) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Temporary Reduction of the Rate of Interest payable to the State under certain Enactments* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

9. **CHARLTON LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Closing of Portion of a certain Street in the Township of Charlton and for the Issue of a Crown Grant of the said Portion to the Country Fire Brigades Board* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
10. **GORMANDALE LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Revocation of the Reservation of certain Crown Land in the Township of Gormandale in the Parish of Willung reserved as a Site for a Mechanics’ Institute and for the Sale of the said Land and the Application of the Purchase Money therefor* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
11. **STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.**—The President announced the receipt of Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have appointed a Committee to join with the Committee of the Council to deal with anomalies in the law and make recommendations as to statutory amendments, such Committee consisting of Mr. Blackburn, Mr. Macfarlan, Mr. Menzies, Mr. Prendergast, Mr. Slater, and Mr. Wettenhall, with power to send for persons, papers, and records, and to sit on days on which the House does not meet; five to be the quorum.
12. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Charities Board of Victoria—Report for the year 1931–32.
Education Act 1928—
 Regulation XVIII.—Holidays.
 Report of the Council of Public Education for the year 1931–32.
Fisheries Acts—Notices of Intention to issue Proclamations—
 To alter the Bag Limit for Trout (Non-Indigenous to Victoria).
 To vary the Proclamation respecting Restrictions on Netting in the vicinity of St. Kilda pier.
Justices Act 1928 and Acts Interpretation Act 1928—Amendment of the Justices Act Rules 1930.
Lands Compensation Act 1928—Return under section 37 showing the amount of money paid for the year 1931–32 by the State Electricity Commission for land resumed in connexion with the works and undertakings of the Commission.
Public Library, Museums, and National Gallery of Victoria—Report of the Trustees for the year 1931, with a Statement of Income and Expenditure for the year 1930–31.
State Savings Bank of Victoria—Statements and Returns for the year 1931–32.
Superannuation Act 1928—Report of the State Superannuation Board for the year 1931–32.
13. **LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
14. **COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
15. **TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to continue the Treasury Overdrafts Acts* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
16. **BRUNSWICK LOAN BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
17. **UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

18. CHARLTON LAND BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
19. GOVERNMENT ADVANCES (REDUCTION OF INTEREST) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
20. GORMANDALE LAND BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
21. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable A. J. Pittard, that the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
- And then the Council, at twenty-two minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 14.

WEDNESDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. POLICE OFFENCES (ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, a Bill relating to the Publication of Certain Advertisements was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.
3. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board—Report and Statement of Accounts for the year 1931–32.
4. MOTOR CAR BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
5. COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—
That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz. :—
1. Clause 2, line 16, after “haulage” insert “(a)”.
2. “ ” ” 18, after “shilling” insert—
“or (b) of road making machinery or plant the fee on the registration or the renewal of the registration of such traction engine shall be Five pounds five shillings”—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

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

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 2, page 3, lines 9–12, omit “ not being less than the lowest rate per hour which is payable under paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this sub-section ”—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

7. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION TRUSTS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to make provision under Part III. of the Financial Emergency Act 1931 with respect to Railway Construction Trusts* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

8. TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 2, line 15, omit “ thirty-five ” and insert “ thirty-four ”—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

9. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 14.

TUESDAY, 27TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

Question.

1. THE HON. W. L. R. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) What revenue has been collected by the Fisheries and Game Department during the past 10 years.
 - (b) What expenditure has been incurred by the Department during the past 10 years on (i) trout propagation and protection; (ii) other purposes.
 - (c) How has the excess (if any) of revenue over expenditure been applied.
 - (d) How many trout-fishing licences is it estimated will be issued if the Fisheries Bill now before Parliament is passed.
 - (e) What revenue is estimated to be collected as fines under the Bill if passed.
 - (f) How many officials, including inspectors, are employed in the Department, and what is the total amount of their salaries.
 - (g) How many additional officials or inspectors or collectors will be required if the Bill is passed.
 - (h) Is it estimated that the Bill, if passed, will have the effect of limiting the number of trout fishers.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION TRUSTS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
2. POLICE OFFENCES (ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
3. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. J. Pittard).
4. COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,

President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 15.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.—

1. PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
2. MELBOURNE AND GEELONG DEBENTURES AND INSCRIBED STOCK BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
3. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,

President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

1. The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions and activities. It emphasizes that this is crucial for ensuring transparency and accountability in the organization's operations.

2. Objectives

The primary objective of this initiative is to streamline the reporting process and reduce the time spent on data collection and analysis.

2.1. To improve the accuracy and reliability of the data used in decision-making processes. This will be achieved through the implementation of standardized data collection methods and regular audits to ensure data integrity.

2.2. To enhance the efficiency of the reporting process by automating data collection and analysis where possible. This will involve the use of software tools and the development of clear, concise reporting templates.

2.3. To ensure that all relevant stakeholders have access to the necessary information in a timely and understandable format. This will be achieved through the development of user-friendly reporting dashboards and the establishment of clear communication channels.

2.4. To provide a framework for ongoing monitoring and evaluation of the initiative's progress. This will involve the establishment of key performance indicators (KPIs) and the regular review of these indicators to identify areas for improvement.

2.5. To ensure that the initiative is fully supported and understood by all staff members. This will be achieved through the provision of comprehensive training and support, and the establishment of a clear line of communication for any queries or concerns.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 15.

TUESDAY, 27TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Brunswick Loan Act 1932.*
 - Charlton Land Act 1932.*
 - Government Advances (Reduction of Interest) Act 1932.*
 - Gormandale Land Act 1932.*
3. MELBOURNE AND GEELONG DEBENTURES AND INSCRIBED STOCK BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act relating to the Issue of Debentures and of Inscribed Stock in respect of Moneys borrowed by the Corporations of the City of Melbourne and the City of Geelong respectively*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to provide for the Reduction for a certain Period of certain Amounts contributed by the State in respect of certain Pensions and other Payments and to reduce such Pensions and other Payments accordingly, and to provide for the Reduction for that Period of certain other Pensions and Payments, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable A. J. Pittard moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of the necessity for immediate action being taken by the Government with the object of reducing the excessive number of motor car accidents in Victoria; and six members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed, the question was put, and, after debate, negatived.
6. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Fisheries Acts—Notice of Intention to issue a Proclamation to alter the Restrictions on the use of certain Nets in Port Phillip Bay.
 - Justices Act 1928 and Acts Interpretation Act 1928—Amendment of Rules under the Justices Act 1928.
7. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION TRUSTS) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

8. POLICE OFFENCES (ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

9. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 22.

The Hon. F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie (*Teller*),
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
G. S. McArthur,
M. McGregor,
H. H. Olney,
A. J. Pittard (*Teller*),
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner,
W. J. Williamson.

Noes, 4.

The Hon. W. L. R. Clarke (*Teller*),
J. H. Disney,
E. L. Kiernan,
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*).

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable J. H. Disney reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

10. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 16.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

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

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

State Accident Insurance Office—Report, Profit and Loss Account, and Balance-sheet for the year 1931-32.

3. PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

4. MELBOURNE AND GEELONG DEBENTURES AND INSCRIBED STOCK BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
5. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
6. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section Twenty-eight of the ‘ Financial Emergency Act 1931’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
8. COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
9. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
10. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 16.

TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
3. COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- STANDING ORDERS.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- HOUSE (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.
- PRINTING.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 17.

WEDNESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Will the Government communicate with the Governments of the Commonwealth and the States and suggest that, with the view of securing uniformity and saving expense, each Government introduce legislation that will provide for a uniform system of land valuations based on the productive value of land and provide that such valuations shall be used for Commonwealth, State, Municipal, and other purposes.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.—

1. PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Further consideration of Report.
3. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
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- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES

OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

BY

W. H. RAY

NEW YORK: G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS, 1896.

The history of the United States is a story of a people who have grown from a small colony of Englishmen to a great nation. It is a story of struggle and achievement, of freedom and progress. The early years were marked by the search for a better life, and the later years by the fight for independence and the establishment of a new government. The story is one of a people who have always been on the march, ever seeking a better future for themselves and for their children.

The story begins with the first English settlers in 1607. They came to a new world, a world of unknown dangers and unknown opportunities. They were brave men, men who were willing to risk everything for a better life. They built a colony, a colony that was to become the first step towards a new nation. The years that followed were years of struggle and hardship, but the settlers were determined to stay. They were determined to build a new life for themselves, a life that was free from the constraints of the old world.

The story continues with the growth of the colonies. The colonies grew in number and in size. They became a more important part of the British Empire. The British government began to take an interest in the colonies, and the colonies began to take an interest in the British government. The relationship between the colonies and the British government was a complex one, and it was this complexity that led to the American Revolution.

The American Revolution was a great event in the history of the world. It was a revolution that was fought for the sake of freedom and independence. The American people fought for the right to be free, to be able to govern themselves. They fought for the right to be able to make their own laws, to make their own decisions. The American Revolution was a revolution that was fought for the sake of a better future.

The story continues with the years following the American Revolution. The new nation was born, a nation that was free and independent. The new nation was a nation that was determined to build a better future for itself. The new nation was a nation that was determined to be a leader in the world. The new nation was a nation that was determined to be a force for good in the world.

The story ends with the present day. The United States is a great nation, a nation that has achieved many great things. The United States is a nation that has led the world in many ways. The United States is a nation that has shown the world what is possible. The United States is a nation that has shown the world that a better future is possible. The United States is a nation that has shown the world that freedom and progress are possible.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 17.

TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Motor Car Act 1932.*
 - Financial Emergency (Railway Construction Trusts) Act 1932.*
 - Financial Emergency (Moratorium) Act 1932.*
 - Melbourne and Geelong Debentures and Inscribed Stock Act 1932.*
3. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have decided not to make the suggested amendment.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
4. PAPERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor :—
 - Victorian Coal Miners' Accidents Relief Board—Report for the year 1931.
 Ordered to lie on the Table.
The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Public Service Act 1928—Regulations—Classification of General Division, Chapter VII.—Department of Chief Secretary.
 - Railways—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 30th June, 1932.
5. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—
 - That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz. :—
 1. Clause 2, sub-clause (5), line 33, omit “without payment of any fee” and insert “upon payment of such fee as the Authority thinks fit.”
 - Clause 2, insert the following new sub-clauses to follow sub-clause (5) :—
 2. “ () (a) Nothing in this Act shall authorize the holder of a trout-fishing licence to fish for or take non-indigenous trout in any water belonging to or vested in or under the management and control of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, the Ballarat Water Commission, the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust and the Bendigo Water Commission without the consent of such Board or Authority given either generally or in any particular case or in any water belonging to or under the management and control of any other Authority within the meaning of the *Water Act 1928* which is prescribed by notice published in the *Government Gazette* and posted in a conspicuous place in the vicinity of such water and notice to this effect shall be contained in every licence issued under this Act.
 - (b) Any person who fishes for or takes any non-indigenous trout in any such water without such consent shall be liable to a penalty of not less than One pound or more than Ten pounds.

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() For the purposes of this Act the Governor in Council may from time to time appoint and remove honorary assistant inspectors of fisheries from among the members of fishing societies and clubs approved by the Minister. Such honorary assistant inspectors shall have such of the powers and duties of assistants to the inspector of fisheries under section five of the *Fisheries Act 1928* and such other powers and duties as are prescribed by proclamation under the Fisheries Acts. The inspector of fisheries shall issue to every such honorary assistant inspector a badge and a certificate of appointment in token of his authority to act"—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 5.

7. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair. House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment.

Ordered—That the Report be now taken into consideration.

The Honorable C. H. A. Eager moved, That the following amendment suggested on the consideration of the Bill in Committee of the whole be again suggested to the Legislative Assembly, viz. :—

Clause 2, page 3, lines 9–12, omit “not being less than the lowest rate per hour which is payable under paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this sub-section.”

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 7.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
H. Keck,
H. F. Richardson (*Teller*),
H. H. Smith,
W. Tyner (*Teller*).

The Hon. W. Angliss (*Teller*),
A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
J. H. Disney,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
E. L. Kiernan,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
D. L. McNamara,
H. Pye,
M. Saltau (*Teller*),
R. Williams.

And so it passed in the negative.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honorable G. V. Lansell moved; That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz. :—

1. Clause 2, sub-clause (7), line 18, omit “and”.
2. „ sub-clause (7); line 20, after “Geelong” insert “the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust and every sewerage authority within the meaning of the Sewerage Districts Acts”.
3. „ sub-clause (9), line 25, omit “and”.
4. „ sub-clause (9), line 25, after “Council” insert “the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust and every sewerage authority aforesaid”.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Ordered—That the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole be postponed until to-morrow.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable J. H. Disney reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

9. **COUNTRY ROADS (TRACTION ENGINE FEES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
10. **TREASURY OVERDRAFTS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 18.

WEDNESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 4).**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Nine hundred and sixty thousand two hundred and fifty-five pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. **PAPER.**—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
Education Act 1928—Regulation XA.—Junior Teachers.
4. **PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution:—
That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz.:—
 1. Clause 4, line 40, omit " or lump sum payment ".
 2. Clause 7, line 23, before " in " omit " (a) ".
 3. " line 30, after " allowance " omit " and ".
 4. " paragraph (b), lines 31–37, omit this paragraph.
 5. Clause 9, omit this clause —
 and asked leave to sit again.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.
5. **CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 4).**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

6. PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
7. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Report of the Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be considered in conjunction with the Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
8. PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
9. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole on this Bill having been read, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
10. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 18.

TUESDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. W. L. R. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) Does the Government intend to revise the railway regulations which the Auditor-General reports may be held to be irregular or illegal.
 - (b) Does the Government intend to support by legislative enactment the Commissioners' policy of making special transport contracts with traders and consignors or take action to prevent the continuance of these contracts.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- STANDING ORDERS.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- HOUSE (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.
- PRINTING.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motions and Orders of the Day

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 19.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. STAMPS (BETTING TAX) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Further consideration of Report.
3. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Goudie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. H. Disney)*.
4. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

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- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 19.

TUESDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Consolidated Revenue Act.
3. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have decided not to make the amendments suggested by the Council.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
4. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, a Bill to amend the Law relating to the Supervision and Regulation of Factories and Shops and to other Industrial Matters was, by leave, read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time later this day.
5. CITY OF GEELONG BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, a Bill to provide for the Union with the City of Geelong of any Municipal District forming one continuous Area therewith and for the Severance from any Municipal District of any Part thereof forming one continuous Area with the City of Geelong and the Annexation to the City of Geelong of the Part so severed was, by leave, read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time later this day.
6. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Explosives Act 1928—Regulations relating to Fees for Licences.
Fisheries Acts—Notices of Intention to issue Proclamations—
Respecting Boats and Nets on the North Arm at Lakes Entrance.
To prohibit all fishing in a portion of Lake Tyers.
7. CITY OF GEELONG BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
8. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment.
Ordered—That the Report be now taken into consideration.
The Honorable C. H. A. Eager moved, That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 2, insert the following new sub-clause to follow sub-clause (5) :—

“() Any person who fishes for or takes any non-indigenous trout in any water belonging to or vested in or under the management and control of the Melbourne and

Metropolitan Board of Works the Ballarat Water Commissioners or the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust or in any water belonging to or vested in or under the management and control of any other Authority within the meaning of the *Water Act* 1928 which is prescribed by the Governor in Council by notice published in the *Government Gazette* without the consent of such Board, Commissioners, Trust or Authority (given either generally or in any particular case) shall be liable to a penalty of not less than One pound or more than Ten pounds”.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris moved, That the following amendment suggested on the consideration of the Bill in Committee of the whole be again suggested to the Legislative Assembly, viz. :—

Clause 2, insert the following new sub-clause to follow sub-clause (5) :—

“() For the purposes of this Act the Governor in Council may from time to time appoint and remove honorary assistant inspectors of fisheries from among the members of fishing societies and clubs approved by the Minister. Such honorary assistant inspectors shall have such of the powers and duties of assistants to the inspector of fisheries under section five of the *Fisheries Act* 1928 and such other powers and duties as are prescribed by proclamation under the Fisheries Acts. The inspector of fisheries shall issue to every such honorary assistant inspector a badge and a certificate of appointment in token of his authority to act”.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolutions.

Ordered—That the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole be postponed until later this day.

9. **FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

The Honorable J. H. Disney moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Debate ensued.

Motion, by leave, withdrawn.

Debate on the main question continued.

The Honorable J. H. Disney moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

10. **STAMPS (BETTING TAX) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act for requiring Bookmakers to furnish Statements with respect to Bets and for imposing Stamp Duties on such Statements and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

In the Schedule—In paragraph (b) omit “£3” (wherever occurring) and insert “£5”—and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

11. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 20.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. STAMPS (BETTING TAX) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
3. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust—Twenty-fifth Balance-sheet as at 30th June, 1932.
4. STAMPS (BETTING TAX) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
5. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 25th instant.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at three minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 25th instant.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 20.

TUESDAY, 25TH OCTOBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Goudie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. H. Disney*).
2. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Further consideration of Report.
3. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltan, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Minutes of the Council

1957

Minutes of the Council

The Council met on the 15th day of January 1957 at 10 o'clock in the morning in the Council Chamber, Government Buildings, Canberra. Present: Mr. Speaker, Mr. ...

Mr. ... moved that the following resolution be adopted: That the Council do resolve that...

Resolved that the Council do resolve that...

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 16th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 17th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 18th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 19th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 20th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 21st day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 22nd day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 23rd day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 24th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 25th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 26th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 27th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 28th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 29th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 30th day of January 1957. Leave granted.

Mr. ... asked leave to absent himself on the 31st day of January 1957. Leave granted.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 21

WEDNESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1932.

Questions.

1. The Hon. H. H. SMITH : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—When does the Government intend to bring in the proposed legislation recently announced regarding defalcations by solicitors and providing a remedy for misappropriations of trust funds.
2. The Hon. J. H. DISNEY : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Will the Government refrain from advancing money to the Defence Department for the reconstruction of target mounds at the Williamstown rifle range until the Williamstown City Council has had an opportunity to give full consideration to the matter.

Government Business.

NOTICES OF MOTION :—

1. Colonel the Hon. HAROLD COHEN : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill relating to False Advertisements.
2. Colonel the Hon. HAROLD COHEN : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend Section Four of the *Railways Act 1928*.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INCOME TAX ACTS AMENDMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
2. INCOME TAX BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
3. FARMERS RELIEF BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
4. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Further consideration of Report.
6. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,

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STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

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STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

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LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Washington, D. C.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

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VICTORIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 21.

TUESDAY, 25TH OCTOBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. SUBSTITUTED DECLARATION OF MEMBER.—Lieutenant-Colonel the Honorable G. V. Lansell delivered to the Clerk the following substituted Declaration, viz. :—

“ In compliance with the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, I, GEORGE VICTOR LANSELL, do declare and testify that I am legally or equitably seised of or entitled to an estate of freehold for my own use and benefit in lands or tenements in Victoria of the yearly value of Fifty pounds above all charges and incumbrances affecting the same, other than any public or parliamentary tax or municipal or other rate or assessment ; and further, that such lands or tenements are situate in the municipal district of Bendigo, and are known as ‘ Denderah,’ View Hill, Bendigo.

“ And I further declare that such of the said lands or tenements as are situate in the municipal district of Bendigo are rated in the rate-book of the said municipality upon a yearly value of £250.

“ And I further declare that I have not collusively or colorably obtained a title to or become possessed of the said lands or tenements, or any part thereof, for the purpose of enabling me to be returned a Member of the Legislative Council.

“ GEO. V. LANSELL.”
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

Country Roads (Traction Engine Fees) Act 1932.
Treasury Overdrafts Act 1932.
Pensions Reduction Act 1932.
Unemployment Relief (Amendment) Act 1932 (No. 2).
Stamps (Betting Tax) Act 1932.
4. INCOME TAX ACTS AMENDMENT BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Payment by Instalments in respect of Taxes on Income and to amend the Income Tax Acts* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. INCOME TAX BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to declare the Rates of Income Tax for the year ending on the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three and to continue the Income Tax Acts* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. FARMERS RELIEF BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Part II. of the ‘ Unemployed Occupiers and Farmers Relief Act 1931 ’ as amended by any Act and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

7. PAPERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—

Unemployment Relief Works Board—Report for the quarter ended 30th June, 1932.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Agricultural Education—Accounts of the Trustees of Agricultural Colleges and the Council of Agricultural Education for the six months ended 31st March, 1932.

Justices Act 1928 and Acts Interpretation Act 1928—Further amendment of Rules.

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works—Statements of Accounts and Balance-sheet, together with Schedule of Contracts for the year 1931–32.

River Murray Waters Act 1915—Report of the River Murray Commission for the year 1931–32.

Stamps Acts and Acts Interpretation Act 1928—Betting Tax Regulations 1931 rescinded and Betting Tax Regulations 1932 substituted.

State Electricity Commission of Victoria—Report for the year 1931–32, together with Appendices.

8. INCOME TAX ACTS AMENDMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
9. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to further amend Section Twenty-eight of the ‘ Financial Emergency Act 1931 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
10. FARMERS RELIEF BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
11. INCOME TAX BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
12. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
13. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL (No. 2).—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 22.

WEDNESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (TAXATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide further Moneys for the Relief of Unemployment and to limit the Duration of the Stamps (Unemployment Relief) Acts and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

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

State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Twenty-seventh Annual Report, 1931–32.

4. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL.—On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, a Bill relating to False Advertisements was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. RAILWAYS BILL.—On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, a Bill to amend Section Four of the *Railways Act* 1928 was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. INCOME TAX ACTS AMENDMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill was re-committed to a Committee of the whole in respect of clause 4.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without further amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

8. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (TAXATION) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

9. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that no new business except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper shall be taken after the hour of Eleven o'clock be suspended during this sitting of the Council.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

10. INCOME TAX ACTS AMENDMENT BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.

11. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Wednesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 22.

WEDNESDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. FARMERS RELIEF BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
2. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
3. RAILWAYS BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
4. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Further consideration of Report.
6. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorable H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Oiney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 23.

WEDNESDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Financial Emergency (Moratorium) Act 1932.*
 - Income Tax Acts Amendment Act 1932.*
 - Unemployment Relief (Taxation) Act 1932.*
3. STAMPS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the Law relating to Stamps and Stamp Duties* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 5).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Nine hundred and fifty-four thousand nine hundred and six pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Justices Act 1928 and Acts Interpretation Act 1928—Amendment of the Justices Act Rules 1930.
 - Public Service Act 1928—Regulations—Classification of General Division, Chapter VII.—Department of Chief Secretary.
6. FARMERS RELIEF BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
7. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 5).—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

8. **INCOME TAX BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, pursuant to the provisions of section XXXVI. of The Constitution Act, recommending the following amendment which he desires to be made in this Bill, and acquainting the Council that the Assembly have agreed to such amendment, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein :—

Clause 2, sub-clause (1), paragraph (g), omit “ paragraphs (e) and (j) of ” and insert “ paragraph (e) of.”

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Council agreed to the amendment recommended by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, and ordered His Excellency's Message to be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

9. **STAMPS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. **POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL.**—The order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable H. H. Smith, that the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
11. **RAILWAYS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. **FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
13. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 23.

TUESDAY, 8TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—What amount is it estimated would be received by the Government if an additional tax of one half-penny in the pound on all amounts paid as income tax and on all wages of over one pound per week were imposed for the upkeep of hospitals and other charitable institutions.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. STAMPS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
2. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. H. H. Smith).
3. RAILWAYS BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
4. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Further consideration of Report.
6. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,

President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

VICTORIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 24.

TUESDAY, 8TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Consolidated Revenue Act 1932.
Income Tax Act 1932.
Farmers Relief Act 1932.
3. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to the Relief of Unemployment, and to consolidate and amend the provisions of the ‘ Unemployment Relief Amendment Act 1931’ with respect to Collections for Unemployment, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. FARMERS RELIEF BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, a Bill relating to Borrowing Moneys by Overdrafts on Bankers for the purposes of Municipalities was, by leave, read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.
6. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 Fire Brigades Act 1928—Report of the Country Fire Brigades Board for the year 1931–32, together with Statements of Receipts and Expenditure and Assets and Liabilities for that period.
 Fisheries Acts—Notices of Intention to issue Proclamations—
 Re Cleaning of certain Fish before being marketed.
 Respecting the Bag Limit for Trout (non-indigenous to Victoria) in certain waters.
 To provide for the Cleaning of Fish before exposure for sale.
 Venereal Diseases Act 1928—Venereal Diseases Regulations 1932.

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

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 7.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
C. H. A. Eager (*Teller*),
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
E. L. Kiernan,
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*).

Noes, 20.

The Hon. W. Angliss,
E. G. Bath (*Teller*),
F. W. Brawn,
W. L. R. Clarke,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
W. H. Edgar,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
R. Kilpatrick,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
M. McGregor,
A. J. Pittard,
H. Pye (*Teller*),
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner,
W. J. Williamson,
A. M. Zwar.

And so it passed in the negative.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

9. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

10. RAILWAYS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read, the debate was resumed and, on the motion of the Honorable H. A. Currie, further adjourned until Tuesday next.

11. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

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

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

12. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 24.

TUESDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.—

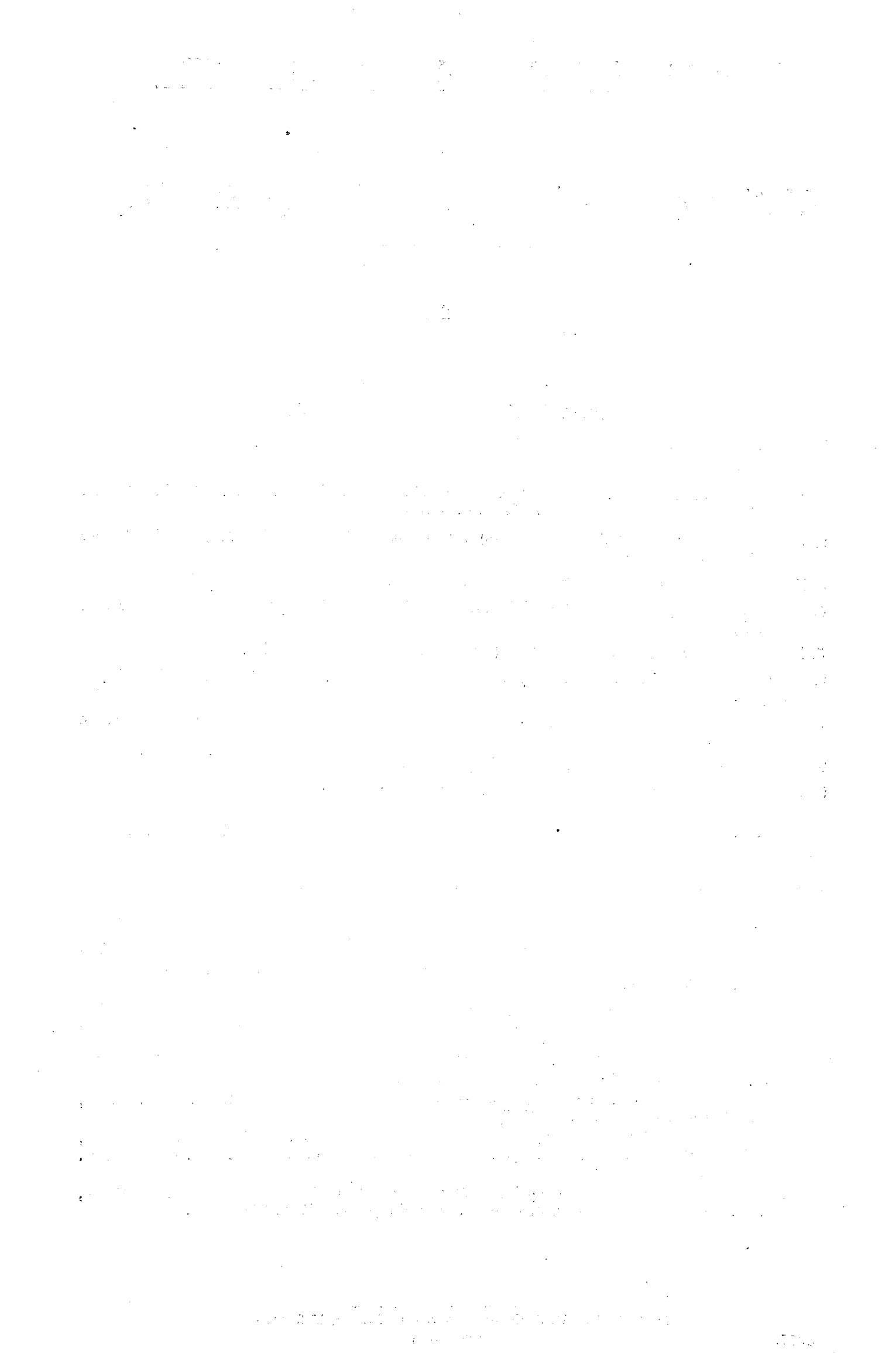
1. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
2. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. RAILWAYS BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. H. A. Currie).
5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
6. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Further consideration of Report.
7. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorable H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
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- HOUSE (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.
- PRINTING.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorable H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 25.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) Has his attention been drawn to an article in the "Age" newspaper of the 4th instant and headed "Suburban Rail Losses—Amazing Position Disclosed—Deficit of £1,053,000 in 1932-3."
 - (b) What action does the Government intend to take in order to counteract the huge loss on the railways thus relieving taxpayers and assisting to balance the State budget.

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

1. The Hon. E. L. KIERNAN: To move, That leave of absence be granted to the Honorable Herbert Horace Olney for the remainder of the Session on account of ill-health.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. BLACKBURN AND MITCHAM LOAN BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
3. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. RAILWAYS BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. H. A. Currie).
6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
7. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Further consideration of Report.
8. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
10. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
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- HOUSE (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.
- PRINTING.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

1. [Illegible]

2. [Illegible]

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VICTORIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 25.

TUESDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. BLACKBURN AND MITCHAM LOAN BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Shire of Blackburn and Mitcham to construct and provide certain Permanent Works and Undertakings in lieu of certain other Permanent Works and Undertakings* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
The Honorable A. E. Chandler moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable A. E. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Companies Act 1928—Summary of Statements for the year 1931 made by Companies transacting Life Assurance business in Victoria.
Railways—Award No. 32 made by the Railways Classification Board, together with the Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners with regard thereto.
4. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 26.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Fisheries Act 1928—Notice of Intention to issue a Proclamation respecting the registration of fishing boats.
3. LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—The Honorable E. L. Kiernan moved, That leave of absence be granted to the Honorable Herbert Horace Olney for the remainder of the Session on account of ill-health.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

4. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution:—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 14, sub-clause (4), omit the proviso to the sub-clause and insert—

“Provided that the total amount of the salaries of such officers payable out of the municipal fund or the town fund (as the case may be) as aforesaid shall not in any financial year exceed—

- (a) where the annual revenue of a municipality (not being a city) does not exceed Five thousand pounds—Fifty pounds;
- (b) where the annual revenue of a municipality (not being a city) exceeds Five thousand pounds but does not exceed Ten thousand pounds—One hundred pounds;
- (c) where the annual revenue of a municipality (not being a city) exceeds Ten thousand pounds—One hundred and fifty pounds;
- (d) in the case of any city (other than the city of Melbourne)—Three hundred pounds; and
- (e) in the case of the city of Melbourne—One thousand pounds:

Provided further that if the Minister approves the payment of a greater total amount of salaries of such officers than that provided for in any of the cases hereinbefore in the foregoing proviso referred to the excess amount shall be paid out of the Unemployment Relief Fund”—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

5. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 26.

TUESDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. BLACKBURN AND MITCHAM LOAN BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
3. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. RAILWAYS BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. H. A. Currie).
6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
7. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Further consideration of Report.
8. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
10. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 27.

WEDNESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Goudie*)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie*)—Second reading.
3. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.
4. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Further consideration of Report.
5. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 27.

TUESDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
3. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Victorian Mining Accident Relief Fund—Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the year 1931.
4. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
5. BLACKBURN AND MITCHAM LOAN BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
6. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to enable Advances to be made on certain Terms to Cultivators of Land and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
7. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

8. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until after No. 5.
9. **RAILWAYS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 28.

WEDNESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Report of the Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be considered in conjunction with the Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
3. **FIREARMS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Firearms Act 1928'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.
4. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
 - Bank Liabilities and Assets—Summary of Sworn Returns for the quarter ended 30th September, 1932.
 - Closer Settlement Act 1928—Report of the Closer Settlement Board for the year 1931–32.
 - Hospitals for the Insane—Report of the Inspector-General of the Insane for the year 1931.
 - Penal Establishments, Gaols, and Reformatory Prisons—Report and Statistical Tables for the year 1931.
 - University of Melbourne—Annual Report 1931–32, together with Statutes and Regulations and Amendments allowed by His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
5. **FACTORIES AND SHOPS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
6. **CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable H. Pye, that the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 3, be postponed until after No. 4.

8. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole on this Bill having been read, the Report was, after debate, adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.

9. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 29TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. H. H. SMITH: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) How many settlers on Crown lands have been assisted by the Government in the north-western Mallee.
 - (b) How much money has been advanced to assist them and how much has since been recovered.
 - (c) How many soldier settlers have been assisted by the Government in the north-western Mallee.
 - (d) How much money has been advanced to assist them and how much has since been recovered.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. H. Pye).
2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
3. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
4. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 29.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.
2. FIREARMS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—Second reading.
3. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE DUTIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.
4. TREASURY BONDS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.
5. LAND TAX BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.
6. BETTING TAX (SHOOTING CONTESTS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.
7. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.
8. WRONGS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—Second reading.
9. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie*)—To be further considered in Committee.
10. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
11. MARRIAGE BILL—(*Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen*)—To be further considered in Committee.
12. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(*Hon. J. P. Jones*)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.



VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 29.

TUESDAY, 29TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

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

2. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—

Informing the Council that he had caused the *Marriage (Validating) Bill*, which was reserved on the 30th June, 1932, for the signification of His Majesty's pleasure thereon, and which received His Majesty's Assent on the 1st October, 1932, to be proclaimed in the *Victoria Government Gazette*, and forwarding a copy of such Proclamation. [*For Proclamation see "Victoria Government Gazette" of 23rd November, 1932, page 2609.*]

Informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

Blackburn and Mitcham Loan Act 1932.

3. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to some of the amendments made in such Bill by the Council, have disagreed with others, have agreed to others with amendments, and have agreed to the amendment in sub-clause (3) of clause 8 but have amended the said sub-clause, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

4. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend Part III. of the 'Financial Emergency Act 1931' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.

5. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 6).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of One million and twenty-seven thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two and One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

6. WRONGS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Wrongs Act 1928' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.

7. **ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE DUTIES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to continue Part III. of the ‘ Finance Act 1930 ’ as amended by the ‘ Administration and Probate Duties Act 1931 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

8. **BETTING TAX (SHOOTING CONTESTS) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act for imposing a Stamp Duty on certain Bookmakers’ Authorities and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.

9. **TREASURY BONDS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Issue of Treasury Bonds* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

10. **LAND TAX BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to declare the Rate of Land Tax for the year ending the thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three and to amend Section Fifty-five of the ‘ Land Tax Act 1928 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

11. **ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.**—The Honorable H. Keck moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of the suspension of work on the Eppalock Weir ; and six members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed, the question was put and, after debate, negatived.

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

Country Roads Board—Report for the year 1931–32.

Fisheries Acts—Notices of Intention to issue Proclamations—

To alter the Netting Boundary at the Mouth of the Mitchell River.

To fix a Bag Limit for Macquarie Perch.

To vary the Proclamation respecting restrictions on the use of certain nets in Port Phillip Bay.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz.:—

1. Clause 3, sub-clause (1), at the end of the sub-clause insert—

“ Provided that no advance or further advance under this Act shall be granted to any cultivator who in respect of any advance made under any Act at any time in force relating to advances to cultivators has given or gives to the Board a preferable lien under Part VII. of the *Instruments Act 1928* on any crop and who has sold disposed of or delivered or after the coming into operation of this Act sells disposes of or delivers such crop or any part thereof to any purchaser or other person without the authority or consent of the Board ”—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

14. **UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made in this Bill by the Council and disagreed with by the Assembly or agreed to with amendments having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follow :—

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the
Legislative Assembly.

2. Clause 7, line 35, after “ sub-section ” insert “ after the expiration of a period of not less than four weeks after such refusal or failure as aforesaid ”. } Disagreed with.

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the
Legislative Assembly.

3. Clause 8, page 7, lines 12-14, omit " Provided that if the work to be performed is more than three miles from the worker's residence the municipality shall provide the means of transport to and from the work ".

Agreed to, but the following amendment made in the clause :—

At the end of sub-clause (3) add the following proviso :—

" Provided that no such demand shall be made in the case of any man who resides more than three miles from the work so indicated unless the municipality provides the means of transport to and from the work except on the day on which the aforesaid sustenance is received. On such last-mentioned day any such man shall on demand as aforesaid and without the provision of the means of transport perform work provided that the place at which such work is to be performed is situated within three miles of the place at which such sustenance is received."

5. Clause 8, page 7, line 35, after " work " insert " of that nature ".

Disagreed with.

6. Clause 11, line 4, omit " shall " and insert " may ".

Agreed to, with the following amendment :—
After " may " insert " and (if thereto required by the Minister) shall ".

12. Clause 16, page 13, lines 22-3, omit " may if the court thinks fit " and insert " shall ".

Agreed to, with the following amendment :—
After " shall " insert " if the relative summoned consents ".

15. Insert the following new clause to follow clause 38 :—

AA. (1) Any person society or association being the holder of a licence under this Part who or which gives any authority in writing referred to in either of the two last preceding sections may revoke any such authority, and when such authority is revoked the person to whom it was given shall, if so required by the person society or association giving the authority, produce the same to such person or to a member of the committee or other governing body of such society or association.

(2) Any such person to whom such authority is given who refuses or fails within a reasonable time to produce such authority as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty of not more than Fifty pounds.

Agreed to, with the following amendments :—
Omit " if so required by the person society or association giving the authority."

At the end of sub-clause (1) insert " within seven days."

Amendment 2—The Hon. G. L. Goudie moved, That the Council do not insist on this amendment disagreed with by the Assembly.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 11.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
J. H. Disney,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
E. L. Kiernan (*Teller*),
R. Kilpatrick (*Teller*),
D. L. McNamara,
A. J. Pittard.

Noes, 13.

The Hon. F. W. Brawn,
C. H. A. Eager,
W. H. Edgar,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
M. McGregor,
H. Pye (*Teller*),
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner,
A. M. Zwar (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.—Amendment insisted on.

Amendment 3—Amendment made by the Assembly in clause 8 of the Bill, after debate, agreed to with the following amendments :—

Omit " man " (where first occurring) and insert " such male person ;"

Omit " on such last-mentioned day any such man shall on demand as aforesaid and without the provision of the means of transport perform work provided that the place at which such work is to be performed is situated within three miles of the place at which such sustenance is received " and insert :—

" ; but work may be demanded to be performed as aforesaid on such day by such last-mentioned male person (and without the provision of the means of transport) if the place at which the work is to be performed is situate within three miles of the place at which such sustenance is received—"

and with the following consequential amendment in the Bill :—

Clause 22, sub-clause (2), line 22, after " transport " insert " of materials."

Amendment 5—The Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That the Council do not insist on this amendment disagreed with by the Assembly.

The Honorable C. H. A. Eager moved as an amendment, That all the words after " That " be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following words :—

" the Council insist on this amendment disagreed with by the Assembly but with the following amendment :—Omit ' of that nature ' and insert ' of the same nature as that which was ordinarily performed by the person who was so dismissed or otherwise ceased to be employed.' "

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 7.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler (*Teller*),
Colonel Harold Cohen,
J. H. Disney,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
E. L. Kiernan,
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*).

Noes, 20.

The Hon. F. W. Brawn,
W. L. R. Clarke,
H. I. Cohen (*Teller*),
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
W. H. Edgar,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
H. Keck,
R. Kilpatrick,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
M. McGregor,
A. J. Pittard,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith (*Teller*),
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner,
A. M. Zwar.

And so it passed in the negative.

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—proposed.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the Council insist on this amendment disagreed with by the Assembly, but with the following amendment :—

Omit " of that nature " and insert " of the same nature as that which was ordinarily performed by the person who was so dismissed or otherwise ceased to be employed "—

put and resolved in the affirmative.

Amendment 6—Amendment of the Assembly on this amendment of the Council, after debate, disagreed with.

Amendment 12—Amendment of the Assembly on this amendment of the Council, after debate, agreed to.

Amendment 15—Amendments of the Assembly in new clause AA inserted by the Council disagreed with, but the following amendments made in the new clause :—

In sub-clause (1), omit " if so required by the person society or association giving the authority produce the same to such person " and insert " within seven days after such revocation produce the same to such first-mentioned person."

In sub-clause (2), omit " refuses or fails within a reasonable time " and insert " fails."

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the amendment of the Assembly on the amendment of the Council in clause 16 and have agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly in clause 8 but have made amendments in the same and a consequential amendment in clause 22, insist on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly but have amended one of such amendments, disagree with the amendment of the Assembly on the amendment of the Council in clause 11 and with the amendment of the Assembly on the amendment of the Council to insert new clause AA but have made amendments in the new clause, and desiring their concurrence therein.

15. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE BILL (No. 6).—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.

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

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

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 30.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, pursuant to the provisions of section XXXVI. of The Constitution Act, recommending the following amendment which he desires to be made in this Bill, and acquainting the Council that the Assembly have agreed to such amendment, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein :—
 Clause 2, page 3, sub-clause (6), omit this sub-clause and insert the following sub-clause :—
 “ (6) Any person who (whether the holder of a trout-fishing licence under this Act or not) fishes for or takes non-indigenous trout—
 (a) in any water belonging to or vested in or under the management and control of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, The Ballarat Water Commissioners or the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust ; or
 (b) in any water (specified by the Governor in Council by notice published in the *Government Gazette*) belonging to or vested in or under the management and control of any other Authority within the meaning of the *Water Act 1928*—
 without the consent of such Board Commissioners Trust or Authority (given either generally or in any particular case) shall be liable to a penalty of not less than One pound or more than Ten pounds ; but nothing in this sub-section shall authorize any person who is not the holder of a trout-fishing licence under this Act to fish for or to take non-indigenous trout in any such water.”
 On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Council agreed to the amendment recommended by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, and ordered His Excellency's Message to be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
3. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL (No. 3).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to further amend Section Twenty-eight of the Financial Emergency Act 1931* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORATORIUM) BILL (No. 3).—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
 House in Committee.
 The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OVERDRAFTS) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
 House in Committee.
 The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

6. FIREARMS BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
7. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE DUTIES BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
8. TREASURY BONDS BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
9. LAND TAX BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
10. BETTING TAX (SHOOTING CONTESTS) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That {the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7 be postponed until after No. 8.
12. WRONGS BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
13. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 30.

TUESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, 1932.

Question.

1. The Hon. E. L. KIERNAN :] To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—What amount was expended in (i) salaries, and (ii) incidental expenses in connexion with the office of Governor of Victoria in each of the financial years 1928-29, 1929-30, 1930-31, and 1931-32.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
3. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
4. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 31.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, 1932.

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

1. The Hon. H. A. CURRIE: To move, That leave of absence be granted to the Honorable Edwin George Bath for the remainder of the Session on account of ill-health.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. STATE SAVINGS BANK BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
3. STAMPS BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
4. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
5. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 13TH DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:—

1. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).*

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 31.

TUESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Consolidated Revenue Act.*
 - Financial Emergency (Moratorium) Act 1932 (No. 3).*
 - Fisheries (Trout Licences) Act 1932.*
 - Administration and Probate Duties Act 1932.*
 - Treasury Bonds Act 1932.*
 - Land Tax Act 1932.*
 - Betting Tax (Shooting Contests) Act 1932.*
 - Wrongs Act 1932.*
3. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment with modifications, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
4. STATE SAVINGS BANK BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ State Savings Bank Act 1928 ’ and to approve and provide for carrying into effect an Agreement between the Commonwealth of Australia and The Commissioners of the State Savings Bank of Victoria* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. STAMPS BILL (NO. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the Law relating to Stamps and Stamp Duties* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
6. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of certain Sums of Money available under Loan Acts or in the State Loans Repayment Fund for State Forests* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

7. **ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.**—The Honorable H. H. Smith moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak on the subject of the interference by the State Electricity Commission with private enterprise by entering into competition with merchants engaged in the sale of electrical appliances; and six members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed, the question was put and, after debate, negatived.

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

Explosives Act 1928—

Conditions as to Sale of Explosives (2 Papers).

Regulations relating to the Carriage of Explosives (2 Papers).

Fire Brigades Act 1928—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board—Report of the Board for the year 1931-32.

Poisons Acts—

Dangerous Drugs Regulations 1932.

Poisons Regulations 1932.

Proclamations amending Schedules to Poisons Act 1928—

Articles deemed to be Poisons—Amendment of Second Schedule.

Dangerous Drugs—Addition to Sixth Schedule.

Public Library, Museums, and National Gallery of Victoria—Alteration of Rules and Regulations.

Public Service Act 1928—Regulations—Stores and Transport, Chapter XIV.

Railways—

Awards Nos. 33 and 34 made by the Railways Classification Board, together with the Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners in regard thereto, and Orders dated 31st October, 1932, relating to—

(1) Certain matters arising out of Awards Nos. 8, 9, 30, and 31.

(2) A difference between the Victorian Railways Commissioners and employees of the grade of Skilled Labourer employed at the Ice Works, Melbourne.

(3) A difference between the Victorian Railways Commissioners and employees of the grade of Painter employed at the Amalgamated Workshops, Spotswood.

Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 30th September, 1932.

9. **FIREARMS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution:—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz.:—

1. Clause 5, omit this clause—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

10. **FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

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

Debate ensued.

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

The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

Debate ensued.

The Honorable R. Kilpatrick moved as an amendment, That the words "Tuesday next" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the word "to-morrow."

Debate ensued.

Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Debate continued.

Question—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 32.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Section Thirty-eight of the ‘Country Roads Act 1928’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
Forests Commission of Victoria—Thirteenth Annual Report, Financial Year 1931–32.
4. LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—The Honorable H. A. Currie moved, That leave of absence be granted to the Honorable Edwin George Bath for the remainder of the Session on account of ill-health.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
5. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendment suggested by the Council as modified and made by the Assembly, without amendment.
Ordered—That the Report be now taken into consideration.
The Honorable C. H. A. Eager moved, That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—
Clause 3, sub-clause (1), (including the amendment suggested by the Legislative Council on the consideration of the Bill in Committee as modified and made by the Legislative Assembly)—
In the proviso to the sub-clause, after “and who” insert “has (unless through inadvertence) sold disposed of or delivered or”.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.
Ordered—That the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole be postponed until later this day.
6. STATE SAVINGS BANK BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
7. STAMPS BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
Debate ensued.
The Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris moved, as an amendment, That the word “now” be omitted and the words “this day three months” added after the word “time.”
Debate ensued.
Question—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Question—That this Bill be now read a second time—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.

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

THURSDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1932.

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

8. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of certain Sums of Money available under Loan Acts or in the State Loans Repayment Fund for Public Works and other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

9. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Report of the Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be considered in conjunction with the Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

10. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirteen minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday next.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 13TH DECEMBER, 1932.

Questions.

1. The Hon. H. H. SMITH: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) Will he lay on the table of the Library a copy of the balance sheets for the years 1930–31 and 1931–32 prepared by the State Electricity Commission in connexion with its sales of electrical appliances.
 - (b) What was the cost during the year 1931–32 of conducting the Commission's showrooms throughout the State.
 - (c) What was the turnover in each of the Commission's metropolitan and country depots in connexion with the sale of electrical appliances during the year 1931–32.
2. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—Will the Government introduce at an early date legislation to deal with the menace of communism on the lines suggested by the Council of the combined Empire Societies.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Further consideration of Report.
2. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
3. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
4. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
5. PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
6. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- STANDING ORDERS.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- HOUSE (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.
- PRINTING.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 33.

WEDNESDAY, 14TH DECEMBER, 1932.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. J. PITTARD: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) When does the State Electricity Commission propose to recondition the tramway lines in the City of Ballarat.
 - (b) Is the Government aware that the rolling-stock is being racked to destruction due to the condition of the lines.
 - (c) Is the Government aware of the state of cars transferred from the metropolis in good order about six years ago as compared with those with over twenty-five years' service.
2. The Hon. H. F. RICHARDSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - (a) On what date was the Country Roads Board first appointed.
 - (b) What amounts have been received by the Board since that date from (i) Government loans, (ii) the Commonwealth Government, and (iii) motor fees, &c., respectively.
 - (c) What amount has been expended by the Board on the construction of roads, bridges, &c.
 - (d) What amount has been paid to the Board by the municipalities as their contribution towards the cost of construction of roads and bridges and what amount is still owing by the municipalities therefor.
3. The Hon. W. L. R. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—What quantity and value of (a) Australian timber and (b) imported timber has been used in Victorian State buildings during the past two years.
4. The Hon. W. L. R. CLARKE: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—What was (a) the rate per mile of suburban passenger fares and (b) the rate per mile of freight on (i) wheat and (ii) wool during the years 1910, 1915, 1920, 1925, and 1930.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION:—

1. The Hon. J. P. JONES: To move, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business and that no new business except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper shall be taken after the hour of Eleven o'clock be rescinded, and that for the remainder of the Session Government business shall take precedence of all other business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. ALBERT PARK LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
2. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
3. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
4. EDUCATION (FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
5. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
6. SUPERANNUATION (RETIREMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
7. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
10. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

MR. PRESIDENT TAKES THE CHAIR AT A QUARTER TO THREE O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 34.

THURSDAY, 15TH DECEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

1. The Hon. J. P. JONES : To move, That during the remainder of the Session the Council meet for the despatch of business on Friday in each week and that half-past Two o'clock be the hour of meeting.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
3. EDUCATION (FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
4. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
5. SUPERANNUATION (RETIREMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
6. BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL—MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY—To be taken into consideration.
7. SUPERANNUATION AND OTHER TRUST FUNDS VALIDATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
8. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
10. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
11. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 35.

FRIDAY, 16TH DECEMBER, 1932.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. W. J. WILLIAMSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 (a) Has the Government authorized the preparation of a report on the erection of silos at certain terminal ports.
 (b) Is Portland included as one of such ports; if not, will the Government have it included.
- *2. The Hon. W. J. WILLIAMSON: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—What was the total amount expended in respect of *Hansard* during the past financial year and how much of that amount was expended on printing.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. EDUCATION (FEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris).
2. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
3. SUPERANNUATION (RETIREMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
4. BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
5. SUPERANNUATION AND OTHER TRUST FUNDS VALIDATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
6. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
7. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
8. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
10. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 33.

TUESDAY, 13TH DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
State Savings Bank Act 1932.
Stamps Act 1932.
3. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to the Constitution of a Closer Settlement Commission and the Powers and Duties thereof, to amend the Closer Settlement Acts, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. EDUCATION (FEES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to Fees payable under the ‘ Education Act 1928 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. SUPERANNUATION (RETIREMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to the Pensions under the Superannuation Acts of certain Male Persons who have attained the age of Sixty Years and of certain Female Persons who have attained the age of Fifty-five Years* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
6. THEATRES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section Nineteen of the ‘ Theatres Act 1928 ’ and to repeal Section Twenty of the said Act* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. ALBERT PARK LAND BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to revoke the Crown Grant of certain Land situate in the Municipal Districts of the City of South Melbourne and the City of St. Kilda and reserved from Sale permanently as a Site for a Public Park, and to validate certain Matters relating to the Appointment and Acts of the Committee of Management of the said Land and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
8. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly do not insist on disagreeing with the amendment in clause 7 made and insisted on by the Council but agree to the said amendment with an amendment and with an amendment in the proviso of sub-clause (1) of the clause, agree to the amendments of the Council in the proviso added by the Assembly to sub-clause (3) of clause 8 and to the consequential amendment in clause 22 of the Bill, do not agree to the Council’s amendment in line 35 of clause 8 as amended by the Council and insist on disagreeing with the said amendment, do not insist on their amendment on the amendment of the Council in clause 11, and do not insist on their amendments in new clause AA but agree to the amendments of the Council in the said new clause with an amendment, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 Ordered—That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration later this day.

9. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same with an amendment, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration later this day.
10. CULTIVATION ADVANCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole on this Bill having been read, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendments suggested by the Council as modified and made by the Assembly, without amendment.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until after No. 3.
12. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
13. POLICE OFFENCES (FALSE ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Assembly in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
Clause 2, page 3, insert the following new sub-clauses to follow sub-clause (7) :—
“(8) No prosecution shall be instituted against the seller or distributor of any newspaper for the publication in such newspaper of any statement in contravention of this section unless the consent of a law officer to the prosecution is first obtained.
(9) In this section ‘newspaper’ includes any periodical publication.”
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, and after debate, the Council agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly, and ordered the Bill to be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.
14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until after No. 4.
15. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
16. THEATRES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
Debate ensued.
Question—put.
The Council divided.

Ayes, 19.

The Hon. F. W. Brawn (*Teller*),
A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. I. Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
C. H. A. Eager,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
E. L. Kiernan,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell (*Teller*),
G. S. McArthur,
M. McGregor,
A. J. Pittard,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
R. Williams,
A. M. Zwar.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. G. M. Davis,
J. H. Disney,
H. Keck,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson (*Teller*),
W. Tyner,
W. J. Williamson (*Teller*).

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

House in Committee.

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

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

17. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made in this Bill by the Council and agreed to by the Assembly with amendments or with which the Assembly insist on disagreeing having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follow :—

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with.

2. Clause 7, line 35, after "sub-section" insert "after the expiration of a period of not less than four weeks after such refusal or failure as aforesaid".

Disagreed with by Assembly—Insisted on by Council.
Disagreement not insisted on by Assembly and Council's amendment agreed to with the following amendment :—
Omit "four weeks" and insert "one week"—
And with the following amendment in the proviso to sub-clause (1) of clause 7 of the Bill :—
After "thinks fit" insert "in any case of hardship".

5. Clause 8, page 7, line 35, after "work" insert "of that nature".

Disagreed with by Assembly.
Insisted on by Council but with the following amendment :—
Omit "of that nature" and insert "of the same nature as that which was ordinarily performed by the person who was so dismissed or otherwise ceased to be employed".
Council's amendment as amended by the Council disagreed with by Assembly and disagreement with Council's original amendment insisted on by Assembly.

15. Insert the following new clause to follow clause 38 :—

AA. (1) Any person society or association being the holder of a licence under this Part who or which gives any authority in writing referred to in either of the two last preceding sections may revoke any such authority, and when such authority is revoked the person to whom it was given shall, if so required by the person society or association giving the authority, produce the same to such person or to a member of the committee or other governing body of such society or association.

(2) Any such person to whom such authority is given who refuses or fails within a reasonable time to produce such authority as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty of not more than Fifty pounds.

Agreed to by Assembly with the following amendments :—
Omit "if so required by the person society or association giving the authority."
At the end of sub-clause (1) insert "within seven days."
Amendments of Assembly disagreed with by Council but the following amendments made in the new clause :—
In sub-clause (1) omit "if so required by the person society or association giving the authority produce the same to such person" and insert "within seven days after such revocation produce the same to such first-mentioned person".
In sub-clause (2) omit "refuses or fails within a reasonable time" and insert "fails".
Assembly's amendments on Council's amendment to insert new clause AA not insisted on, and Council's amendments in the new clause agreed to with the following amendment :—
Before "such revocation" insert "notice in writing of".

Amendment 2—Amendment of the Assembly on this amendment of the Council and amendment made by the Assembly in clause 7 of the Bill, after debate, agreed to.

Amendment 5—Amendment of the Council as amended by the Council and disagreed with by the Assembly, after debate, not insisted on and the Council's original amendment with which the Assembly insist on disagreeing not now insisted on.

Amendment 15—Amendment of the Assembly on the amendments of the Council in new clause AA agreed to.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council agree to the amendments now made by the Assembly on the amendments of the Council and in the Bill, and do not insist on the amendment of the Council in clause 8, sub-clause (6), or on this amendment as amended by the Council.

18. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until after No. 5.
19. **PUBLIC WORKS LOAN APPLICATION BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
20. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 34.

WEDNESDAY, 14TH DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PAPERS.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—
Indeterminate Sentences Board—Report for the year 1931–32.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
State Coal Mines—Annual Report of the General Manager, including the State Coal Mines Balance-sheet and Statement of Accounts duly audited, &c., for the year 1931–32.
3. **ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business and that no new business except the postponement of business on the Notice-paper shall be taken after the hour of Eleven o'clock be rescinded, and that for the remainder of the Session Government business shall take precedence of all other business.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
4. **ALBERT PARK LAND BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
5. **FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.

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

THURSDAY, 15TH DECEMBER, 1932.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

6. **ADJOURNMENT.—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until this day at half-past Two o'clock in the afternoon.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
7. **BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to incorporate the Governing Body of The Boy Scouts Association (Incorporated by Royal Charter) Victorian Branch (Australia), and to confer and impose upon that Body certain Powers Duties Rights and Liabilities and to provide for the vesting in it of the Property of the said Association in Victoria and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration this day.
8. **ALBERT PARK LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Council in this Bill.
9. **SUPERANNUATION AND OTHER TRUST FUNDS VALIDATION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to remove Doubts as to the Validity of certain Superannuation and Other Funds* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time this day.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 35.

THURSDAY, 15TH DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **ADDITIONAL DAY OF BUSINESS.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That during the remainder of the Session the Council meet for the despatch of business on Friday in each week and that half-past Two o'clock be the hour of meeting.
Debate ensued.
The Honorable F. W. Brawn moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
3. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
4. **EDUCATION (FEES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris, that the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
5. **FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill was re-committed to a Committee of the whole in respect of clause 4.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

6. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. Debate ensued.

The Honorable Dr. J. R. Harris moved, as an amendment, That the word "now" be omitted and the words "this day six months" added after the word "time".

Debate ensued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Col. Harold Cohen,
H. I. Cohen,
C. H. A. Eager,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck (*Teller*),
R. Kilpatrick,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
G. S. McArthur,
A. J. Pittard (*Teller*),
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
R. Williams.

Noes, 10.

The Hon. F. W. Brawn,
G. M. Davis,
W. H. Edgar,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
G. J. Tuckett (*Teller*),
W. Tyner (*Teller*),
W. J. Williamson,
A. M. Zwar.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

FRIDAY, 16TH DECEMBER, 1932.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill and had agreed to the following resolution:—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz.:—

1. Clause 2, line 15, before "For" insert "In respect of the financial year commencing on the first day of July One thousand nine hundred and thirty-two the Country Roads Acts shall be read and construed and have effect as if".
2. " line 16, after "there" omit "shall be" and insert "were".
3. Clause 3, sub-clause (1), omit this sub-clause.
4. " sub-clause (2), lines 8–10, omit "the said sub-section (2) as so amended no moneys shall pursuant to the said sub-section as so amended" and insert "sub-section (2) of section thirty-eight of the Principal Act no moneys shall pursuant to the said sub-section".
5. In the Title, omit "To amend Section Thirty-eight of the *Country Roads Act 1928*" and insert "Relating to The Country Roads Board Fund"—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved—That the Council will, this day, again resolve itself into a Committee of the whole.

7. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with further amendments.

On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones the Bill was re-committed to a Committee of the whole in respect of clause 8.

House in Committee.

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

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

8. **ADDITIONAL DAY OF BUSINESS.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That during the remainder of the Session the Council meet for the despatch of business on Friday in each week and that half-past Two o'clock be the hour of meeting, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. E. Chandler moved, as an amendment, That the words "half-past Two o'clock" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words "a quarter to Eleven o'clock."
Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put and negatived.
Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Question—That during the remainder of the Session the Council meet for the despatch of business on Friday in each week and that a quarter to Eleven o'clock be the hour of meeting—put and resolved in the affirmative.
9. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
10. **BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Message from the Assembly transmitting this Bill and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein having been read, the Honorable A. E. Chandler moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill except in relation to the payment of fees.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable A. E. Chandler having produced a receipt showing that the sum of £20 had been paid into the Treasury for the public uses of the State moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time this day.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 36.

FRIDAY, 16TH DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **EDUCATION (FEES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
3. **CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable H. A. Currie, that the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
4. **COUNTRY SEWERAGE LOAN APPLICATION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of certain Sums of Money available under Loan Acts or in the State Loans Repayment Fund for Sewerage Works in Country Districts*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.
5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DEBENTURES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to enable Municipalities to enter into Agreements with Debenture-holders for temporary Concessions*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

6. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN TRAMWAYS BOARD BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act relating to the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.
7. WATER SUPPLY LOANS APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of certain Sums of Money available under Loan Acts for Irrigation Works Water Supply Works Drainage and Flood Protection Works in Country Districts and for Works under the River Murray Waters Acts and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on Tuesday next.
8. ADJOURNMENT.—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next at a quarter past Two o'clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

MR. PRESIDENT TAKES THE CHAIR AT HALF-PAST TWO O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 36.

TUESDAY, 20TH DECEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DEBENTURES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
2. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN TRAMWAYS BOARD BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
3. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. H. A. Currie).
4. COUNTRY SEWERAGE LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
5. WATER SUPPLY LOANS APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
6. SUPERANNUATION (RETIREMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
7. BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
8. SUPERANNUATION AND OTHER TRUST FUNDS VALIDATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
9. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—To be further considered in Committee.
10. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
11. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
12. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
13. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- STANDING ORDERS.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- HOUSE (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.
- PRINTING.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 37.

WEDNESDAY, 21ST DECEMBER, 1932.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. DRIED FRUITS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
2. DEUTGAM LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
3. TRANSPORT REGULATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
4. LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
5. FORESTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
6. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF LOAN AND APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
7. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
8. BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
9. SUPERANNUATION AND OTHER TRUST FUNDS VALIDATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—Second reading.
10. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
11. FIREARMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
12. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
13. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

- ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.**—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- STANDING ORDERS.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.
- HOUSE (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.
- PRINTING.**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).**—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR, FBI

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 38.

THURSDAY, 22ND DECEMBER, 1932.

Question.

- *1. The Hon. H. H. SMITH : To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
- (a) How many Boards and Commissions are there in Victoria the members of which receive remuneration.
 - (b) What was the total cost for this year of these Boards and Commissions.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. CARRIAGES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
- *3. THORNBURY LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
4. LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
5. FORESTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. E. Chandler)—Second reading.
6. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF LOAN AND APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
7. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.
- *8. FACTORIES AND SHOPS (SUNDAYS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
- *9. MILK BOARD BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Goudie)—Second reading.
10. MARRIAGE BILL—(Hon. Colonel Harold Cohen)—To be further considered in Committee.
11. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS BILL—(Hon. J. P. Jones)—Second reading.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

FRANK CLARKE,
President.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES—SECOND SESSION 1932.

ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.—(Appointed by Mr. President's warrant, 14th June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, G. L. Goudie, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

STANDING ORDERS.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, F. W. Brawn, Colonel Harold Cohen, H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, Dr. J. R. Harris, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, D. L. McNamara, and H. F. Richardson.

HOUSE (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), W. Angliss, A. E. Chandler, D. L. McNamara, R. Williams, and A. M. Zwar.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, W. L. R. Clarke, E. L. Kiernan, M. Saltau, and W. Tyner.

PRINTING.—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables the President, E. G. Bath, H. A. Currie, H. Keck, E. L. Kiernan, R. Kilpatrick, Lieut.-Colonel G. V. Lansell, H. H. Olney, H. H. Smith, and G. J. Tuckett.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—(Appointed 21st June, 1932).—The Honorables H. I. Cohen, W. H. Edgar, G. L. Goudie, J. P. Jones, M. McGregor, and H. F. Richardson.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 37.

TUESDAY, 20TH DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Cultivation Advances Act 1932.*
 - Police Offences (False Advertisements) Act 1932.*
 - State Forests Loan Application Act 1932.*
 - Theatres Act 1932.*
 - Public Works Loan Application Act 1932.*
 - Albert Park Land Act 1932.*
3. TRANSPORT REGULATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make provision for the Appointment of a Transport Regulation Board and the Powers and Duties thereof*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
4. FORESTS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the Forests Acts*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. DRIED FRUITS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the Dried Fruits Acts*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to sanction the Issue and Application of certain Sums of Money available under Loan Acts for Railways and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. EDUCATION (FEES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly have agreed to some of the amendments made in such Bill by the Council and have disagreed with the others, but have made an amendment in the Bill, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. Ordered—That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration later this day.
8. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments. Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
9. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a communication from the Clerk of the Parliaments (pursuant to Joint Standing Order No. 21), calling attention to a clerical error in this Bill, viz. :—In clause 34, sub-clause (1), after the words “The Governor in Council may make” the word “regulations” has been omitted, and acquainting the Council that they have agreed that such error be corrected by the insertion of the word “regulations” after the words “The Governor in Council may make” in clause 34, sub-clause (1), and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Council concurred with the Assembly in the correction of the clerical error discovered in the Bill, and ordered that the communication from the Clerk of the Parliaments be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

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

Dried Fruits Acts—Statements showing details of Receipts and Expenditure under the Dried Fruits Acts during the years 1930–31 and 1931–32.

Fisheries Acts—Notice of Intention to Issue a Proclamation to revoke the Proclamation respecting Netting around Apollo Bay Jetty.

State Coal Mine Industrial Tribunal Act 1932—Award No. 2 made by the State Coal Mine Industrial Tribunal relating to Rates of Pay, together with the Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners with regard thereto.

11. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DEBENTURES) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

12. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN TRAMWAYS BOARD BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 10 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 11.

14. DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, and after debate, the following Order of the Day was read and discharged :—

Landlord and Tenant Bill—To be further considered in Committee.

Ordered—That the said Bill be withdrawn.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and had agreed to the following resolution :—

That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz. :—

1. Clause 5, at the end of the clause insert the following sub-clause :—

“(4) In Part II. of the Second Schedule to the *Superannuation Act* 1928 the words ‘or of the Closer Settlement Board’ shall on the appointed day be hereby repealed: Provided that notwithstanding anything in the *Superannuation Acts* any person who on the appointed day becomes or on any day thereafter is appointed as a member of the Commission shall, if immediately before the appointed day or the day on which he is appointed as a member (as the case may be) he is an officer within the meaning of the *Superannuation Acts*, be deemed to continue subject to those Acts to be an officer within the meaning of those Acts”.

2. Clause 25, line 17, omit “twenty” and insert “twenty-one”.

3. First Schedule, page 33, item 68, omit this item—

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.

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

16. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF LOAN AND APPLICATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to authorize the raising of Money for the Relief of Unemployment and the Application of such Money, and with respect to Advances to certain Authorities and Bodies of Persons out of such Money and out of Money raised under the Authority of the ‘Unemployment Relief Works (Commonwealth and States) Act 1932’ or received by the State pursuant to the Commonwealth Acts known as the ‘Loan (Unemployment Relief Works) Acts 1932,’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.

17. **DEUTGAM LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to revoke the permanent Reservation of certain Land in the Parish of Deutgam and to provide for the Grant of the said Land to the Commonwealth of Australia as a Site for a Base for Seaplanes of the Australian Air Force* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

18. **STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (BORROWING) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the State Electricity Commission of Victoria to raise Moneys by the Issue of Debentures and Inscribed Stock for certain Purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

19. **LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Land Act 1928 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

20. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DEBENTURES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.

21. **EDUCATION (FEES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made in this Bill by the Council and disagreed with by the Assembly having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follow :—

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the Legislative Assembly.

2. Clause 3, sub-clause (6), lines 20–22, omit “ together with Ten shillings for the second and each successive living child ”.

Disagreed with, but the following amendment made in the clause :—Sub-clause (6), line 22, after “ child ” (where first occurring) insert “ under the age of fourteen years or attending any school within the meaning of the Principal Act ”.

4. Clause 3, sub-clause (6), at the end of the sub-clause insert—

“ In assessing such weekly income an addition shall be allowed of Ten shillings for the second and each successive living child under the age of fourteen years or attending any school within the meaning of the Principal Act ”.

Disagreed with.

Amendment 2 not insisted on and the Assembly’s amendment in sub-clause (6) of clause 3 of the Bill agreed to.

Amendment 4 not insisted on.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council do not insist on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly and have agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly in sub-clause (6) of clause 3 of the Bill.

22. **COUNTRY SEWERAGE LOAN APPLICATION BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

23. **WATER SUPPLY LOANS APPLICATION BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

24. **SUPERANNUATION (RETIREMENT) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

25. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 and 8, be postponed until after No. 9.

26. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
27. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (BORROWING) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
28. ADJOURNMENT.—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at a quarter past Two o'clock. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the Council, at eleven minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 38.

WEDNESDAY, 21ST DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor—
Charitable Institutions—Statistics for the year 1931-32.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Unemployed Occupiers and Farmers Relief Acts—Regulations (Amendments and Additions).
3. DRIED FRUITS BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
4. DEUTGAM LAND BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 8 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 9.
6. SUPERANNUATION AND OTHER TRUST FUNDS VALIDATION BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair, and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was, after debate, read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
7. TRANSPORT REGULATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable C. H. A. Eager, that the debate be adjourned until later this day.

8. **CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
9. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 8 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 10.
10. **CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
Ordered—That the Report be now taken into consideration.
Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz. :—
1. Clause 20, lines 24–5, omit “ or any corresponding previous enactment ”.
 2. Clause 23, line 25, after “ authorities ” insert “ immunities ”.
 3. Clause 25, line 16, after “ paragraph (a) ” insert “ of ”.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message suggesting that the Assembly amend the same as set forth in the foregoing resolution.
Ordered—That the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole be postponed until later this day.
11. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.**—The Honorable J. P. Jones presented a Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor informing the Council that he had given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Unemployment Relief (Administration) Act 1932.
12. **FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to some of the amendments made in such Bill by the Council, have disagreed with others of the said amendments, and have agreed to two of the said amendments with amendments, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration later this day.
13. **CARRIAGES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Sections Four and Five of the ‘ Carriages Act 1928’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
14. **FIREARMS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, have made the suggested amendment.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
15. **THORNBURY LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide for the Issue of a further Lease of certain Crown Land at Thornbury described in the Schedule to the ‘ Thornbury Land Act 1912’ and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. E. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
16. **TRANSPORT REGULATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The Deputy-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
17. **FACTORIES AND SHOPS (SUNDAYS) BILL.**—The Deputy-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the Law relating to Work in certain Factories on Sundays* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
18. **CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.**—The Deputy-President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Report of the Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be considered in conjunction with the Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

19. FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made in this Bill by the Council and disagreed with by the Assembly or agreed to with amendments having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follow :—

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the
Legislative Assembly.

1. Clause 4, sub-clause (1), paragraph (a), sub-paragraph (i), omit this sub-paragraph.
5. Clause 4, at the end of the clause insert the following new sub-clause :—
 - (3) For a period of three months immediately following the coming into operation of this Act sub-section (1) of section twenty-eight of the Principal Act as amended by any Act shall be read and construed as if for the words "six months" there were substituted the words "twelve months".
10. Clause 5, sub-clauses (2) to (5), omit these sub-clauses and insert the following sub-clauses :—
 - "(2) The mortgagee may apply to the court upon summons for an order modifying or excluding the operation of the foregoing provisions of this section in relation to such renewed mortgage and the court shall make an order accordingly unless the mortgagor satisfies the court that his financial position is such that it would be inequitable to grant the application of the mortgagee, in which case the court shall make an order dismissing the application or modifying the foregoing provisions of this section in relation to such renewed mortgage to such an extent as to the court seems just.
 - (3) Every application under this section shall if the mortgagor or the mortgagee so desires be heard *in camera*.
 - (4) Every application under this section to a court of petty sessions shall be made to the court of petty sessions held nearest to the location of the property which is the subject of the mortgage.
 - (5) If any mortgagee holds such a renewed mortgage as a trustee—
 - (a) such mortgagee shall not except in the case of bad faith be deemed to be guilty of a breach of trust by reason only of his failure to make an application under this section; and
 - (b) the court in making any order as to costs under this section shall have regard (*inter alia*) to the fiduciary position of such mortgagee as trustee.
 - (6) Every order made under this section by the Supreme Court or a judge thereof or any county court or a judge thereof shall be final and conclusive and no appeal shall lie in respect thereof; but an appeal shall lie to the Supreme Court or a county court in respect of an order made under this section by a court of petty sessions.
 - (7) The provisions of this section shall not affect any agreement to the contrary made after the coming into operation of this Act.
 - (8) In this section the expression "renewed mortgage" includes a new mortgage entered into by the same parties over the same security upon the expiration of a mortgage existing on the first day of October One thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, which new mortgage secures the repayment of moneys not greater than the total sum of the moneys secured upon all accounts under the former mortgage.
 - (9) Nothing in this section shall apply to any debenture inscribed stock or mortgage issued created or given by any public or local authority."

Disagreed with

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the
Legislative Assembly.

14. Clause 8, sub-clause (1), lines 4-5, omit "or renewed mortgage as defined in section five of this Act". } Agreed to and the following amendment made in the Bill—
Clause 8, line 4, after "mortgage" insert "or agreement".
18. Clause 8, sub-clause (2), omit this sub-clause and insert the same as a New Clause A to follow clause 7. } Agreed to with the following amendment:—
Add the following sub-clause to new clause A inserted by the Council to follow clause 7:—
“(2) Any provision in a mortgage (whether entered into before or after the coming into operation of this Act) by or under which it is provided that any income tax payable by the mortgagee, or any portion thereof, shall or may be taken into account for the purpose of fixing, measuring, or calculating the rate of interest payable under the mortgage or any reduction or alteration of that rate shall, as on from and after the coming into operation of this Act, to the extent to which it provides for income tax to be so taken into account (but not otherwise), be void and of no effect, whether the provision be in the form of a covenant or agreement to pay interest, or a proviso or a stipulation for an alternative, substituted, or reduced rate of interest in lieu of a higher rate payable by the mortgagee pursuant to any such covenant or agreement, or otherwise.”

Amendment 1—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Council insist on this amendment disagreed with by the Assembly.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. W. Angliss (*Teller*),
F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
W. H. Edgar,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
A. J. Pittard,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith (*Teller*),
W. Tyner.

Noes, 10.

The Hon. W. L. R. Clarke (*Teller*),
Dr. J. R. Harris,
R. Kilpatrick (*Teller*),
M. McGregor,
D. L. McNamara,
H. Pye,
G. J. Tuckett,
R. Williams,
W. J. Williamson,
A. M. Zwar.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Amendment insisted on.

Amendment 5 insisted on.

Amendment 10—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Council insist on this amendment disagreed with by the Assembly.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. W. Angliss,
F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie (*Teller*),
C. H. A. Eager,
W. H. Edgar,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell (*Teller*),
A. J. Pittard,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
W. Tyner.

Noes, 12.

The Hon. W. L. R. Clarke,
G. M. Davis,
J. H. Disney (*Teller*),
Dr. J. R. Harris,
R. Kilpatrick,
M. McGregor,
D. L. McNamara,
H. Pye (*Teller*),
G. J. Tuckett,
R. Williams,
W. J. Williamson,
A. M. Zwar.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Amendment insisted on.

Amendment 14—Amendment made by the Assembly in clause 8, line 4, of the Bill disagreed with.

Amendment 18—Amendment of the Assembly on this amendment of the Council agreed to.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly in new clause A inserted by the Council, have disagreed with the amendment made by the Assembly in clause 8, line 4, of the Bill, and insist on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly.

20. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of the Report from the Committee of the whole on this Bill having been read, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
21. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 8 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 11.
22. FIREARMS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
23. TRANSPORT REGULATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
24. MILK BOARD BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make provision for the Appointment of a Milk Board and for the Powers and Duties thereof*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.

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

THURSDAY, 22ND DECEMBER, 1932.

25. ADJOURNMENT.—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until this day at Eleven o'clock.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

P. T. POOK,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 39.

THURSDAY, 22ND DECEMBER, 1932.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:—
Health Act 1928—Report of the Commission of Public Health for the year 1931–32.
3. BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
4. CARRIAGES BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
5. THORNBURY LAND BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. H. Edgar having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
6. LAND BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The Deputy-President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
7. FORESTS BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
8. WHEAT-GROWERS RELIEF (COMMONWEALTH PAYMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply for the Benefit and Assistance of Wheat-growers in Victoria certain Moneys paid to the State pursuant to Part VI. of the Commonwealth Act known as the 'Financial Relief Act 1932'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
9. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF LOAN AND APPLICATION BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
10. RAILWAY LOAN APPLICATION BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

11. **FACTORIES AND SHOPS (SUNDAYS) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time.
Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen moved, That the Bill be now committed.
Debate ensued.
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
Ordered—That the Bill be committed later this day.
12. **FIREARMS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to some of the amendments made in such Bill by the Council and have disagreed with one of the said amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be now taken into consideration.
And the said amendment was read and is as follows:—

Amendment made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the Legislative Assembly.

5. Insert the following new clause—

A. For sub-section (2) of section twenty-five of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sub-section:—

“(2) (a) (i) If a person carries a pistol without holding a pistol permit he shall be liable for a first offence to imprisonment for a term of not more than twelve months and for every subsequent offence to imprisonment for not less than twelve months and not more than three years.

(ii) For not less than one month prior to the coming into operation of the *Firearms Act 1932* the Chief Commissioner of Police shall cause to be exhibited in a conspicuous place outside every police station in Victoria a notice setting out the terms of sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (a) of this subsection: Provided nevertheless that the failure or partial failure by the Chief Commissioner of Police so to do shall not constitute a defence to a charge under the said sub-paragraph (i).

(b) If a person holding a pistol permit carries a pistol otherwise than as authorized by such permit or fails to comply with any condition subject to which such permit is granted or which is contained in such permit he shall be liable to a penalty of not less than Two and not more than Fifty pounds or to imprisonment for a term of not more than twelve months or to both such penalty and imprisonment.”

Disagreed with.

On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen the Council did not insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly, and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

13. **TRANSPORT REGULATION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to some of the amendments made in such Bill by the Council and have disagreed with one of the said amendments.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be now taken into consideration.
And the said amendment was read and is as follows:—

Amendment made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the Legislative Assembly.

4. Clause 4, page 3, line 1, after “interest” insert
“(other than as a member or shareholder of a company partnership or association consisting of more than twenty persons)”

Disagreed with.

On the motion of Colonel the Honorable Harold Cohen, and after debate, the Council did not insist on their amendment disagreed with by the Assembly, and ordered that the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them therewith.

14. **WHEAT-GROWERS RELIEF (COMMONWEALTH PAYMENT) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
15. **FREE CONFERENCE—FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they desire a Free Conference with the Council on the subject-matter of the amendments made in this Bill and insisted on or disagreed with by the Council, and that they have appointed six members of the Assembly to be Managers of the said Conference.
The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the desire of the Assembly for a Free Conference on the subject-matter of the amendments made in this Bill and insisted on or disagreed with by the Council be complied with.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the following members be appointed Managers of the Conference:—The Honorables A. E. Chandler, Colonel Harold Cohen, C. H. A. Eager, A. J. Pittard, M. Saltau, and the Mover.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Conference meet at ten minutes past Eight o'clock this day in the Legislative Council Committee Room.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have appointed six members to confer with a like number of members of the Assembly on the subject-matter of the amendments made in this Bill and insisted on or disagreed with by the Council, and have named the Legislative Council Committee Room as the place, and ten minutes past Eight o'clock this day as the time of meeting of such Conference.
16. **WHEAT-GROWERS RELIEF (COMMONWEALTH PAYMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable G. J. Tuckett having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
17. **MILK BOARD BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Goudie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time, and debate arising thereupon, it was ordered, on the motion of the Honorable R. Kilpatrick, that the debate be adjourned until later this day.
18. **LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL (No. 2).**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the Law relating to Distress for Rent*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
19. **POLICE OFFENCES (RACE-MEETINGS) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to make provision with respect to the Payment of Interest on the Balance of Compensation payable under the 'Police Offences (Race-meetings) Act 1929' to certain Clubs, Associations and Bodies of Persons*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Goudie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
20. **FACTORIES AND SHOPS (SUNDAYS) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable J. H. Disney having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
21. **POLICE OFFENCES (RACE-MEETINGS) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.
22. **MILK BOARD BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair; and the Honorable W. L. R. Clarke having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same without amendment.

23. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL (No. 2).—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

FRIDAY, 23RD DECEMBER, 1932.

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

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

24. LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Council in this Bill.

25. FREE CONFERENCE—FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly have agreed to the recommendations of the Free Conference on the subject-matter of the amendments made in this Bill and insisted on or disagreed with by the Council and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

The Honorable J. P. Jones reported on behalf of the Managers for the Council that they had met the Managers for the Assembly on the subject-matter of the amendments made in this Bill and insisted on or disagreed with by the Council, and that the Conference had, after discussion, made certain recommendations.

And the said amendments and the recommendations of the Conference are as follow:—

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.	How dealt with.
<p>1. Clause 4, sub-clause (1), paragraph (a), sub-paragraph (i), omit this sub-paragraph.</p>	<p>Disagreed with by Assembly. —Insisted on by Council.</p>
<p>5. Clause 4, at the end of the clause insert the following new sub-clause:— “(3) For a period of three months immediately following the coming into operation of this Act sub-section (1) of section twenty-eight of the Principal Act as amended by any Act shall be read and construed as if for the words ‘six months’ there were substituted the words ‘twelve months’.”</p>	<p>Disagreed with by Assembly. —Insisted on by Council.</p>
<p>10. Clause 5, sub-clauses (2) to (5), omit these sub-clauses and insert the following sub-clauses:— “(2) The mortgagee may apply to the court upon summons for an order modifying or excluding the operation of the foregoing provisions of this section in relation to such renewed mortgage and the court shall make an order accordingly unless the mortgagor satisfies the court that his financial position is such that it would be inequitable to grant the application of the mortgagee, in which case the court shall make an order dismissing the application or modifying the foregoing provisions of this section in relation to such renewed mortgage to such an extent as to the court seems just. (3) Every application under this section shall if the mortgagor or the mortgagee so desires be heard <i>in camera</i>. (4) Every application under this section to a court of petty sessions shall be made to the court of petty sessions held nearest to the location of the property which is the subject of the mortgage. (5) If any mortgagee holds such a renewed mortgage as a trustee— (a) such mortgagee shall not except in the case of bad faith be deemed to be guilty of a breach of trust by reason only of his failure to make an application under this section; and (b) the court in making any order as to costs under this section shall have regard (<i>inter alia</i>) to the fiduciary position of such mortgagee as trustee. (6) Every order made under this section by the Supreme Court or a judge thereof or any county court or a judge thereof shall be final and conclusive and no appeal shall lie in respect thereof; but an appeal shall lie to the Supreme Court or a county court in respect of an order made under this section by a court of petty sessions.</p>	<p>Disagreed with by Assembly. —Insisted on by Council.</p>

Amendments made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with.

(7) The provisions of this section shall not affect any agreement to the contrary made after the coming into operation of this Act.

(8) In this section the expression 'renewed mortgage' includes a new mortgage entered into by the same parties over the same security upon the expiration of a mortgage existing on the first day of October One thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, which new mortgage secures the repayment of moneys not greater than the total sum of the moneys secured upon all accounts under the former mortgage.

(9) Nothing in this section shall apply to any debenture inscribed stock or mortgage issued created or given by any public or local authority."

14. Clause 8, sub-clause (1), lines 4-5, omit "or renewed mortgage as defined in section five of this Act."

Agreed to by Assembly, and the following amendment made in the Bill:—Clause 8, sub-clause (1), line 4, after "mortgage" insert "or agreement." — Amendment of Assembly disagreed with by Council.

Recommendations of Free Conference.

Amendment No. 1—

Disagreement with Council's amendment not to be insisted on by Assembly, but the following new clause to be inserted to follow clause 3:—

C. (1) For paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) of section twenty-eight of the Principal Act as amended by any Act there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"(b) interest has been paid—

(i) in the case where interest under the mortgage is to be paid quarterly or at any shorter period—to a date within the period of twelve months immediately preceding the date of the application hereinafter provided for;

(ii) in the case where interest under the mortgage is to be paid half-yearly—to a date within the period of fifteen months immediately preceding the date of such an application; and

(iii) in the case where interest under the mortgage is paid yearly or at any longer period—to a date within the period of eighteen months immediately preceding the date of such an application."

(2) For the purposes only of sub-section (1) of the said section twenty-eight as amended by sub-section (1) of this section—

(a) interest shall be deemed to accrue and be payable from day to day; and

(b) tender of interest by the mortgagor shall if refused by the mortgagee be deemed to be payment thereof.

Amendment No. 5—

Disagreement with Council's amendment to be insisted on by Assembly.

Amendment No. 10—

Disagreement with Council's amendment not to be insisted on by Assembly, and Council's amendment to be agreed to with the following amendment, viz. :—

Omit sub-clause (2) inserted by the Council and insert—

"(2) The mortgagee may apply to the court upon summons for an order modifying or excluding the operation of the foregoing provisions of this section in relation to such renewed mortgage and the court may after taking into consideration the financial position of the mortgagor make an order accordingly; but if the court is satisfied that having regard to the financial position of the mortgagor it would be inequitable to grant the application of the mortgagee it may dismiss the application or make an order modifying the operation of the foregoing provisions of this section in relation to such renewed mortgage to such an extent as to the court seems just. On the hearing of any application under this section the court may if it thinks fit direct that the mortgagor shall attend for examination";

and the following amendments to be made, viz. :—

New clause AA, omit this new clause and insert—

AA. For sub-section (3) of section nineteen of the Principal Act as amended by any Act there shall be substituted the following sub-section:—

"(3) The mortgagee may apply to the court upon summons for an order modifying or excluding the operation of the foregoing provisions of this section in relation to such mortgage and the court may after taking into consideration the financial position of the mortgagor make an order accordingly; but if the court is satisfied that having regard to the financial position of the mortgagor it would be

inequitable to grant the application of the mortgagee it may dismiss the application or make an order modifying the operation of the foregoing provisions of this section in relation to such mortgage to such an extent as to the court seems just. On the hearing of any application under this section the court may if it thinks fit direct that the mortgagor shall attend for examination."

Clause 6, insert the following new sub-section to follow sub-section (1) :—

"(2) The provisions of sub-section (1) of this section shall take effect with regard to such mortgage or such renewed mortgage after the provisions of the next succeeding section, if the same are applicable, have been applied thereto."

Amendment No. 14—

Assembly not to insist on their amendment in the Bill disagreed with by Council and Assembly now to disagree with Council's amendment, but to make the following amendments in the Bill :—

Clause 8, sub-section (1), lines 4-6, omit all words commencing "Any provision in any mortgage" and ending "this Act" and insert—

"Any provision—

in any mortgage entered into after the first day of October One thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and before the coming into operation of this Act; or

in any agreement entered into after the said first day of October and before the coming into operation of this Act and which agreement renews a mortgage which expired, or but for such renewal would have expired, before the coming into operation of this Act—

which—"

Clause 8, sub-section (1), line 7, omit "which."

Clause 8, sub-section (1), line 14, omit "which."

The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the Council agree to the recommendations of the Free Conference.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the recommendations of the Free Conference on the subject-matter of the amendments made in such Bill and insisted on or disagreed with by the Council.

26. APPROPRIATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue to the service of the year ending on the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable J. P. Jones, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, was read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

27. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Wednesday, the 18th January next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable J. P. Jones moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifteen minutes past Four o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Wednesday, the 18th January next.

P. T. POOK,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

QUESTIONS ASKED BY HONORABLE MEMBERS, AND REPLIES THERETO.

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* Question asked without notice.

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* Question asked without notice.

BILLS ASSENTED TO AFTER THE FINAL ADJOURNMENT OF BOTH HOUSES OF
PARLIAMENT AND BEFORE THE PROROGATION.

The following Bills were assented to by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor on the dates mentioned hereunder, viz. : —

On the 29th December, 1932—

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Landlord and Tenant.
Local Government (Debentures).
Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board.
Milk Board.
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State Electricity Commission (Borrowing).
Superannuation and Other Trust Funds Validation.
Superannuation (Retirement).
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PROROGUING THE PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS The Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until Wednesday, the eighteenth day of January, 1933 :
Now I, the Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue the said Parliament of Victoria until Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, 1933.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this seventeenth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-three, and in the twenty-third year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

W. H. IRVINE.

By His Excellency's Command,

STANLEY S. ARGYLE.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

SELECT COMMITTEES.

APPOINTED DURING THE SECOND SESSION 1932.

No. 1.—ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.

Appointed (by President's Warrant) 14th June, 1932.

The Hon. H. I. Cohen	The Hon. J. P. Jones
C. H. A. Eager	D. L. McNamara
G. L. Goudie	H. F. Richardson
Dr. J. R. Harris	

No. 2.—STANDING ORDERS.

Appointed 21st June, 1932.

The Hon. the President	The Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris
F. W. Brawn	J. P. Jones
Col. Harold Cohen	M. McGregor
H. I. Cohen	D. L. McNamara
W. H. Edgar	H. F. Richardson

No. 3.—HOUSE (JOINT).

Appointed 21st June, 1932, under Act No. 3660, s. 367.

The Hon. the President (<i>ex officio</i>)	The Hon. D. L. McNamara
W. Angliss	R. Williams
A. E. Chandler	A. M. Zwar

No. 4.—LIBRARY (JOINT).

Appointed 21st June, 1932.

The Hon. the President	The Hon. M. Saltau
W. L. R. Clarke	W. Tyner
E. L. Kiernan	

No. 5.—PRINTING.

Appointed 21st June, 1932.

The Hon. the President	The Hon. R. Kilpatrick
E. G. Bath	Lieut-Col. G. V. Lansell
H. A. Currie	H. H. Olney
H. Keck	H. H. Smith
E. L. Kiernan	G. J. Tuckett

No. 6.—STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).

Appointed 21st June, 1932.

The Hon. H. I. Cohen	The Hon. J. P. Jones
W. H. Edgar	M. McGregor
G. L. Goudie	H. F. Richardson

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 1.

Extracted from the Minutes.

TUESDAY, 5TH JULY, 1932.

No. 1.—UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS (COMMONWEALTH AND STATES) BILL.—Clause 3—

3. (1) For the purposes of the said Commonwealth Acts the Governor in Council—

(a) may from time to time increase the amount of stock known as the Victorian Government Stock erected under the authority of the *Victorian Government Stock Act 1896* by an additional amount not exceeding in the whole Four hundred and seventy-five thousand pounds; or

(b) may issue debentures for the whole or any portion of such sum in lieu of increasing stock as aforesaid—

all of which stock and debentures and interest thereon respectively at such rate or rates as the Governor in Council may fix shall be chargeable upon the consolidated revenue of Victoria.

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(4) The proceeds of the sale of the said stock or of the said debentures shall be issued and applied only for expenditure as required by the said Commonwealth Acts on approved works.

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—(Hon. G. L. Goudie.)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 3, sub-clause (4), at the end of the sub-clause insert the following proviso :—

“Provided that no moneys being the proceeds of the sale of the said stock or of the said debentures shall be advanced by way of loan to any person authority or body of persons except upon terms that—

(a) such person authority or body shall be chargeable with interest on the moneys so advanced at a rate not less than the average rate of interest payable on the said stock and debentures;

(b) the first payment of such interest by such person authority or body shall not be postponed for a longer period than three years from the date when such moneys were so advanced; and

(c) (in the case where any such moneys are advanced to any such authority or body of persons) such authority or body shall notwithstanding anything in any Act establish and maintain such sinking fund to provide for the repayment of such moneys as the Governor in Council approves."

—(Hon. C. H. A. Eager.)

Committee divided—(the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair).

Ayes, 9.

The Hon. G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
R. Kilpatrick (*Teller*),
M. McGregor,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith (*Teller*),
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner,
A. M. Zwar.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. E. G. Bath,
F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
Sir Frank Clarke,
W. L. R. Clarke,
H. A. Currie,
J. H. Disney,
G. L. Goudie,
H. Keck,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
D. L. McNamara,
A. J. Pittard (*Teller*),
H. Pye (*Teller*),
H. F. Richardson.

And so it passed in the negative.

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No. 2.

Extracted from the Minutes.

WEDNESDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER, 1932.

No. 1.—UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—Clause 2—

2. (1) For sub-section (6) of section nine of the *Unemployment Relief Amendment Act 1930* as re-enacted by section sixteen of the *Unemployment Relief Amendment Act 1931* there shall be substituted the following sub-sections :—

“(6) Notwithstanding any determination of any Wages Board or the Court of Industrial Appeals the rates of pay for work on any works for the relief of unemployment carried out pursuant to the Unemployment Relief Acts or to any Act relating to the provision of moneys for the relief of unemployment, by the Crown any Government department or any public authority, shall be as hereinafter specified :—

* * * * *

(c) In any other case—such rate per hour as is fixed by the Employment Council of Victoria not being less than the lowest rate per hour which is payable under paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this sub-section.

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—(Hon. Col. Harold Cohen.)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 2, sub-clause (1), omit “not being less than the lowest rate per hour which is payable under paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this sub-section.”

—(Hon. C. H. A. Eager.)

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 11.

The Hon. W. L. R. Clarke,
C. H. A. Eager,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
H. Keck,
R. Kilpatrick (*Teller*),
G. S. McArthur,
M. McGregor,
H. F. Richardson,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner (*Teller*).

Noes, 8.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Col. Harold Cohen,
J. H. Disney,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
E. L. Kiernan (*Teller*),
A. J. Pittard (*Teller*),
H. Pye.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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 No. 3.
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Extracted from the Minutes.

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 TUESDAY, 27TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

No. 1.—POLICE OFFENCES (ADVERTISEMENTS) BILL.—Clause 2 (*as amended*)—

2. (1) Any person who publishes or causes to be published any statement which is intended or apparently intended by such person or any other person to promote the sale or disposal of any preventives of human conception or to increase the use of any such preventives shall be liable to a penalty of not more than Twenty pounds for a first offence and not less than Five nor more than Fifty pounds for a second offence and not less than Ten nor more than One hundred pounds for any subsequent offence.

(2) A statement shall be deemed to be published within the meaning of this section if it is—

- (a) inserted in any newspaper printed and published in Victoria ; or
- (b) publicly exhibited in view of persons in any street or public place ; or
- (c) contained in any document gratuitously sent or delivered to any person or thrown or left upon premises in the occupation of any person—

but any such statement contained in a document gratuitously sent or delivered to any adult person at his request by any legally qualified medical practitioner or by any registered pharmaceutical chemist carrying on business in an open shop shall not be deemed to be published within the meaning of this section.

(3) If in contravention of this section any statement is inserted in a newspaper printed and published in Victoria the printer publisher and proprietor of that newspaper shall severally (and without excluding the liability of any other person) be guilty of an offence under this section, unless they prove that such statement was so inserted without their knowledge or authority.

(4) Any person who sells or distributes any newspaper or publication printed outside of Victoria containing any statement the insertion of which in a newspaper printed and published in Victoria would be in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence under this section, unless he proves that he was unaware and had no reason to believe that such newspaper or publication contained such statement.

(5) Every body corporate shall be liable for an offence under this section as if such body corporate were a private person and shall be subject to the same penalties as if it were a private person ; and where a person convicted of an offence under this section is a body corporate any person being a chairman, member of the governing body, director, manager, secretary or officer of such body corporate shall be deemed to have committed the like offence and be liable to the penalty provided by this section accordingly, unless he proves that the act or omission which constituted the offence took place without his knowledge or consent.

(6) Where any person acting for or on behalf of any firm or other body of persons unincorporate is convicted of an offence under this section every member of the firm and every member of the governing body (if any) and every officer of such body of persons unincorporate who is concerned in the management thereof shall be deemed to have committed the like offence and be liable to the penalty provided by this section accordingly, unless he proves that the act or omission which constituted the offence took place without his knowledge or consent.

(7) Where two or more persons commit or knowingly authorize or permit the commission of any offence under this section each of such persons shall be liable therefor and the liability of each of them shall be independent of the liability of the other or others.

(8) This section shall be read and construed as in aid of and not in derogation from any enactment or law relating to obscene and indecent publications.

(9) For the purpose of this section "preventives of human conception" means any contrivances or appliances for securing or purporting to secure by the use thereof before during or after sexual intercourse between human beings that such intercourse may take place without resulting in or with less likelihood of resulting in conception, and includes any substance purporting to be effective or of use for that purpose.

—(Hon. A. E. Chandler.)

Question—That clause 2 as amended stand part of the Bill—put.
Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. W. Angliss,
F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Col. Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
G. S. McArthur (*Teller*),
M. McGregor,
H. H. Olney (*Teller*),
A. J. Pittard,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
W. Tyner,
W. J. Williamson.

Noes, 4.

The Hon. J. H. Disney,
E. L. Kiernan,
R. Kilpatrick (*Teller*),
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1932.

No. 2.—FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—Clause 2—

2. (1) Subject to the Fisheries Acts the Minister may authorize the issue of a licence (to be called a "trout-fishing licence") to fish for non-indigenous trout during the open season in respect of which it is issued to any person over seventeen years of age and on payment of a fee at the rate mentioned in the Schedule to this Act.

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(5) (a) When any Authority within the meaning of the *Water Act 1928* grants or issues a permit or licence to any person to fish in any waters belonging to or vested in it or under its management and control, the Authority shall in any case in which such permit or licence authorizes expressly or impliedly such person to fish for non-indigenous trout grant or issue the same without payment of any fee.

(b) Such licence or permit granted or issued by the Authority to any person over seventeen years of age shall not be of any force or effect except during the currency of the trout-fishing licence held by such person.

(c) If such person while fishing in such waters or while on any land belonging to or vested in or under the control and management of the Authority fails to comply with any by-law or regulation of the Authority for the time being in force or with any condition subject to which the licence or permit is granted or issued to him by the Authority the said licence or permit may, without affecting the liability of such person for penalties or otherwise, be revoked by the Authority, and the Authority may thereafter refuse to issue to such person any licence or permit to fish in any waters under the control or management of the Authority.

(d) The provisions of this sub-section with respect to any Authority within the meaning of the *Water Act 1928* shall, with such adaptations as are necessary, extend and apply with respect to the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works as if the said Board were an Authority within the meaning of the said Act.

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—(Hon. J. P. Jones.)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 2, sub-clause (5), paragraph (a), omit “without payment of any fee” and insert “upon payment of such fee as the Authority thinks fit.”

—(*Hon. G. S. McArthur.*)

Committee divided—the Hon. G. J. Tuckett in the Chair.

Ayes, 12.
The Hon. Sir Frank Clarke,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
R. Kilpatrick,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
G. S. McArthur,
A. J. Pittard,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau (*Teller*),
H. H. Smith (*Teller*).

Noes, 10.
The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Col. Harold Cohen,
J. H. Disney,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
E. L. Kiernan,
M. McGregor (*Teller*),
D. L. McNamara,
W. Tyner (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—Clause 2—

[*For this clause see Division No. 2 above.*]

Motion made—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 2, insert the following new sub-clause to follow sub-clause (5) :—

“() (a) Nothing in this Act shall authorize the holder of a trout-fishing licence to fish for or take non-indigenous trout in any water belonging to or vested in or under the management and control of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works without the consent of such Board given either generally or in any particular case, and notice to this effect shall be contained in every licence issued under this Act.

(b) Any person who fishes for or takes any non-indigenous trout in any such water without such consent shall be liable to a penalty of not less than One pound or more than Ten pounds.”

—(*Hon. C. H. A. Eager.*)

Amendment proposed—That the words “the Ballarat Water Commission the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust and the Bendigo Water Commission” be inserted after the words “Board of Works.”

—(*Hon. A. J. Pittard.*)

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—the Hon. G. J. Tuckett in the Chair.

Ayes, 10.
The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Col. Harold Cohen,
C. H. A. Eager (*Teller*),
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
G. S. McArthur,
A. J. Pittard,
H. H. Smith (*Teller*).

Noes, 10.
The Hon. Sir Frank Clarke,
W. L. R. Clarke,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
J. H. Disney,
M. McGregor (*Teller*),
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*),
H. Pye,
M. Saltau,
W. Tyner.

The Tellers having declared the numbers for the “Ayes” and for the “Noes” to be respectively ten, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the “Ayes” and declared the question to have been resolved in the affirmative.

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No. 4.

Extracted from the Minutes

TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 1932.

No. 1.—FISHERIES (TROUT LICENCES) BILL.—Clause 2—

2. (1) Subject to the Fisheries Acts the Minister may authorize the issue of a licence (to be called a "trout-fishing licence") to fish for non-indigenous trout during the open season in respect of which it is issued to any person over seventeen years of age and on payment of a fee at the rate mentioned in the Schedule to this Act.

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—(Hon. J. P. Jones.)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 2, insert the following new sub-clause to follow sub-clause (5) :—

" () (a) Nothing in this Act shall authorize the holder of a trout-fishing licence to fish for or take non-indigenous trout in any water belonging to or vested in or under the management and control of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works the Ballarat Water Commission the Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust and the Bendigo Water Commission without the consent of such Board or Authority given either generally or in any particular case or in any water belonging to or under the management and control of any other Authority within the meaning of the *Water Act* 1928 which is prescribed by notice published in the *Government Gazette* and posted in a conspicuous place in the vicinity of such water and notice to this effect shall be contained in every licence issued under this Act.

(b) Any person who fishes for or takes any non-indigenous trout in any such water without such consent shall be liable to a penalty of not less than One pound or more than Ten pounds."

—(Hon. C. H. A. Eager.)

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. W. Angliss (*Teller*),
A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
C. H. A. Eager,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
E. L. Kiernan,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell (*Teller*),
A. J. Pittard,
H. F. Richardson,
H. H. Smith,
W. Tyner,
W. J. Williamson.

Noes, 11.

The Hon. Sir Frank Clarke,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
J. H. Disney,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
H. Keck,
M. McGregor,
D. L. McNamara,
H. Pye (*Teller*),
M. Saltau (*Teller*),
G. J. Tuckett.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1932.

No. 2.—PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL.—Clause 8—

8. All contributions payable by the Government under Part III. of the *Police Regulation Act 1928* in respect of pensions superannuation or retiring allowances under Division one of the said Part III. or in respect of pensions under Division two of the said Part III. (except so far as the said contributions are payable in respect of children) shall in respect of the period to which this Part applies be reduced at the rates provided in the Schedule; and the amount of any pension superannuation or retiring allowance under the said Division one or of any pension under the said Division two shall in respect of the said period be reduced by the amount by which the Government contribution to that pension superannuation or retiring allowance or (as the case may be) that pension is reduced in pursuance of this section and the Schedule :

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—(*Hon. J. P. Jones.*)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 8, before “ children ” insert “ widows and ”.

—(*Hon. D. L. McNamara.*)

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 2.

The Hon. J. H. Disney (*Teller*),
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*).

Noes, 15.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
G. S. McArthur,
M. McGregor (*Teller*),
A. J. Pittard,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith (*Teller*),
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 3.—PENSIONS REDUCTION BILL.—The Schedule—

RATE OF REDUCTIONS TO BE MADE IN CERTAIN GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTIONS IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN PENSIONS AND OTHER PAYMENTS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1932-33.

Rate of Government Contribution Per Annum.						Rate of Reduction.
Groups.						Per centum.
Over	£50	and not exceeding	£100	8
..	£100	..	£105	9
..	£105	..	£110	10
..	£110	..	£115	11
..	£115	..	£120	12
..	£120	..	£125	13

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—(*Hon. J. P. Jones.*)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

In the Schedule, omit all the words and figures from “ Over £50 ” in the first column down to and including the figures “ 13 ” in the second column, and insert in place thereof the following words and figures :—

Over	£104	and not exceeding	£105	..	.95
..	£105	..	£106	..	1.89
..	£106	..	£107	..	2.8
..	£107	..	£108	..	3.7
..	£108	..	£109	..	4.59
..	£109	..	£110	..	5.45
..	£110	..	£111	..	6.31
..	£111	..	£112	..	7.14
..	£112	..	£113	..	7.96
..	£113	..	£114	..	8.77
..	£114	..	£115	..	9.57
..	£115	..	£116	..	10.34
..	£116	..	£117	..	11.11
..	£117	..	£118	..	11.75
..	£118	..	£119	..	12
..	£119	..	£120	..	12.25
..	£120	..	£121	..	12.5
..	£121	..	£123	..	12.75
..	£123	..	£125	..	13

—(*Hon. D. L. McNamara.*)

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

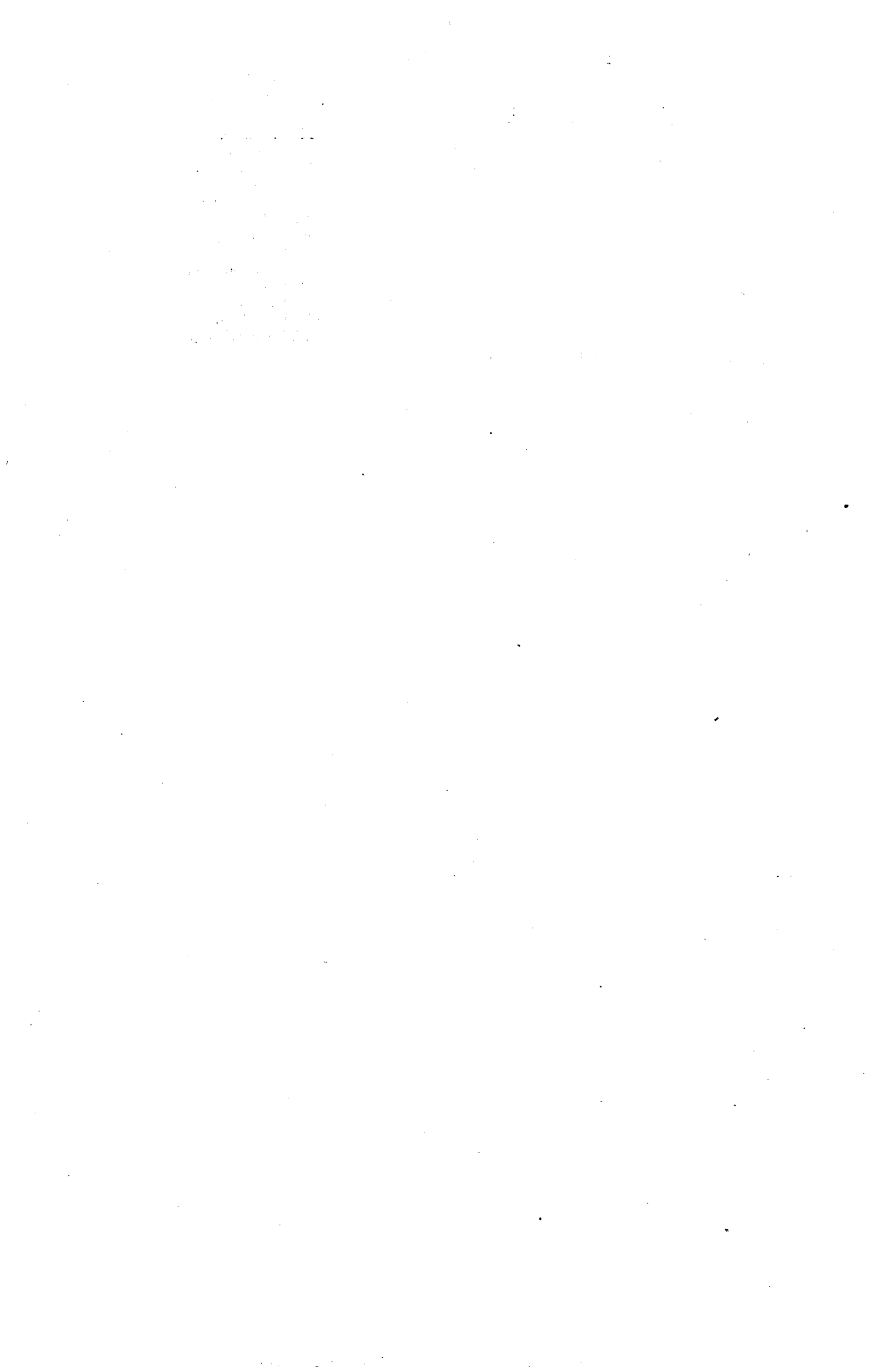
Ayes, 2.

The Hon. J. H. Disney (*Teller*),
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*).

Noes, 15.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
G. S. McArthur (*Teller*),
M. McGregor,
A. J. Pittard,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.



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No. 5.

Extracted from the Minutes.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1932.

No. 1.—UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—Clause 7 (*as amended*)—

7. (1) No sustenance shall be receivable or be received by any person—

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(c) who at any time after the coming into operation of this Act without reasonable excuse refuses or fails to accept employment offered to him on works for the relief of unemployment carried out pursuant to this Part or any Act relating to the provision of moneys for the relief of unemployment or to perform in a reasonably satisfactory manner work demanded to be performed pursuant to the next succeeding section :

Provided that notwithstanding anything in the next succeeding section sustenance may be provided if the Minister thinks fit for any person referred to in paragraph (c) of this sub-section.

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—(*Hon. G. L. Goudie.*)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ after the expiration of a period of not less than four weeks after such refusal or failure as aforesaid ” be inserted after the word “ sub-section ” in the proviso.

—(*Hon. H. H. Smith.*)

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. W. Angliss,
A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
R. Kilpatrick,
G. S. McArthur,
M. McGregor,
A. J. Pittard,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau (*Teller*),
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner (*Teller*),
W. J. Williamson.

Noes, 2.

The Hon. J. H. Disney (*Teller*),
D. L. McNamara (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—Clause 15—

15. It shall be the duty of every relative (that is to say the father, mother, husband, or wife, or child of or over twenty-one years of age) of any person receiving sustenance under this Part to recoup or to contribute towards recouping the Unemployment Relief Fund, if able to do so, the amount of the cost of sustenance received by that person.

—(*Hon. G. L. Goudie.*)

Question—That clause 15 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—the Hon. W. L. R. Clarke in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager (*Teller*),
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
R. Kilpatrick,
G. S. McArthur,
A. J. Pittard (*Teller*),
H. F. Richardson,
H. H. Smith,
W. Tyner,
W. J. Williamson.

Noes, 6.

The Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris,
E. L. Kiernan (*Teller*),
M. McGregor,
D. L. McNamara,
M. Saltau,
G. J. Tuckett (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—Clause 5—

5. (1) There shall be established a Council (to be called the "Employment Council of Victoria") appointed by the Governor in Council.

(2) The said Council shall consist of ten members appointed by the Governor in Council of whom—

- (a) two shall be responsible Ministers of the Crown ;
- (b) one shall be appointed as representing rural industries ;
- (c) one shall be appointed as representing commerce ;
- (d) one shall be appointed as representing employes after consultation by the Minister with the body known as the Trades Hall Council ;

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—(*Hon. G. L. Goudie.*)

Amendment proposed—That the words "as representing employes after consultation by the Minister with" in paragraph (d) of sub-clause (2) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the word "by".

—(*Hon. D. L. McNamara.*)

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

Committee divided—the Hon. W. L. R. Clarke in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie (*Teller*),
C. H. A. Eager,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
R. Kilpatrick,
G. S. McArthur,
M. McGregor,
A. J. Pittard,
H. F. Richardson,
H. H. Smith (*Teller*),
G. J. Tuckett,
W. Tyner.

Noes, 2.

The Hon. D. L. McNamara (*Teller*),
W. J. Williamson (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 6.

Extracted from the Minutes.

TUESDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER, 1932.

No. 1.—UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF (ADMINISTRATION) BILL.—Clause 14 (*as amended*)—

NOTE.—The clause had been amended by inserting the words in sub-clause (2) after the word "district" in place of words omitted. The clause had also been amended by the Legislative Assembly on the suggestion of the Legislative Council by inserting the two provisos to sub-clause (4) in place of a proviso omitted.

14. (1) The Minister may appoint such officers and may require the council of any municipality to appoint such other officers as the Minister thinks necessary for superintending or assisting in the administration of the provision of sustenance in the municipal district of such municipality and for otherwise carrying the provisions of this Part so far as it relates to the provision of sustenance into execution.

(2) One of such officers shall be appointed by the Minister or if the Minister so requires by the said council as the registrar of public assistance in the municipal district and the said registrar shall be entitled to attend any meeting of the public assistance committee and take part in the proceedings but shall not be entitled to vote at the meeting.

(3) The Minister may define the qualifications of such officers and the duties to be performed by them and the limits within which they are to act in the performance of their duties and may regulate the mode of appointment and determine the continuance in office or the suspension or dismissal of such officers.

(4) The salaries of such officers as are appointed by the council shall be paid by the said council out of the municipal fund or town fund (as the case may be):

Provided that the total amount of the salaries of such officers payable out of the municipal fund or the town fund (as the case may be) as aforesaid shall not in any financial year exceed—

- (a) where the annual revenue of a municipality (not being a city) does not exceed Five thousand pounds—Fifty pounds;
- (b) where the annual revenue of a municipality (not being a city) exceeds Five thousand pounds but does not exceed Ten thousand pounds—One hundred pounds;
- (c) where the annual revenue of a municipality (not being a city) exceeds Ten thousand pounds—One hundred and fifty pounds;
- (d) in the case of any city (other than the city of Melbourne)—Three hundred pounds; and
- (e) in the case of the city of Melbourne—One thousand pounds:

Provided further that if the Minister approves the payment of a greater total amount of salaries of such officers than that provided for in any of the cases hereinbefore in the foregoing proviso referred to the excess amount shall be paid out of the Unemployment Relief Fund.

(5) If the council of any municipality fails for a period of twenty-eight days after receipt of a requisition from the Minister in that behalf to appoint, either originally or on a vacancy, any officer whom they are legally required to appoint under this Part, the Minister may at any time after the expiration of the period appoint a fit person to be that officer and determine the salary or remuneration to be paid to him by the council.

(6) The person so appointed shall be entitled to recover the salary or remuneration so determined from the council and shall have all the powers rights and privileges and discharge all the same duties and incur the same responsibilities as if the appointment had been duly made by the council.

(7) For the purposes of the local administration of the provisions of this Part so far as it relates to the provision of sustenance the council shall provide suitable office accommodation and equipment.

(8) Subject to the foregoing provisions of this section all the costs and expenses of the local administration of this Part shall be paid by the council out of the municipal fund or town fund (as the case may be) which fund is hereby declared to be available for the purpose.

—(Hon. G. L. Goudie.)

Question—That clause 14 as amended stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. W. Angliss,
F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. I. Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
J. H. Disney,
C. H. A. Eager,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck (*Teller*),
E. L. Kiernan,
R. Kilpatrick,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
M. McGregor,
D. L. McNamara,
A. J. Pittard,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
W. J. Williamson (*Teller*),
A. M. Zwar.

Noes, 5.

The Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris,
G. S. McArthur (*Teller*),
H. Pye (*Teller*),
H. F. Richardson,
W. Tyner.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SECOND SESSION 1932.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 7.

Extracted from the Minutes.

TUESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, 1932.

No. 1.—FIREARMS BILL.—Clause 5—

5. At the end of section twenty-two of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sub-section :—

“(6) For every pistol permit or renewal thereof the applicant shall with his application pay such fee as is prescribed not being more than Five shillings.”

—(Hon. Col. Harold Cohen.)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 5, omit this clause.

—(Hon. H. I. Cohen.)

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. W. Angliss,
F. W. Brawn,
Sir Frank Clarke,
H. I. Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell (*Teller*),
G. S. McArthur,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau (*Teller*),
W. Tyner,
A. M. Zwar.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Col. Harold Cohen,
J. H. Disney,
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck,
E. L. Kiernan,
R. Kilpatrick (*Teller*),
D. L. McNamara,
A. J. Pittard,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett (*Teller*),
R. Williams.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—FIREARMS BILL.—Clause 6—

6. Section twenty-three of the Principal Act is hereby amended as follows :—

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(c) At the end of the section there shall be inserted the following sub-section :—

“(8) On every application for the registration of a pistol or for the renewal of such registration the applicant shall with his application pay such fee as is prescribed not being more than—

(a) (in the case of an application for registration) Ten shillings ; or

(b) (in the case of an application for renewal of registration) Five shillings.”

—(Hon. Col. Harold Cohen.)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 6, paragraph (c), omit this paragraph.

—(*Hon. H. I. Cohen.*)

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 8.

The Hon. Sir Frank Clarke,
H. I. Cohen,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager (*Teller*),
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
H. F. Richardson,
M. Saltau,
W. Tyner (*Teller*).

Noes, 20.

The Hon. W. Angliss,
F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
W. L. R. Clarke (*Teller*),
Col. Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
J. H. Disney,
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck,
E. L. Kiernau,
R. Kilpatrick,
G. S. McArthur,
D. L. McNamara,
A. J. Pittard (*Teller*),
H. Pye,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett,
A. M. Zwar.

And so it passed in the negative.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, 1932.

No. 3.—STAMPS BILL (No. 2).—Clause 2—

2. (1) The Third Schedule to the Principal Act as amended by any Act is hereby amended as follows :—

For the words and figures—

“	£	s.	d.	{	And on and after the 15th January, 1930, until the 31st December, 1935, inclusive, additional duty equal in amount to one-half of such duty.”
Bill of Exchange payable on demand (<i>cheque, &c.</i>)	0	0	1		

there shall be substituted the following words and figures :—

“	£	s.	d.	{	And on and after the 15th January, 1930, until the 14th December, 1932, inclusive, additional duty equal in amount to one-half of such duty. And on and after the 15th December, 1932, until the 31st December, 1933, inclusive, additional duty equal in amount to such duty.”
Bill of Exchange payable on demand (<i>cheque, &c.</i>)	0	0	1		

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—(*Hon. J. P. Jones.*)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendments in the Bill, viz. :—

1. Clause 2, sub-clause (1), omit “ 14th December, 1932 ” and insert “ 14th December, 1933 ”.
2. Clause 2, sub-clause (1), omit “ And on and after the 15th December, 1932, until the 31st December, 1933, inclusive, additional duty equal in amount to such duty ”.

—(*Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris.*)

Committee divided—the Hon. W. L. R. Clarke in the Chair.

Ayes, 9.

The Hon. H. I. Cohen,
G. M. Davis,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
M. McGregor (*Teller*),
H. F. Richardson,
H. H. Smith,
G. J. Tuckett (*Teller*),
W. Tyner,
A. M. Zwar.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. A. E. Chandler,
Sir Frank Clarke,
Col. Harold Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
C. H. A. Eager (*Teller*),
G. L. Goudie,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck,
R. Kilpatrick,
G. S. McArthur,
D. L. McNamara,
A. J. Pittard,
H. Pye,
M. Saltau,
W. J. Williamson (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 8.

Extracted from the Minutes.

THURSDAY MORNING, 15TH DECEMBER, 1932.

No. 1.—FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.—Clause 4—

4. (1) Section twenty-eight of the Principal Act as amended by any Act is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) In sub-section (1)—

(i) for the words "six months" there shall be substituted the words "twelve months"; and

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—(Hon. J. P. Jones.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (a) of sub-clause (1) be omitted.

—(Hon. J. P. Jones.)

Question—That the sub-paragraph proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 10.

The Hon. Dr. J. R. Harris,
E. L. Kiernan,
R. Kilpatrick (*Teller*),
M. McGregor,
D. L. McNamara,
H. Pye,
G. J. Tuckett,
R. Williams,
W. J. Williamson (*Teller*),
A. M. Zwar.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
Sir Frank Clarke,
W. L. R. Clarke,
Colonel Harold Cohen,
H. I. Cohen,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager,
J. P. Jones,
H. Keck,
Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell,
G. S. McArthur,
A. J. Pittard (*Teller*),
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
W. Tyner (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.

THURSDAY, 15TH DECEMBER, 1932.

No. 2.—FINANCIAL EMERGENCY (MORTGAGES) BILL.—Clause 5—

5. (1) Where any mortgage existing on the first day of October One thousand nine hundred and thirty-one has since that day and whether before or after the coming into operation of this Act been renewed, such renewed mortgage shall in respect of so much of the period of the renewal as falls within the period beginning with the date of the coming into operation of this Act or the date of renewal (whichever is the later date) and ending on the first day of October One thousand nine hundred and thirty-four be construed and take effect as if it were a term of the renewed mortgage that on from and after the date of the coming into operation of this Act or the date of renewal (whichever is the later date) the rate of interest payable under the renewed mortgage should be reduced to the rate payable under the mortgage before renewal as reduced by reason of the operation of Part III. of the Principal Act.

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—(Hon. J. P. Jones.)

Amendment proposed—Before “Where” insert “Subject to the provisions of this section”.

—(Hon. J. P. Jones.)

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 19.

The Hon. W. Angliss (*Teller*),
 F. W. Brawn,
 A. E. Chandler,
 Sir Frank Clarke,
 W. L. R. Clarke,
 Colonel Harold Cohen,
 H. I. Cohen,
 H. A. Currie,
 C. H. A. Eager,
 G. L. Goudie,
 J. P. Jones,
 H. Keck,
 Lieut.-Col. G. V. Lansell
 (*Teller*),
 G. S. McArthur,
 A. J. Pittard,
 H. F. Richardson,
 M. Saltau,
 H. H. Smith,
 W. Tyner.

Noes, 11.

The Hon. G. M. Davis,
 J. H. Disney,
 Dr. J. R. Harris,
 R. Kilpatrick,
 M. McGregor,
 D. L. McNamara,
 H. Pye (*Teller*),
 G. J. Tuckett,
 R. Williams (*Teller*),
 W. J. Williamson,
 A. M. Zwar.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

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WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 9.

Extracted from the Minutes

TUESDAY, 20TH DECEMBER, 1932.

No. 1.—CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.—Clause 7, sub-clause (1)—

7. (1) It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to remove any person who for the time being is a member of the Commission from his office on an address praying for such removal being presented to the Governor by the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly respectively in the same session of Parliament or by the Legislative Assembly alone in two consecutive sessions thereof: Provided that not less than six weeks shall intervene between such addresses when made by the Legislative Assembly alone as aforesaid.

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—(Hon. Col. Harold Cohen.)

Amendment proposed—That all the words after “Parliament” down to the end of the sub-clause be omitted.

—(Hon. C. H. A. Eager.)

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

Committee divided—the Hon. W. H. Edgar in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. F. W. Brawn,
A. E. Chandler,
Col. Harold Cohen,
J. H. Disney (*Teller*),
G. L. Goudie,
Dr. J. R. Harris,
J. P. Jones,
R. Kilpatrick,
M. McGregor,
D. L. McNamara,
A. J. Pittard,
H. Pye,
H. F. Richardson,
G. J. Tuckett (*Teller*),
A. M. Zwar.

Noes, 12.

The Hon. W. Angliss (*Teller*),
Sir Frank Clarke,
W. L. R. Clarke,
H. A. Currie,
G. M. Davis,
C. H. A. Eager (*Teller*),
H. Keck,
G. S. McArthur,
M. Saltau,
H. H. Smith,
W. Tyner,
W. J. Williamson.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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