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Aerial Spraying Control (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 75 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 Nov., p. 79 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 16 Dec., p. 123. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8069.*

Albert Park Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 23 March, 1971, p. 147 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 March, p. 150 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 31 March, p. 153 ; Council agreement notified, 20 April, p. 165. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8099.*

Alcoa of Australia (W.A.) N.L. Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 6 April, 1971, p. 155 ; ruled a Private Bill ; leave refused for motion—That Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, except those relating to fees and Bill be treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 April, p. 160 ; proceedings following and including motion for second reading declared null and void, 7 April, p. 160 ; Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with, except those relating to fees and Bill treated as Public Bill, 20 April, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 164 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 21 April, p. 169 ; Council agreement notified, 22 April, p. 170. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8114.*

Appeal Costs Fund Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 23 March, 1971, p. 147 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 March, p. 150 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 April, p. 160 ; Council agreement notified, 29 April. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8145.*

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 55 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Nov., p. 74 ; Council agreement notified, 25 Nov., p. 92. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8021.*

Appropriation Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Dec., 1970, p. 116 ; order for transmission read and rescinded and order for third reading read and rescinded ; Bill recommitted and passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Dec., p. 116 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8088.*

Architects (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 6 Oct., 1970, p. 43 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Oct., p. 44 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 16 Dec., p. 126. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8077.*

Audit (Auditor-General) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., p. 67 ; Council agreement notified, 28 Oct., p. 68. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8001.*

Audit (Recovery of Overpayments) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah for Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 2 March, 1971, p. 133 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 March, p. 139 ; read second time ; committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 27 April, p. 174 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 28 April, p. 180 ; amendment agreed to, 29 April, p. 182. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8138.*

Barley Marketing Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 6 April, 1971, p. 159 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 April, p. 160 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 28 April, p. 180. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8128.*

Boilers and Pressure Vessels Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time ; committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 1 Oct., p. 39 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, amendment agreed to, 10 Nov., p. 74. *Assented to 17 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8004.*

Building Societies (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Meagher)—

Initiated and read first time, 17 Nov., 1970, p. 81 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 18 Nov., p. 85 ; read second time ; committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 23 March, 1971, p. 149 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 20 April, p. 167 ; amendments agreed to, 21 April, p. 168. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8106.*

Cemeteries (Fawkner Crematorium and Memorial Park) Bill—(Mr. Meagher for Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 6 April, 1971, p. 155 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 April, p. 159 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 April, p. 167 ; Council agreement notified, 22 April, p. 170. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8116.*

Churchill Water and Sewerage Works Bill—(Mr. Dunstan)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 2 March, 1971, p. 133 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 2 March, p. 134 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 March, p. 145 ; Council agreement notified, 30 March, p. 152. *Assented to 6 April, 1971. Act No. 8094.*

Civil Aviation (Carriers' Liability) Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 23 Sept., p. 31 ; Council agreement notified, 13 Oct., p. 50. *Assented to 20 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7986.*

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

Initiated on message and read first time, 6 April, 1971, p. 156 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 6 April, p. 156 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 April, p. 165 ; Council agreement notified, 28 April, p. 178. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8123.*

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

Initiated on message and read first time, 6 Oct., 1970, pp. 41–2 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Oct., p. 45 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 52 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Nov., p. 75. *Assented to 17 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8005.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 28 Oct., 1970, p. 66 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Oct., p. 70 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 19 Nov., p. 87 ; Council agreement notified, 26 Nov., p. 96. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8026.*

Companies Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 25 Nov., 1970, p. 92 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 2 Dec., p. 102 ; read second time ; committed, incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to, 27 April, pp. 177–8 ; Bill lapsed.

Consolidated Revenue (Final Supplementary Estimates 1969–70) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Dec., 1970, p. 118 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8087.*

Consolidated Revenue (Supplementary Estimates 1969–70) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 June, 1970, p. 15 ; Council agreement notified, 15 Sept., p. 20. *Assented to 23 June, 1970. Act No. 7980.*

Consolidated Revenue (Supply—July to September, 1970) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 June, 1970, p. 13 ; Council agreement notified, 15 Sept., p. 20. *Assented to 23 June, 1970. Act No. 7979.*

Consolidated Revenue (Supply—October to December, 1970) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 22 Sept., 1970, p. 29 ; Council agreement notified, 29 Sept., p. 35. *Assented to 1 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7981.*

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 23 Sept., p. 31 ; Council agreement notified, 13 Oct., p. 48. *Assented to 13 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7983.*

Country Fire Authority (Borrowing Powers) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., p. 67 ; Council agreement notified, 28 Oct., p. 68. *Assented to 29 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7993.*

Country Roads (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 16 March, 1971, pp. 143–4 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 March, p. 145 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 28 April, p. 180. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8140.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 17 March, 1971, p. 144 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 March, p. 144 ; read second time ; committed, 24 March, p. 150 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 7 April, p. 161 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 28 April, p. 180 ; amendments agreed to, 28 April, p. 181. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8132.*

Crimes (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 20 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 24 ; read second time ; committed, 29 Sept., p. 35 ; further considered in Committee and reported without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Oct., p. 38 ; Council agreement notified, 27 Oct., p. 64. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 7994.*

Criminal Appeals Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Oct., p. 70 ; read second time (on division) ; committed, 17 Nov., p. 83 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 24 Nov., p. 91 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 9 Dec., p. 112, amendments agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 122. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8063.*

Crown Proceedings (Forfeited Recognisances) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 27 April, 1971, p. 174 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 28 April, p. 179. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8124.*

Dentists Bill—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated and read first time ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 Nov., 1970, p. 79 ; Bill lapsed.

Discharged Servicemen's Preference (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 20 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 24 ; 29 Sept., p. 35 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 30 Sept., p. 36 ; Council agreement notified, 20 Oct., p. 55. *Assented to 27 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7991.*

Dog Bill—(from Council—Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 19 Nov., 1970, p. 85 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 Nov., p. 90 ; read second time ; committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time ; Council concurrence with amendment desired, 16 Dec., p. 126 ; Council agreement to amendment notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8079.*

East Melbourne Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 17 Nov., 1970, p. 81 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 Nov., p. 82 ; read second time, ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., p. 93 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 100. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8032.*

Ehrenhaus Retail Bottled Liquor Licence Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 April, p. 168 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with, except those relating to fees and Bill treated as Public Bill ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 22 April, p. 171 ; Council agreement notified, 27 April, p. 174. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8119.*

Employers and Employés (Attachment of Wages) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 73 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 24 Nov., p. 90 ; Council agreement notified, 3 Dec., p. 104. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8043.*

Environment Protection Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 11 Nov., 1970, pp. 77–8 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 Nov., p. 79 ; read second time ; committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 3 Dec., p. 104 ; Council agreement notified, 15 Dec., p. 121. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8056.*

Evidence (Registration of Commissioners) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 2 March, 1971, p. 133 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 March, p. 139 ; read second time ; committed, 17 March, p. 145 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 20 April, p. 165 ; Council agreement notified, 29 April. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8139.*

Evidence (Scientific Tests) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time ; committed, 29 Sept., p. 36 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 7 Oct., p. 44 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Nov., p. 74. *Assented to 17 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8003.*

Family Courts Bill—(Mr. Wilkes)—

Initiated pursuant to amended notice of motion and read first time, 16 Sept., 1970, p. 24 ; Bill lapsed.

Fertilizers and Stock Foods (Labelling) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 Oct., 1970, p. 55 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 16 Dec., p. 126. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8076.*

Firearms Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 2 March, 1971, p. 133 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 2 March, p. 135 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 March, pp. 140–1 ; Council agreement notified, 30 March, p. 152. *Assented to 6 April, 1971. Act No. 8092.*

Fisheries (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 167 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 April, p. 168 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 28 April, p. 181. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8144.*

Footwear Regulation Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time ; committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 30 Sept., p. 37 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 27 Oct., p. 66 ; amendments disagreed with (on division), 16 Dec., p. 123 ; Council not insisting on amendments, 16 Dec., p. 124. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8073.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 11 Nov., 1970, p. 76 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 Nov., p. 82 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., p. 94 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 102. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8035.*

Forests (Bowater-Scott Agreement) Bill—(Mr. Meagher)—

Initiated and read first time, 24 March, 1971, p. 149 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 March, p. 150 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 April, p. 160 ; Council agreement notified, 27 April, p. 177. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8121.*

Gas and Fuel Corporation (Borrowing) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 16 Sept., 1970, p. 23 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 23 Sept., p. 30 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 Oct., p. 45 ; Council agreement notified, 27 Oct., p. 66. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 7999.*

Gas and Fuel Corporation (Geelong Gas) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 6 April, 1971, p. 155 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 6 April, p. 156 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 April, p. 160 ; Council agreement notified, 21 April, p. 167. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8104.*

Gas and Fuel Corporation (Pipelines) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 165 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 April, p. 174 ; Council agreement notified, 28 April, p. 178. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8122.*

Gas and Fuel Corporation (The Gas Supply Company Limited) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah for Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Oct., 1970, p. 44 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 49 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 Nov., p. 82 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 91. *Assented to 26 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8017.*

Gas Franchises Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Oct., p. 70 ; read second time ; committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 9 Dec., p. 110 ; Council agreement notified, 15 Dec., p. 121. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8057.*

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

Initiated on message and read first time, 2 March, 1971, p. 134 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 March, p. 139 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 March, p. 145 ; Council agreement notified, 30 March, p. 152. *Assented to 6 April, 1971. Act No. 8093.*

Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage (Rates) Bill—(Mr. Dunstan)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 164 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 April, p. 174 ; Council agreement notified, 28 April, p. 180. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8126.*

Grassmere Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 165 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 April, p. 174 ; Council agreement notified, 29 April. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8133.*

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 1 Oct., p. 38 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 17 Nov., p. 84 ; amendment agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 122. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8064.*

Hairdressers Registration (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 51 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Nov., p. 74 ; Council agreement notified, 26 Nov., p. 96. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8027.*

Health (Tuberculosis Arrangement) Bill—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 23 March, 1971, p. 147 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 March, p. 150 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 31 March, p. 154 ; Council agreement notified, 20 April, p. 165. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8101.*

Hire Purchase (Insurance) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 75 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 24 Nov., p. 90 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 102. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8037.*

Historic Relics Preservation Bill—(Mr. Edmunds)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Oct., 1970, p. 44 ; Bill lapsed.

Home Finance (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 20 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 24 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 23 Sept., p. 30 ; Council agreement notified, 7 Oct., p. 45. *Assented to 13 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7982.*

Hospitals Superannuation (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1st Oct., p. 38 ; Council agreement notified, 27 Oct., p. 64. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 7997.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 28 Oct., 1970, p. 67 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Oct., p. 70 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 18 Nov., p. 85 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 3 Dec., p. 105 ; amendment agreed to, 10 Dec., p. 113. *Assented to 15 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8051.*

Howard Florey Institute of Experimental Physiology and Medicine Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated and read first time, 31 March, 1971, p. 152 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 March, p. 153 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 20 April, p. 166 ; Council agreement notified, 21 April, p. 169. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8108.*

Imperial Acts Application (Repeals) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, and read first time, 16 Sept., 1970, p. 23 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 23 Sept., p. 30 ; referred to Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report, 23 Sept., p. 30 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 April, 1971, p. 178 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 28 April, p. 180 ; amendments agreed to, 28 April, p. 181. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8137.*

Joint Select Committee (Meat Industry) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated on message passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 June, 1970, p. 10 ; Council agreement notified, 17 June, p. 16. *Assented to 23 June, 1970. Act No. 7977.*

Joint Select Committee (Road Safety) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated on message passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 June, 1970, p. 11 ; Council agreement notified, 17 June, p. 16. *Assented to 23 June, 1970. Act No. 7978.*

***Judges' Pensions (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—**

Initiated on message and read first time, 16 Sept., 1970, p. 23 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; Council agreement notified, 13 Oct., p. 50. *Assented to 20 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7985.*

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

Initiated on message and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 49 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 51 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 Oct., p. 65 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 83. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8011.*

Justices (Bail and Appeals) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 Nov., p. 81 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., p. 94 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 100. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8034.*

Justices (Service of Summonses) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 24 March, 1971, p. 150 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 30 March, p. 151 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 21 April, p. 169. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8112.*

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 11 Nov., p. 77 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 25 Nov., p. 92 ; amendment agreed to, 25 Nov., p. 93. *Assented to 26 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8018.*

Labour and Industry (Shop Closing) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah for Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Oct., 1970, p. 44 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Oct., p. 45 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 14 Oct., p. 51 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 27 Oct., p. 66 ; amendments agreed to, 28 Oct., p. 67. *Assented to 29 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7992.*

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 51 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., p. 68 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 25 Nov., p. 92 ; amendment agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 121. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8060.*

Land Conservation Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 15 Sept., p. 21 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill considered in Committee, 6 Oct., p. 42 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 6 Oct., p. 42 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 83. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8008.*

Land (Surrender to the Crown) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 April, p. 168 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 April, p. 173 ; Council agreement notified, 28 April, p. 180. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8130.*

Land Tax Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 18 Nov., 1970, p. 84 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 Nov., p. 86 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to, 2 Dec., pp. 102–3 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 3 Dec., p. 104 ; Council agreement notified, 15 Dec., p. 121. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8055.*

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 51 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 27 Oct., p. 64 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 83. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8010.*

Lifts and Cranes (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 69 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 Nov., p. 83 ; Council agreement notified, 26 Nov., p. 96. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8028.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 10 March, 1971, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 23 March, p. 148 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 22 April, p. 171 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 28 April, p. 180 ; amendments agreed to, 28 April, pp. 181–2. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8147.*

Litter (Proceedings for Offences) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 16 March, 1971, p. 144 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 March, p. 145 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 21 April, p. 169. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8111.*

Local Authorities Superannuation (Disability Benefits) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 24 Nov., 1970, p. 90 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 25 Nov., p. 92 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 15 Dec., p. 119. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8054.*

Local Authorities Superannuation (Disability Benefits) (Commencement) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Hamer)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 165 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 21 April, p. 168. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8105.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 6 April, 1971, p. 159 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 165 ; read second time ; committed, 28 April, p. 180 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time ; Council concurrence with amendments desired, 28 April, p. 180 ; Council agreement to amendments notified, 29 April, p. 182. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8149.*

Local Government (Municipalities Assistance Fund) Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 2 March, 1971, pp. 133–4 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 2 March, p. 134 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 24 March, p. 150 ; Council agreement notified, 20 April, p. 165. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8100.*

Lotteries Gaming and Betting (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 20 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 24 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Oct., p. 38 ; Council agreement notified, 27 Oct., p. 64. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 7995.*

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 73 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 19 Nov., p. 87 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 102. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8036.*

Marketable Securities (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 21 Oct., 1970, p. 56 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 24 Nov., p. 90 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 102. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8038.*

Marketing of Primary Products (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 24 March, 1971, p. 150 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 30 March, p. 151 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 20 April, p. 166. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8103.*

Medical Practitioners Bill—(Mr. Rossiter)—

Initiated and read first time, 28 Oct., 1970, p. 67 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 Nov., p. 87 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 26 Nov., pp. 96–7 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 3 Dec., p. 104 ; amendments agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 121. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8061.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 1 Dec., 1970, p. 100 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 2 Dec., p. 102 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time ; Council concurrence with amendments desired, 16 Dec., p. 122 ; Council agreement to amendments notified, 16 Dec., p. 124. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8071.*

Melbourne Underground Rail Loop Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, pp. 61–2 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 29 Oct., p. 70 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 18 Nov., p. 85 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, amendment agreed to, 25 Nov., p. 94. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8023.*

Melbourne University Land Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 23 March, 1971, p. 148 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 March, p. 150 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 April, p. 160 ; Council agreement notified, 27 April, p. 177. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8120.*

Methodist Church (Victoria) Property Trust Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with, and Bill treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 51 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 Oct., p. 66 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 82. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8007.*

Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 69 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments and amended title ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 17 Nov., p. 82 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 91. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8019.*

Mines (Compensation) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 68 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read the third time and transmitted to Council, 17 Nov., p. 82 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 104. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8039.*

Money Lenders (Prescribed Interest) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah for Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Oct., 1970, p. 44 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 49 ; read second time (on division), passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 Oct., p. 65 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 89. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8016.*

Motor Car (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 20 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 24 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 29 Sept., p. 35 ; Council agreement notified, 20 Oct., p. 55. *Assented to 27 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7990.*

Motor Car (Driving Offences) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 March, 1971, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 March, p. 144 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 27 April, p. 178 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, amendments agreed to, 29 April, p. 182. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8143.*

Motor Car (Fees) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 77 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 2 Dec., p. 102 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Dec., p. 112. *Assented to 15 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8048.*

Motor Car (Safety) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 24 Nov., 1970, p. 89 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 Nov., p. 90 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment and amended title ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 2 Dec., p. 102 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 15 Dec., p. 121 ; amendments agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 125. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8074.*

Municipal Association (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 2 March, 1971, p. 133 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with, and Bill treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 2 March, p. 134 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 March, p. 140 ; Council agreement notified, 30 March, p. 152. *Assented to 6 April, 1971. Act No. 8090.*

National Museum of Victoria Council Bill—(from Council—Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 Oct., 1970, p. 55 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time ; Council concurrence with amendment desired, 16 Dec., p. 124 ; Council agreement to amendment notified, 16 Dec., p. 124. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8072.*

National Parks Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 Oct., 1970, p. 66 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 76 ; read second time (on division), committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 9 Dec., p. 110 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8083.*

New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated and read first time, 31 March, 1971, p. 153 ; ruled a Private Bill ; Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with, except those relating to fees and Bill treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 March, p. 153 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; incidental Ways and Means resolution agreed to ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 April, pp. 165–6 ; Council agreement notified, 21 April, p. 169. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8110.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 16 Sept., 1970, p. 24 ; Bill lapsed.

***Parliamentary Salaries Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—**

Initiated on message and read first time, 9 Dec., 1970, pp. 109–10 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Dec., p. 112 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 16 Dec., p. 125 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8086.*

Parliamentary Superannuation Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 163 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 165 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 22 April, p. 170 ; Council agreement notified, 27 April, p. 174. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8118.*

†Phillip Island Conservation Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 21 Oct., 1970, p. 56 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 October, p. 63 ; Bill lapsed.

* Absolute majority obtained on second and third readings.

† Bill introduced as " Phillip Island Development Bill " in error. Speaker instructed that title be altered to accord to Bill.

Pipelines (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 165 ; read second time ; committed, 27 April, p. 174 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 28 April, p. 178 ; Council agreement notified, 29 April. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8131.*

Police Regulation (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 2 March, 1971, p. 133 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 9 March, p. 138 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 24 March, p. 150 ; Council agreement notified, 7 April, p. 160. *Assented to 15 April, 1971. Act No. 8097.*

Presbyterian Church of Australia Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 March, 1971, p. 139 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 March, p. 143 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 31 March, p. 154 ; Council agreement notified, 20 April, p. 165. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8102.*

Probate Duty Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 24 Nov., 1970, p. 90 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 Nov., p. 90 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., p. 99 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 104. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8041.*

Protection of Animals (Rodeos) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 30 March, 1971, p. 152 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 March, p. 153 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 28 April, p. 181. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8141.*

Public Account Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 49 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 51 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., p. 68 ; Council agreement notified, 18 Nov., p. 85. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8012.*

Public Service (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 Oct., 1970, p. 54 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 55 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 Oct., p. 64 ; Council agreement notified, 28 Oct., p. 68. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8002.*

Public Trustee (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 31 March, 1971, p. 152 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 6 April, p. 156 ; 22 April, p. 171 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 April, p. 179 ; Council agreement notified, 28 April, p. 180. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8125.*

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

Initiated on message and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, pp. 73–4 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 76 ; 1 Dec., p. 101 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 3 Dec., p. 104 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Dec., p. 113. *Assented to 15 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8049.*

Racing (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 18 Nov., 1970, p. 85 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 Nov., p. 86 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 9 Dec., p. 110 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8080.*

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

Initiated on message and read first time, 11 Nov., 1970, p. 77 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 Nov., p. 83 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., p. 100 ; Council agreement notified, 9 Dec., p. 109. *Assented to 15 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8045.*

Railways Lands Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 64 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 73 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 19 Nov., p. 87 ; Council agreement notified, 2 Dec., p. 104. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8040.*

Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 17 June, 1970, p. 7 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 23 Sept., p. 30 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 Oct., p. 45 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 10 Nov., p. 74 ; amendments agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 122. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8066.*

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

Initiated on message and read first time, 20 Oct., 1970, p. 54–5 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 22 Oct., p. 57 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Nov., p. 74 ; Council agreement notified, 19 Nov., p. 85. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8014.*

River Entrance Docks Railway Construction Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated and read first time, 30 Sept., 1970, p. 36 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 30 Sept., p. 37 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 Oct., p. 64 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 83. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8009.*

River Improvement (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 21 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Oct., p. 38 ; Council agreement notified, 27 Oct., p. 64. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 7996.*

Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 15 Sept., 1970, p. 20 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 24 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 29 Sept., p. 35 ; Council agreement notified, 13 Oct., p. 50. *Assented to 20 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7987.*

Road Traffic (Road Safety and Traffic Authority) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 71 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 Nov., p. 81 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 26 Nov., p. 96 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 9 Dec., p. 110 ; amendment agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 121. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8058.*

Scaffolding Bill—(Mr. Rafferty)—

Initiated and read first time, 17 March, 1971, p. 144 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 March, p. 144 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented, 21 April, p. 168 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 22 April, p. 171 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 28 April, p. 180 ; amendments agreed to, 28 April, p. 181. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8146.*

Science Museum of Victoria Bill—(from Council—Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 Oct., 1970, p. 55 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 16 Dec., p. 123. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8070.*

Second-hand Dealers (Charity Collectors) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 30 Sept., 1970, p. 36 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 73 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments and amended title ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., p. 94 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 100. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8030.*

Securities Industry (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Wilcox for Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 14 Oct., 1970, p. 51 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 22 Oct., p. 57 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 3 Dec., p. 104 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 10 Dec., p. 113 ; amendments agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 121. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8059.*

Seeds Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 6 April, 1971, pp. 158–9 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 April, p. 169 ; read second time ; committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time ; Council concurrence with amendments desired, 28 April, p. 180 ; Council agreement to amendments notified, 28 April, p. 180. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8136.*

Sewerage Districts (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 51 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., p. 68 ; Council agreement notified, 19 Nov., p. 85. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8013.*

Snowy Mountains Engineering Corporation (Victoria) Bill—(Mr. Dunstan)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 March, 1971, p. 139 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 March, p. 140 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 17 March, p. 145 ; Council agreement notified, 20 April, p. 165. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8098.*

Social Welfare Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 68 ; reasoned amendment to motion negatived (on division) ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 9 Dec., p. 111 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, amendments agreed to, 16 Dec., pp. 126–8. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8089.*

Social Welfare (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Bornstein)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Oct., 1970, p. 44 ; Bill lapsed.

Soil Conservation and Land Utilization (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 31 March, 1971, p. 153 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 March, p. 153 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 April, p. 166 ; Council agreement notified, 27 April, p. 177. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8142.*

Soldier Settlement Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 16 Sept., 1970, p. 22 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 1 Oct., p. 39 ; Council agreement notified, 13 Oct., p. 50. *Assented to 20 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7984.*

Stamps Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah for Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Oct., 1970, p. 44 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 13 Oct., p. 49 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 Oct., p. 65 ; Council agreement notified, 17 Nov., p. 82. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8006.*

Stamps (Credit Business) Bill—(Mr. Meagher for Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 165 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 22 April, pp. 170–1 ; Council agreement notified, 28 April, p. 180. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8129.*

Stamps (Receipt Duty Abolition) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 55 ; 27 Oct., p. 64 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 28 Oct., p. 69 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 91. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8020.*

State Development Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 61 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 Nov., p. 82 ; read second time (on division), committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 8 Dec., p. 109 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8081.*

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

Initiated on message and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 62 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 67 ; 11 Nov., p. 77 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 11 Nov., p. 77 ; Council agreement notified, 24 Nov., p. 89. *Assented to 24 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8015.*

Statutory Salaries Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated on message and read first time, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 16 Dec., pp. 125–6 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8082.*

Stock (Artificial Breeding) (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 9 March, 1971, p. 138 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 March, p. 140 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 21 April, p. 169. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8113.*

Stock Diseases (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 3 Dec., 1970, p. 104 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 8 Dec., p. 108 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 16 Dec., p. 126. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8078.*

Subordinate Legislation (Powers) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 6 April, 1971, p. 159 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 April, p. 160 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 28 April, p. 180. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8127.*

Summary Offences Bill—(from Council—Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 6 Oct., 1970, p. 43 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Oct., p. 44 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 16 Dec., p. 125. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8075.*

Summary Offences (Trespassers) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool, for Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 76 ; Minister declared Bill urgent ; motion that Bill be considered urgent agreed to (on division) ; motion for allotment of times for various stages of the Bill agreed to (on division) ; Bill read second time (on division) after expiration of time allotted for second reading ; committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 15 Dec., pp. 119–20 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8085.*

Summary Offences (Trespass to Farms) Bill—(Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 7 Oct., 1970 ; p. 44 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Oct., p. 44 ; read second time (on division) ; committed, 14 Oct., p. 52 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 20 Oct., p. 56 ; Council returned Bill with amendment, 12 Nov., p. 79 ; amendment agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 122. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8065.*

Superannuation (Amendment) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 19 Nov., 1970, pp. 86–7 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 19 Nov., p. 87 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 2 Dec., p. 102 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Dec., p. 112. *Assented to 15 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8047.*

Superannuation (Railway Service) Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 30 March, 1971, pp. 151–2 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 31 March, p. 153 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 6 April, p. 156 ; Council agreement notified, 6 April, p. 159. *Assented to 15 April, 1971. Act No. 8095.*

Superannuation (Transitional Provisions) Bill—(Mr. Wilcox)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 21 April, 1971, p. 167 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 21 April, p. 168 ; Council agreement notified, 21 April, p. 169. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8109.*

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

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 6 April, 1971, p. 158 ; Council agreement notified, 29 April. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8148.*

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

Initiated upon resolution from Committee of Ways and Means, passed all stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 27 April, 1971, p. 177 ; Council agreement notified, 29 April. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8134.*

Survey Co-ordination (Place Names) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 6 April, 1971, p. 155 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 April, p. 159 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 April, p. 167 ; Council agreement notified, 21 April, p. 169. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8107.*

Teacher Housing Bill—(Mr. Thompson)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 28 Oct., 1970, p. 66 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 72 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., pp. 100–1 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 9 Dec., p. 109 ; amendments agreed to, 16 Dec., p. 122. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8062.*

Teaching Service (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Thompson)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 10 Nov., p. 73 ; Bill lapsed.

Teaching Service (Tribunal) Bill—(Mr. Thompson)—

Initiated and read first time, 20 Oct., 1970, p. 54 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 21 Oct., p. 56 ; 19 Nov., p. 87 ; read second time (on division) ; committed ; incidental message presented, 24 Nov., pp. 91–2 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendment ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 1 Dec., p. 100 ; Council agreement notified, 3 Dec., p. 104. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8042.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 9 March, 1971, p. 138 ; Bill lapsed.

***The Constitution Act Amendment (Responsible Ministers) Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—**

Initiated on message and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 73 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 76 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., p. 94 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 100. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8033.*

Tomato Processing Industry (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 24 Nov., 1970, p. 91 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 25 Nov., p. 92 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 16 Dec., p. 123. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8067.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 27 April, 1971, p. 174 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 28 April, p. 179. *Assented to 4 May, 1971. Act No. 8135.*

Transfer of Land (Duplicate Certificates) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 2 March, 1971, p. 133 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 2 March, p. 134 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 March, p. 140 ; Council agreement notified, 30 March, p. 152. *Assented to 6 April, 1971. Act No. 8091.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 17 March, 1971, p. 144 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with, except those relating to fees and Bill treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 23 March, p. 148 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 April, p. 161 ; Council agreement notified, 22 April, p. 170. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8117.*

Trustee Companies (Perpetual Trustees Australia Limited) Bill—(Mr. Reid)—

Initiated and read first time, 30 Sept., 1970, p. 36 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with, except those relating to fees and Bill treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 30 Sept., p. 37 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 7 Oct., p. 45 ; Council agreement notified, 27 Oct., p. 64. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 7998.*

Urban Renewal Bill—(Mr. Edmunds)—

Initiated and read first time, 16 Sept., 1970, p. 24 ; Bill lapsed.

Urban Renewal Bill (No. 2)—(Mr. Meagher)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 30 Sept., 1970, pp. 36–7 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Oct., p. 44 ; 28 Oct., p. 67 (two entries) ; read second time ; committed, 29 Oct., p. 70 ; 10 Nov., p. 73 ; further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 12 Nov., p. 79 ; Council returned Bill with amendments, 26 Nov., p. 97 ; amendments agreed to, 10 Dec., p. 113. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8052.*

* Absolute majority obtained on second and third readings.

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 60 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 69 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 11 Nov., p. 77 ; Council agreement notified, 26 Nov., p. 96. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8025.*

Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Amendment) Bill (No. 2)—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 23 March, 1971, p. 147 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 March, p. 150 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 31 March, p. 153 ; Council agreement notified, 7 April, p. 160. *Assented to 15 April, 1971. Act No. 8096.*

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

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 23 March, 1971, p. 147 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 March, p. 150 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 21 April, p. 169 ; Council agreement notified, 22 April, p. 170. *Assented to 27 April, 1971. Act No. 8115.*

Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, 6 Oct., 1970, p. 43 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 7 Oct., p. 44 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 27 Oct., p. 63. *Assented to 4 Nov., 1970. Act No. 8000.*

Water (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated and read first time, 22 Oct., 1970, p. 57 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 63 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 10 Nov., p. 75 ; Council agreement notified, 25 Nov., p. 92. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8022.*

Water (Amendment) Bill (No. 2)—(Mr. Dunstan)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 20 April, 1971, p. 164 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 April, p. 164 ; Bill lapsed.

Water (Further Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 17 Nov., p. 82 ; read second time, committed and reported with amendment, 1 Dec., p. 100 ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 2 Dec., p. 101 ; Council agreement notified, 9 Dec., p. 110. *Assented to 15 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8046.*

Water Supply Works and Services Bill—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 27 Oct., 1970, p. 62 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 28 Oct., p. 68 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., p. 95 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 100. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8031.*

Weights and Measures (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 75 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 12 Nov., p. 79 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 16 Dec., p. 123. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8068.*

Westernport Development Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 13 Oct., 1970, p. 48 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 14 Oct., p. 52 ; 10 Nov., p. 75 ; read second time, committed and reported without amendment ; Bill read third time (on division) and transmitted to Council, 11 Nov., p. 78 ; Council agreement notified, 25 Nov., p. 95. *Assented to 1 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8024.*

Western Port Steel Works (Development Control) Bill—(Mr. Balfour)—

Initiated and read first time, 24 Nov., 1970, p. 89 ; ruled a Private Bill, Private Bill Standing Orders dispensed with and Bill treated as Public Bill ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 Nov., p. 89 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 9 Dec., p. 110 ; Council agreement notified, 10 Dec., p. 113. *Assented to 15 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8050.*

West Gate Bridge Royal Commission Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 20 Oct., 1970, pp. 53-4 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 20 Oct., p. 54 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 20 Oct., p. 54 ; Council agreement notified, 20 Oct., p. 55. *Assented to 21 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7989.*

West Melbourne Market Land (Amendment) Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated on message and read first time, 16 Sept., 1970, p. 22 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 16 Sept., p. 25 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 1 Oct., p. 38 ; Council agreement notified, 13 Oct., p. 50. *Assented to 20 Oct., 1970. Act No. 7988.*

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

Initiated and read first time, 19 Nov., 1970, p. 85 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 24 Nov., p. 90 ; read second time, passed remaining stages without amendment, 15 Dec., p. 119. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8053.*

Wheat Marketing (Special Quotas) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated and read first time, passed all stages without amendment, 17 June, 1970, p. 15. *Assented to 23 June, 1970. Act No. 7976.*

Wodonga Lands Exchange Bill—(Mr. Borthwick)—

Initiated, by leave, and read first time, 10 Nov., 1970, p. 72 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 11 Nov., p. 76 ; read second time ; committed ; incidental message presented ; Bill passed remaining stages without amendment and transmitted to Council, 25 Nov., pp. 93–4 ; Council agreement notified, 1 Dec., p. 100. *Assented to 8 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8029.*

Workers Compensation Bill—(Sir Henry Bolte for Sir Arthur Rylah)—

Initiated and read first time, 21 Oct., 1970, p. 56 ; motion for second reading—debate adjourned, 27 Oct., p. 64 ; read second time (on division), committed and reported with amendments ; Bill read third time and transmitted to Council, 8 Dec., p. 108 ; Council agreement notified, 2 March, 1971, p. 132. *Assented to 22 Dec., 1970. Act No. 8084.*

Workers Compensation (Common Law Claims) Bill—(Mr. Holding)—

Initiated and read first time, 21 Oct., 1970, p. 56 ; Bill lapsed.

SESSION 1970-71.

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

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

FORTY-FIFTH PARLIAMENT.

FIRST SESSION.

(17TH JUNE, 1970 TO 29TH APRIL, 1971.)

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

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY—continued.

Member.	District.	Number of Electors on Rolls.	Number of Electors who voted.	Votes Recorded for Each Sitting Member.		Percentage of Electors who voted.
				First Preference Votes.	Final Result after Distribution of Votes under <i>The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958.</i>	
Lovegrove, Denis	Sunshine	25,557	24,227	13,976	..	94·80
Loxton, Samuel John Everett	Prahran	25,827	22,899	9,188	11,983	88·66
McCabe, James Edmund	Lowan	18,553	18,020	6,008	9,940	97·13
MacDonald, James David	Glen Iris	24,992	23,339	12,261	..	93·39
McDonald, Russell Stanley Leslie ¹²	Rodney	19,245	18,562	8,972	9,239	96·45
McLaren, Ian Francis, O.B.E.	Bennettswood	27,469	26,164	11,463	14,152	95·25
Maclellan, Robert Roy Cameron	Gippsland West	18,666	17,812	6,066	9,161	95·42
Manson, The Honorable James Williamson ¹³	Ringwood	31,471	29,948	13,848	16,626	95·16
Meagher, The Honorable Edward Raymond, M.B.E., E.D. ¹⁴	Frankston	36,809	34,601	16,191	20,096	94·00
Mitchell, The Honorable Thomas Walter ¹⁵	Benambra	19,016	18,077	8,233	8,840	95·06
Moss, The Honorable George Colin	Murray Valley	19,498	18,419	6,583	11,041	94·47
Mutton, John Patrick	Coburg	23,289	22,138	5,728	12,480	95·06
Rafferty, The Honorable Joseph Anstice ¹⁶	Glenhuntly	27,796	25,903	11,342	14,033	93·19
Reese, William Frederick Llewellyn	Moorabbin	27,405	26,118	11,341	14,573	95·30
Reid, The Honorable George Oswald ¹⁷	Box Hill	36,217	34,516	15,356	20,521	95·30
Ross-Edwards, Peter	Shepparton	20,041	19,274	7,676	9,412	96·17
Rossiter, The Honorable John Frederick ¹⁸	Brighton	24,721	22,991	9,812	11,542	93·00
Rylah, The Honorable Arthur Gordon ¹⁹	Kew	25,807	23,998	9,692	13,808	92·99
Scanlan, Alan Henry	Oakleigh	25,162	23,889	11,050	13,560	94·94
Shilton, Leslie Victor	Midlands	23,127	21,767	9,156	10,817	94·12
Simmonds, James Lionel	Reservoir	26,854	25,650	13,595	..	95·52
Smith, Aurel Vernon	Bellarine	24,485	23,408	10,682	12,999	95·60
Smith, The Honorable Ian Winton ²⁰	Warrnambool	19,091	18,462	6,650	10,652	96·71
Stephen, William Francis	Ballaarat South	23,073	22,085	9,530	12,094	95·72
Stokes, Russell Newton ²¹	Evelyn	21,211	20,062	8,711	10,526	94·58
Suggett, Robert Harris ²²	Bentleigh	26,642	25,449	10,689	14,452	95·52
Tanner, Sir Edgar Stephen, C.B.E., E.D. ²³	Caulfield	26,691	24,433	11,334	11,764	91·54
Taylor, Alexander William, E.D. ²⁴	Balwyn	27,124	25,326	13,528	..	93·37
Taylor, James Allister	Gippsland South	19,770	18,679	4,944	10,273	94·48
Templeton, Thomas William, J.P.	Mentone	26,925	25,302	10,207	13,631	93·97
Thompson, The Honorable Lindsay Hamilton Simpson ²⁵	Malvern	25,836	23,398	13,801	..	90·56
Trethewey, Robert Hugh	Bendigo	23,715	22,746	8,960	11,740	95·91
Trewin, Thomas Champion ²⁶	Benalla	18,504	17,737	7,981	9,399	95·85
Trezeise, Neil Benjamin	Geelong North	25,206	23,981	13,939	..	95·14
Turnbull, Campbell	Brunswick West	23,067	21,901	10,737	..	94·95
Wheeler, Kenneth Henry ²⁷	Essendon	26,398	25,180	9,125	12,342	95·39
Whiting, Milton Stanley	Mildura	18,690	17,801	7,014	9,551	95·24
Wilcox, The Honorable Vernon Francis ²⁸	Camberwell	24,742	22,948	12,159	..	92·75
Wilkes, Frank Noel	Northcote	24,180	22,686	13,061	..	93·82
Wilton, John Thomas	Broadmeadows	34,766	33,228	18,270	..	95·58
Wiltshire, Raymond John ²⁹	Syndal	35,111	33,611	15,341	19,210	95·73

NOTES.

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

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

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

OFFICERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

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

APPENDIX No. 1.

STATISTICS RELATING TO THE GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
30TH MAY, 1970.

Name of District.	Electors Enrolled.	Candidates Names.	First preference Votes Polled for Each Candidate.	Number of Electors who Voted.	Number of Informal Ballot-papers.	Number of Electors who Voted by Post.	Section 186 Voters* (Act No. 6224).	Absent Voters.†	Percentage of Electors who Voted.
Albert Park ..	22,740	{ Cameron, Wallace Stuart .. Doube, Valentine Joseph .. McGeoch, Monica Agnes ..	{ 5,768 11,583 2,692	21,003	960	609	19	1,001	92·36
Ballaarat North ..	24,137	{ Brown, Walter James .. Evans, Alexander Thomas .. Flynn, Kevin James ..	{ 3,522 11,266 7,971	23,206	447	818	10	1,197	96·14
Ballaarat South ..	23,073	{ Brown, Francis Joseph .. Cullen, Thomas Edward .. Stephen, William Francis ..	{ 3,563 8,467 9,530	22,085	525	679	15	1,112	95·72
Balwyn ..	27,124	{ Hansen, John Thomas .. Phelan, Donald Anthony .. Taylor, Alexander William ..	{ 3,310 7,972 13,528	25,326	516	856	20	1,087	93·37
Bellarine ..	24,485	{ Brady, Francis Joseph .. Crockett, James Maxwell .. Smith, Aurel Vernon ..	{ 9,547 2,740 10,682	23,408	439	525	10	1,018	95·60
Benalla ..	18,504	{ Brack, Dulcie Johns .. Cody, Christopher Charles .. Coutts, John David .. Trewin, Thomas Campion ..	{ 3,503 2,053 3,762 7,981	17,737	438	279	5	1,121	95·85
Benambra ..	19,016	{ Hicks, James McKinley .. Keenan, Francis Martin .. Mitchell, Thomas Walter .. Prior, Robert Murray .. Ure, Edwin Greenfield ..	{ 1,164† 1,803 8,233 1,849 4,365	18,077	663	265	11	1,036	95·06
Bendigo ..	23,715	{ Brennan, Paul Gerrard .. Curran, Kevin Stanley .. Trethewey, Robert Hugh ..	{ 3,435 9,991† 8,960	22,746	360	1,478	22	1,183	95·91
Bennettswood ..	27,469	{ Kennedy, Cyril James .. McLaren, Ian Francis .. Tighe, James Vincent ..	{ 11,225 11,463 2,946	26,164	530	511	19	894	95·25
Bentleigh ..	26,642	{ Allen, Noel Dundas .. Madden, Peter James .. Ovenden, Mary Alice .. Suggett, Robert Harris .. Williams, Kenneth ..	{ 1,237† 2,655 719† 10,689 9,311	25,449	838	575	10	868	95·52
Box Hill ..	36,217	{ Clarkson, John .. Marmion, James Bernard .. Reid, George Oswald .. Seviar, Maurice Charles ..	{ 1,365† 4,482 15,356 12,451	34,516	862	631	37	1,410	95·30
Brighton ..	24,721	{ Hansen, Peter Allen .. Linard, Keith Thomas .. Rossiter, John Frederick .. Wallace-Mitchell, Malcolm ..	{ 7,048 2,053 9,812 3,562	22,991	516	801	19	1,088	93·00
Broadmeadows ..	34,766	{ Dowling, Francis Michael .. Thain, Howard Gayner .. Wilton, John Thomas ..	{ 6,332 6,884 18,270	33,228	1,742	296	31	1,059	95·58
Brunswick East ..	23,750	{ Bornstein, David Leon Frank .. Guest, James Vincent Chester .. Staunton, Anthony John ..	{ 12,384 5,151 2,949	21,947	1,463	509	8	918	92·41
Brunswick West ..	23,067	{ Dale, Walter Francis .. Flint, John .. Turnbull, Campbell ..	{ 7,099 3,153 10,737	21,901	912	572	12	918	94·95
Camberwell ..	24,742	{ Macdonald, Allan John .. Stanley, Joseph Austin .. Wilcox, Vernon Francis ..	{ 7,392 2,901 12,159	22,948	496	1,026	13	1,122	92·75
Caulfield ..	26,691	{ Grant, Peter Corry .. Janover, Evelyn .. Papadopoulos, George .. Tanner, Edgar Stephen ..	{ 2,872 1,827† 7,394 11,334	24,433	1,006	837	26	1,328	91·54
Coburg ..	23,289	{ Cox, Francis George .. McCabe, Peter Francis .. Mathieson, Joan Lauderdale .. Mutton, John Patrick ..	{ 8,236† 2,616 4,627 5,728	22,138	931	490	19	1,069	95·06
Dandenong ..	32,802	{ Leydon, Kevin James .. Lind, Alan Alfred Campbell .. Werrett, Wallace Robert ..	{ 4,102 15,627 10,706	31,418	983	509	33	1,233	95·78

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STATISTICS RELATING TO THE GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 30TH MAY, 1970—continued.

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Deer Park ..	37,093	{ Cate, John Gordon .. Ginifer, John Joseph .. Reinehr, Douglas Philip ..	{ 6,219 18,115 8,800	35,489	2,355	313	51	1,040	95·68
Dromana ..	23,027	{ Dunstan, Roberts Christian .. Gobel, Josephus Marianus Koenraad McIntosh, Neil Bladd ..	{ 11,520 2,369 7,239	21,612	484	542	21	1,505	93·86
Dundas ..	18,433	{ Crouch, Alma Ruby .. Eveston, James Colin .. Lewis, Edward Wallace .. McDonald, William John Farquhar McLennan, Alexander .. Moodie, John Claude Beggs ..	{ 1,045† 1,424 5,884 5,145 3,530 159†	17,828	641	411	3	1,134	96·72
Essendon ..	26,398	{ Digby, Kevin Shinnars .. Kennelly, Ronald Francis .. Wheeler, Kenneth Henry ..	{ 4,103 11,137† 9,125	25,180	815	581	17	887	95·39
Evelyn ..	21,211	{ Donkin, Raymond Francis .. Gerrard, Alfred Lawrence .. Smith, Maurice William .. Stokes, Russell Newton ..	{ 8,414 1,643† 766† 8,711	20,062	528	331	31	1,412	94·58
Footscray ..	24,472	{ Brumm, Claus Peter .. Fordham, Robert Clive .. Thomas, Robin Francis ..	{ 5,782 13,517 2,706	23,236	1,231	499	19	829	94·95
Frankston ..	36,809	{ Glynn, John William .. Meagher, Edward Raymond Vogt, Mervyn Karl ..	{ 4,367 16,191 13,198	34,601	845	917	30	1,817	94·00
Geelong ..	23,051	{ Birrell, Hayden Wilson .. Timberlake, John Francis .. Woolfe, John Roy ..	{ 9,823 2,884 8,741	21,916	468	908	28	874	95·08
Geelong North ..	25,206	{ Hawkins, Graeme David .. Jordan, James Joseph .. Trezise, Neil Benjamin ..	{ 6,678 2,725† 13,939	23,981	639	954	17	795	95·14
Gippsland East ..	19,368	{ Burns, Frank Vincent .. Evans, Bruce James .. Grech, Phillip Joseph .. Mason, Keith Charles ..	{ 2,226 6,570 4,628 4,367	18,287	498	353	14	1,362	94·43
Gippsland South ..	19,770	{ Condon, John Patrick .. Matthews, Thomas Hugh .. Taylor, James Allister .. Vinall, John Charles ..	{ 2,252 4,160 4,944 6,886†	18,679	437	405	11	1,529	94·48
Gippsland West ..	18,666	{ Anderson, Robert William .. Houlihan, Michael William .. Hudson, James William .. Maclellan, Robert Roy Cameron	{ 4,195 1,982 5,162 6,066	17,812	407	235	24	1,101	95·42
Gisborne ..	24,174	{ Doyle, Julian John .. Harrison, Robert Frederick .. Hartley, Roy .. Studham, Raymond Leslie ..	{ 10,473 8,457 389† 2,885	22,862	658	430	19	1,198	94·57
Glenhuntly ..	27,796	{ Murphy, Raymond Anthony .. Pickard, Henry Brian .. Rafferty, Joseph Anstice ..	{ 3,770 9,894 11,342	25,903	897	757	18	1,176	93·19
Glen Iris ..	24,992	{ Gammon, Douglas Anthony .. MacDonald, James David .. Preece, John ..	{ 7,942 12,261 2,657	23,339	479	791	12	960	93·39
Greensborough ..	36,330	{ Fell, Robert William .. Frost, Dorothy Lottie Emma Morrisey, Raymond Francis .. Vale, Roy Mountford ..	{ 15,026 2,661† 4,132 12,087	34,654	748	566	53	1,408	95·39
Hampden ..	17,990	{ Anderson, Gilbert John .. Ayres, Vincent .. Bolte, Henry Edward .. O'Brien, Francis Joseph ..	{ 2,746 5,288 7,292 1,668	17,289	295	288	8	1,310	96·10
Hawthorn ..	24,974	{ Andrews, David John .. Gaynor, Bernard William .. Jona, Walter ..	{ 9,313 2,749 10,285	23,081	734	893	21	1,294	92·42

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Heatherton ..	32,629	{ Bathie, Kenneth Glen .. Billing, Norman Alexander William .. Crowther, Herman Ray William .. O'Neill, Joseph Simon ..	{ 13,422† 11,298 1,408† 3,786	31,056	1,142	380	29	1,132	95·18
Ivanhoe ..	26,654	{ Christie, Vernon .. Lucy, Michael Francis .. Rich, Thomas Frederick ..	{ 10,211 3,444 10,718†	25,031	658	591	6	1,061	93·91
Kara Kara ..	16,875	{ Curnow, Esmond Julian .. O'Connor, Robert William Frederick .. Phelan, William .. Thornhill, Bruce Alexander ..	{ 5,508 1,500 4,721 4,352	16,363	282	323	2	1,121	96·97
Kew ..	25,807	{ Buchanan, Dorothy Ada .. Duffy, Francis Xavier .. Ives, Rosilyn Mary .. Rylah, Arthur Gordon .. Wainer, Bertram Barney ..	{ 1,727† 3,212 5,987 9,692 2,624	23,998	756	815	37	1,035	92·99
Lowan ..	18,553	{ Buckley, Ray Francis .. Giles, John James .. Lehmann, Gustav Norman .. McCabe, James Edmund ..	{ 5,754 1,240 4,714 6,008	18,020	304	421	7	1,145	97·13
Malvern ..	25,836	{ Gaffney, Christopher Morgan .. O'Reilly, Thomas Frederick .. Thompson, Lindsay Hamilton Simpson ..	{ 6,670 2,303† 13,801	23,398	624	987	10	1,300	90·56
Melbourne ..	24,656	{ Clarey, Reynold Arthur .. McMahon, Michael Joseph .. Waite, Allan Geoffrey ..	{ 12,768 2,908 5,428	22,393	1,289	574	38	1,559	90·82
Mentone ..	26,925	{ Andrews, Kathleen Margaret .. Templeton, Thomas William .. Woodley, Henry George James	{ 3,730 10,207 10,772†	25,302	593	444	21	1,239	93·97
Midlands ..	23,127	{ Hill, Francis Louis .. Laity, Lexton Graeme .. Shilton, Leslie Victor .. Turnor, William Carsten Reid	{ 2,785 2,731 9,156 6,617	21,767	478	1,064	20	1,146	94·12
Mildura ..	18,690	{ Conroy, John Joseph .. Coogan, Kevin Thomas .. Fraser, Lance Jack .. Whiting, Milton Stanley ..	{ 1,759 1,600 6,814 7,014	17,801	614	477	9	1,007	95·24
Mitcham ..	29,303	{ Crowe, Marianne .. Goble, Dorothy Ada .. Hyslop, John .. Nilson, Raymond Norman ..	{ 3,294 10,693 11,146† 1,870†	27,777	774	448	13	1,187	94·79
Monbulk ..	29,096	{ Borthwick, William Archibald Noone, George Michael .. Simmonds, James William Leslie ..	{ 12,582 2,865 11,151	27,389	791	526	42	1,414	94·13
Moonee Ponds ..	25,266	{ Edmunds, Cyril Thomas .. O'Brien, Barry Joseph .. Williams, John ..	{ 12,146 3,479 7,485	24,044	934	795	22	1,055	95·16
Moorabbin ..	27,405	{ Pinzone, Salvatore Stefano Giovanni Reese, William Frederick Llewellyn Rourke, Harry Gordon ..	{ 3,562 11,341 10,527	26,118	688	570	19	995	95·30
Morwell ..	24,058	{ Amos, Derek Godfrey Ian .. Lawless, Thomas Desmond .. Tanner, Archie Lionel .. Wyeth, James Lloyd George ..	{ 10,923 2,505 6,012 2,854	22,872	578	320	29	1,562	95·07
Murray Valley ..	19,498	{ Crosby, Robert Fenwick .. Moss, George Colin .. Patterson, John Patrick .. Reid, Valda Colleen ..	{ 4,909 6,583 2,139 4,232	18,419	557	262	19	1,061	94·47
Narracan ..	22,567	{ Balfour, James Charles Murray Bartholomeusz, Wilfred Everard Reuter, Reinhardt .. Saunders, Peter Michael ..	{ 7,632 8,125† 2,895 2,312	21,518	554	353	13	1,423	95·35

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STATISTICS RELATING TO THE GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 30TH MAY, 1970—continued.

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Northcote	24,180	{ Dowsey, Albert James Wilkes, Frank Noel	{ 8,338 13,061 }	22,686	1,287	469	9	1,043	93·82
Oakleigh	25,162	{ Scanlan, Alan Henry Scarcella, Anthony Joseph Slattery, Bernard Raymond	{ 11,050 9,108 2,978 }	23,889	753	522	10	955	94·94
Polwarth	18,320	{ Burgin, Cecil William Eyre, Leonard Thomas O'Brien, John Daniel Wade, Douglas Graeme	{ 6,991 1,777 3,746 4,891 }	17,745	340	376	10	1,271	96·86
Portland	18,641	{ Lewis, William John McInerney, Adrian Denis McKellar, Donald Kelso Uebergang, Alma Jean	{ 6,807 1,547 5,726 3,681 }	18,033	272	446	5	1,114	96·74
Prahran	25,827	{ Banks, James Austin McWilliam Johnston, John Hyndman Loxton, Samuel John Everett Trayling, Ivan Barry Tuck, David Ernest	{ 1,460† 1,877 9,188 8,681 601† }	22,899	1,092	853	41	1,630	88·66
Preston	24,293	{ Horwood, Maurice Joseph Kirkwood, Carl William Dunn Spicer, Bruce Alexander	{ 3,844 11,958 6,127 }	23,000	1,071	522	18	912	94·68
Reservoir	26,854	{ Fitzgerald, Joseph Bernard Pritchard, Robert Graeme Simmonds, James Lionel	{ 4,560 6,442 13,595 }	25,650	1,053	399	9	940	95·52
Richmond	21,339	{ Holding, Allan Clyde Samargis, George Scully, Terence John Turner, Ronald Francis	{ 11,629 857† 2,531 3,204 }	19,602	1,381	468	19	948	91·86
Ringwood	31,471	{ Manson, James Williamson Rosindell, Beatrice Sarah Sablovs, Edmund	{ 13,848 12,166 3,268 }	29,948	666	593	18	1,363	95·16
Rodney	19,245	{ Best, Doris Evelyn Biggar, Ian Douglas Hansen, Patrick Matthew McDonald Russell Stanley Leslie	{ 3,677 3,417 2,002 8,972 }	18,562	494	476	9	1,200	96·45
St. Kilda	25,768	{ Bottomley, David Theodore Dixon, Brian James Hughes, John Joseph Hutchinson, Lancelot John Penton, Neville William	{ 9,031 10,318 2,123 775† 180† }	23,604	1,177	692	56	1,314	91·60
Sandringham	25,657	{ Crellin, Maxwell Leslie Graham, Margaret Leech, William Lester	{ 12,093 9,061 2,522 }	24,138	462	720	18	931	94·08
Scoresby	40,486	{ Clarke, Noel Robert Hayes, Geoffrey Phillip West, Alan Lindsay	{ 5,757† 15,932 15,937† }	38,594	968	606	20	1,442	95·33
Shepparton	20,041	{ D'Elia, Bruno Mario Hunter, William Birchall Laws, Linton Harmer Romanes, Graham John Ross-Edwards, Peter	{ 1,875 3,586 1,995 3,332 7,676 }	19,274	810	449	22	1,289	96·17
Sunshine	25,557	{ Charles, Robert Simon Lovegrove, Denis Ubl, Vaclav	{ 3,808 13,976 5,202 }	24,227	1,241	335	19	864	94·80
Swan Hill	18,726	{ Broad, Henry George Donohue, Rodger William McLean, Jack Donald Cobham Troy, Laurence	{ 6,960 2,312 4,605 3,564 }	17,936	495	255	15	1,247	95·78
Syndal	35,111	{ McCabe, Daniel John Setford, Peter Raymond Wiltshire, Raymond John	{ 4,872 12,667 15,341 }	33,611	731	654	17	1,297	95·73
Warrnambool	19,091	{ Boyle, Cyril Geoffrey Grossman, Donald Clarence Hasell, Francis Neil McCosh, Robert James Smith, Ian Winton	{ 2,138 5,181 3,448 711† 6,650 }	18,462	334	412	4	1,073	96·71

APPENDIX No. 1—*continued.*STATISTICS RELATING TO THE GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 30TH MAY, 1970—*continued.*

Name of District.	Electors Enrolled.	Candidates Names.	First preference Votes Polled for Each Candidate.	Number of Electors who Voted.	Number of Informal Ballot-papers.	Number of Electors who Voted by Post.	Section 186 Voters* (Act No. 6224).	Absent Voters.§	Percentage of Electors who Voted.					
Williamstown ..	28,171	{ <table style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"> <tr> <td>Floyd, William Laurence ..</td> <td>16,322</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Groom, Richard Seymour ..</td> <td>5,880</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Way, Norman David ..</td> <td>3,389</td> </tr> </table>	Floyd, William Laurence ..	16,322	Groom, Richard Seymour ..	5,880	Way, Norman David ..	3,389	26,702	1,111	504	17	850	94.79
Floyd, William Laurence ..	16,322													
Groom, Richard Seymour ..	5,880													
Way, Norman David ..	3,389													

Names of defeated candidates are printed in *italics*.

* Persons who were not enrolled but who claimed to have been entitled to enrolment (see also p. lxi.)

† Deposit forfeited, having polled less than one-fifth of the first preference votes received by the elected candidate.

‡ The candidate who received the greatest number of first preference votes did not secure an absolute majority as required by section 208 of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958*, No. 6224. For particulars of preferential count see pp. lxi to lxxviii.

§ Electors who voted in a subdivision other than that for which they were enrolled. See section 187, Act No. 6224.

APPENDIX No. 2.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

(SUMMARY.)

Number Enrolled—
 Total number of electors enrolled in 73 Districts (whole State) 1,827,595
 There were contests in each of the 73 Electoral Districts.

Number of Voters—
 Total number of voters (73 contested Districts)—
 Formal 1,673,221
 Informal (3·19 per cent.) 55,141
 Total (94·57 per cent.) 1,728,362

POSTAL VOTES.

Formal.	Informal.	Total.
41,000	624 (1·50 per cent.)	41,631

ABSENT VOTES.

Formal.	Informal.	Total.
80,262	4,150 (4·92 per cent.)	84,412

UNENROLLED VOTES (SECTION 186).

Votes of persons who were not enrolled, but who claimed to have been entitled to enrolment.)

Allowed, after investigation by Electoral Registrars (24·52 per cent.)	1,408
Not allowed, after investigation by Electoral Registrars (75·48 per cent.)	4,335
Total	5,743

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS.

(GENERAL ELECTION, 30TH MAY, 1970.)

DETAILS OF THE PREFERENTIAL COUNT IN EACH DISTRICT WHERE AN ABSOLUTE MAJORITY WAS NOT OBTAINED ON THE FIRST COUNT BY ANY CANDIDATE.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BALLAARAT NORTH.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Brown.	Evans.	Flynn.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,522	11,266	7,971	22,759
Distribution of ballot-papers of Brown, defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	3,264	258	3,522
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	14,530	8,229	22,759

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BALLAARAT SOUTH.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Brown.	Cullen.	Stephen.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,563	8,467	9,530	21,560
Distribution of ballot-papers of Brown, defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	999	2,564	3,563
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	9,466	12,094	21,560

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BELLARINE.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Brady.	Crockett.	Smith.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	9,547	2,740	10,682	22,969
Distribution of ballot-papers of Crockett, defeated Candidate	423	..	2,317	2,740
FINAL COUNT	9,970	..	12,999	22,969

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BENALLA.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Brack.	Cody.	Coutts.	Trewin.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,503	2,053	3,762	7,981	17,299
Distribution of ballot-papers of Cody, first defeated Candidate	1,568	..	144	341	2,053
Totals after first Distribution	5,071	..	3,906	8,322	17,299
Distribution of ballot-papers of Coutts, second defeated Candidate	2,829	..	..	1,077	3,906
FINAL COUNT	7,900	..	..	9,399	17,299

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BENAMBRA.

	Candidates.					Totals.
	Hicks.	Keenan.	Mitchell.	Prior.	Ure.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	1,164	1,803	8,233	1,849	4,365	17,414
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hicks, first defeated Candidate	468	255	87	354	1,164
Totals after First Distribution	2,271	8,488	1,936	4,719	17,414
Distribution of ballot-papers of Prior, second defeated Candidate	1,493	352	..	91	1,936
FINAL COUNT	3,764	8,840	..	4,810	17,414

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BENDIGO.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Brennan.	Curran.	Trethewey	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,435	9,991	8,960	22,386
Distribution of ballot-papers of Brennan, first defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	655	2,780	3,435
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	10,646	11,740	22,386

APPENDIX No. 2—continued.

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS—continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BENNETTSWOOD.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Kennedy.	McLaren.	Tighe.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	11,225	11,463	2,946	25,634
Distribution of ballot-papers of Tighe, defeated Candidate	257	2,689	..	2,946
FINAL COUNT	11,482	14,152	..	25,634

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BRIGHTON.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Hansen.	Linard.	Rositer.	Wallace-Mitchell.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	7,048	2,053	9,812	3,562	22,475
Distribution of ballot-papers of Linard, defeated Candidate	151	..	1,730	172	2,053
FINAL COUNT	7,199	..	11,542	3,734	22,475

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BENTLEIGH.

	Candidates.					Totals.
	Allen.	Maddn.	Ovenden.	Suggett.	Williams.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	1,237	2,655	719	10,689	9,311	24,611
Distribution of ballot-papers of Ovenden, first defeated Candidate	189	109	..	202	219	719
Totals after First Distribution	1,426	2,764	..	10,891	9,530	24,611
Distribution of ballot-papers of Allen, second defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	849	..	272	305	1,426
Totals after Second Distribution .. .. .	..	3,613	..	11,163	9,835	24,611
Distribution of ballot-papers of Maddn, third defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	..	..	3,289	324	3,613
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	..	..	14,452	10,159	24,611

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF CAULFIELD.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Grant.	Janover.	Papadopoulos.	Tanner.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	2,872	1,827	7,394	11,334	23,427
Distribution of ballot-papers of Janover, defeated Candidate	532	..	865	430	1,827
FINAL COUNT	3,404	..	8,259	11,764	23,427

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BOX HILL.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Clarkson.	Marmion.	Reid.	Sevior.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	1,365	4,482	15,356	12,451	33,654
Distribution of ballot-papers of Clarkson, first defeated Candidate	728	336	301	1,365
Totals after First Distribution	5,210	15,692	12,752	33,654
Distribution of ballot-papers of Marmion, second defeated Candidate	4,829	381	5,210
FINAL COUNT	20,521	13,133	33,654

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF COBURG.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Cox.	McCabe.	Mathiesen.	Murton.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	8,236	2,616	4,627	5,728	21,207
Distribution of ballot-papers of McCabe, first defeated Candidate	145	..	205	2,266	2,616
Totals after First Distribution	8,381	..	4,832	7,994	21,207
Distribution of ballot-papers of Mathiesen, second defeated Candidate	346	..	..	4,486	4,832
FINAL COUNT	8,727	..	..	12,480	21,207

APPENDIX No. 2—continued.

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS—continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF DUNDAS.

	Candidates.						Totals.
	Crouch.	Eveston.	Lewis.	McDonald.	McLennan.	Moodie.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	1,045	1,424	5,884	5,145	3,530	159	17,187
Distribution of ballot-papers of Moodie first defeated Candidate	18	12	20	34	75	..	159
Totals after First Distribution	1,063	1,436	5,904	5,179	3,605	..	17,187
Distribution of ballot-papers of Crouch, second defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	226	236	132	469	..	1,063
Totals after Second Distribution .. .. .	..	1,662	6,140	5,311	4,074	..	17,187
Distribution of ballot-papers of Eveston, third defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	..	317	1,119	226	..	1,662
Totals after Third Distribution .. .. .	..	..	6,457	6,430	4,300	..	17,187
Distribution of ballot-papers of McLennan, fourth defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	..	2,754	1,546	..	..	4,300
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	..	9,211	7,976	..	..	17,187

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF ESSENDON.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Digby.	Kennelly.	Wheeler.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	4,103	11,137	9,125	24,365
Distribution of ballot-papers of Digby, defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	886	3,217	4,103
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	12,023	12,342	24,365

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF EVELYN.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Donkin.	Gerrard.	Smith.	Stokes.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	8,414	1,643	766	8,711	19,534
Distribution of ballot-papers of Smith, first defeated Candidate	223	221	..	322	766
Totals after First Distribution	8,637	1,864	..	9,033	19,534
Distribution of ballot-papers of Gerrard, second defeated Candidate	371	..	..	1,493	1,864
FINAL COUNT	9,008	..	..	10,526	19,534

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF FRANKSTON.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Glynn.	Meagher.	Vogt.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	4,367	16,191	13,198	33,756
Distribution of ballot-papers of Glynn, defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	3,905	462	4,367
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	20,096	13,660	33,756

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GEELONG.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Birrell.	Timberlake.	Woolfe.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	9,823	2,884	8,741	21,448
Distribution of ballot-papers of Timberlake, defeated Candidate	2,616	..	268	2,884
FINAL COUNT	12,439	..	9,009	21,448

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GIPPSLAND EAST.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Burns.	Evans.	Grech.	Mason.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	2,226	6,570	4,628	4,367	17,791
Distribution of ballot-papers of Burns, first defeated Candidate	806	125	1,295	2,226
Totals after First Distribution	7,376	4,753	5,662	17,791
Distribution of ballot-papers of Grech, second defeated Candidate	4,203	..	550	4,753
FINAL COUNT	11,579	..	6,212	17,791

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GIPPSLAND SOUTH.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Condon.	Mathews.	Taylor.	Vinall.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	2,252	4,160	4,944	6,886	18,242
Distribution of ballot-papers of Condon, first defeated Candidate	489	1,503	260	2,252
Totals after First Distribution	4,649	6,447	7,146	18,242
Distribution of ballot-papers of Mathews, second defeated Candidate	3,826	823	4,649
FINAL COUNT	10,273	7,969	18,242

APPENDIX No. 2—continued.

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS—continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GIPPSLAND WEST.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Anderson.	Houlihan.	Hudson.	MacIellan.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	4,195	1,982	5,162	6,066	17,405
Distribution of ballot-papers of Houlihan, first defeated Candidate	278	..	114	1,590	1,982
Totals after First Distribution	4,473	..	5,276	7,656	17,405
Distribution of ballot-papers of Anderson, second defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	..	2,968	1,505	4,473
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	..	8,244	9,161	17,405

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GISBORNE.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Doyle.	Harrison.	Hartley.	Studham.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	10,473	8,457	389	2,885	22,204
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hartley, first defeated Candidate	127	155	..	107	389
Total after First Distribution	10,600	8,612	..	2,992	22,204
Distribution of ballot-papers of Studham, second defeated Candidate	2,682	310	..	..	2,992
FINAL COUNT	13,282	8,922	..	..	22,204

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GLENHUNTLY.

	Candidates			Totals.
	Murphy.	Pickard.	Rafferty.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,770	9,894	11,342	25,006
Distribution of ballot-papers of Murphy, defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	1,079	2,691	3,770
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	10,973	14,033	25,006

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GREENSBOROUGH.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Fell.	Frost.	Morrissey.	Vale.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	15,026	2,661	4,132	12,087	33,906
Distribution of ballot-papers of Frost, defeated Candidate	2,033	..	192	436	2,661
FINAL COUNT	17,059	..	4,324	12,523	33,906

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF HAMPDEN.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Anderson.	Ayres.	Boite.	O'Brien.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	2,746	5,288	7,292	1,668	16,994
Distribution of ballot-papers of O'Brien, defeated Candidate	182	97	1,389	..	1,668
FINAL COUNT	2,928	5,385	8,681	..	16,994

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF HAWTHORN.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Andrews.	Gaynor.	Jona.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	9,313	2,749	10,285	22,347
Distribution of ballot-papers of Gaynor, defeated Candidate	382	..	2,367	2,749
FINAL COUNT	9,695	..	12,652	22,347

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF HEATHERTON.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Bathie.	Billing.	Crowther.	O'Neill.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	13,422	11,298	1,408	3,786	29,914
Distribution of ballot-papers of Crowther, first defeated Candidate	1,033	253	..	122	1,408
Totals after First Distribution	14,455	11,551	..	3,908	29,914
Distribution of ballot-papers of O'Neill, second defeated Candidate	390	3,518	..	..	3,908
FINAL COUNT	14,845	15,069	..	..	29,914

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF IVANHOE.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Christie.	Lucy.	Rich.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	10,211	3,444	10,718	24,373
Distribution of ballot-papers of Lucy, defeated Candidate	3,101	..	343	3,444
FINAL COUNT	13,312	..	11,061	24,373

APPENDIX No. 2—continued.

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS—continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF KARA KARA.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Curnow.	O'Connor.	Phelan.	Thornhill.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	5,508	1,500	4,721	4,352	16,081
Distribution of ballot-papers of O'Connor, first defeated Candidate	114	..	219	1,167	1,500
Totals after First Distribution	5,622	..	4,940	5,519	16,081
Distribution of ballot-papers of Phelan, second defeated Candidate	3,251	..	..	1,689	4,940
FINAL COUNT	8,873	..	..	7,208	16,081

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF KEW.

	Candidates.					Totals.
	Buchanan.	Duffy.	Ives.	Rylah.	Wainer.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	1,727	3,212	5,987	9,692	2,624	23,242
Distribution of ballot-papers of Buchanan, first defeated Candidate	887	312	276	252	1,727
Totals after First Distribution	4,099	6,299	9,968	2,876	23,242
Distribution of ballot-papers of Wainer, second defeated Candidate	778	1,399	699	..	2,876
Totals after Second Distribution	4,877	7,698	10,667	..	23,242
Distribution of ballot-papers of Duffy, third defeated Candidate	1,736	3,141	..	4,877
FINAL COUNT	9,434	13,808	..	23,242

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF LOWAN.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Buckley.	Giles.	Lehmann.	McCabe.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	5,754	1,240	4,714	6,008	17,716
Distribution of ballot-papers of Giles, first defeated Candidate	269	..	108	863	1,240
Totals after First Distribution	6,023	..	4,822	6,871	17,716
Distribution of ballot-papers of Lehmann, second defeated Candidate	1,753	..	..	3,069	4,822
FINAL COUNT	7,776	..	..	9,940	17,716

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MENTONE.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Andrews.	Templeton.	Woodley.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,730	10,207	10,772	24,709
Distribution of ballot-papers of Andrews, defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	3,424	306	3,730
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	13,631	11,078	24,709

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MIDLANDS.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Hill.	Laity.	Shilton.	Turnor.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	2,785	2,731	9,156	6,617	21,289
Distribution of ballot-papers of Laity, defeated Candidate	436	..	1,661	634	2,731
FINAL COUNT	3,221	..	10,817	7,251	21,289

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MILDURA.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Conroy.	Coogan.	Fraser.	Whiting.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	1,759	1,600	6,814	7,014	17,187
Distribution of ballot-papers of Coogan, first defeated Candidate	1,110	..	157	333	1,600
Totals after First Distribution	2,869	..	6,971	7,347	17,187
Distribution of ballot-papers of Conroy, second defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	..	665	2,204	2,869
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	..	7,636	9,551	17,187

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MITCHAM.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Crowe.	Goble.	Hyslop.	Nilsen.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,294	10,693	11,146	1,870	27,003
Distribution of ballot-papers of Nilsen, first defeated Candidate	83	356	1,431	..	1,870
Totals after First Distribution	3,377	11,049	12,577	..	27,003
Distribution of ballot-papers of Crowe, second defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	3,073	304	..	3,377
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	14,122	12,881	..	27,003

APPENDIX No. 2—continued.
 PREFERENTIAL COUNTS—continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MONBULK.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Borthwick.	Noone.	Simmonds.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	12,582	2,865	11,151	26,598
Distribution of ballot-papers of Noone, defeated Candidate..	2,497	..	368	2,865
FINAL COUNT	15,079	..	11,519	26,598

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MOORABBIN.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Pinzone.	Reese.	Rourke.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,562	11,341	10,527	25,430
Distribution of ballot-papers of Pinzone, defeated Candidate..	..	3,232	330	3,562
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	14,573	10,857	25,430

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MORWELL.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Amos.	Lawless.	Tanner.	Wyeth.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	10,923	2,505	6,012	2,854	22,294
Distribution of ballot-papers of Lawless, first defeated Candidate	220	..	2,156	129	2,505
Totals after First Distribution	11,143	..	8,168	2,983	22,294
Distribution of ballot-papers of Wyeth, second defeated Candidate	1,772	..	1,211	..	2,983
FINAL COUNT	12,915	..	9,379	..	22,294

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MURRAY VALLEY.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Crosby.	Moss.	Patterson.	Reid.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	4,909	6,583	2,139	4,231	17,862
Distribution of ballot-papers of Patterson, first defeated Candidate	1,649	366	..	124	2,139
Totals after First Distribution	6,558	6,949	..	4,355	17,862
Distribution of ballot-papers of Reid, second defeated Candidate	263	4,092	..	..	4,355
FINAL COUNT	6,821	11,041	..	..	17,862

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF NARRACAN.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Balfour.	Bartholomewsz.	Reuter.	Saunders.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	7,632	8,125	2,895	2,312	20,964
Distribution of ballot-papers of Saunders, first defeated Candidate	1,962	138	212	..	2,312
Totals after First Distribution	9,594	8,263	3,107	..	20,964
Distribution of ballot-papers of Reuter, second defeated Candidate	1,049	2,058	..	..	3,107
FINAL COUNT	10,643	10,321	..	..	20,964

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF OAKLEIGH.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	Scanlan.	Scarcella.	Slattery.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	11,050	9,108	2,978	23,136
Distribution of ballot-papers of Slattery, defeated Candidate..	2,510	468	..	2,978
FINAL COUNT	13,560	9,576	..	23,136

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF POLWARTH.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Burgin.	Eyre.	O'Brien.	Wode.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	6,991	1,777	3,746	4,891	17,405
Distribution of ballot-papers of Eyre, first defeated Candidate	1,456	..	79	242	1,777
Totals after First Distribution	8,447	..	3,825	5,133	17,405
Distribution of ballot-papers of O'Brien, second defeated Candidate	324	..	..	3,501	3,825
FINAL COUNT	8,771	..	..	8,634	17,405

APPENDIX No. 2—continued.

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS—continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF PORTLAND.

—	Candidates.				Totals.
	Lewis.	McInerney.	McKellar.	Uebergang.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	6,807	1,547	5,726	3,681	17,761
Distribution of ballot-papers of McInerney, first defeated Candidate	125	..	1,284	138	1,547
Totals after First Distribution	6,932	..	7,010	3,819	17,761
Distribution of ballot-papers of Uebergang, second defeated Candidate	2,439	..	1,380	..	3,819
FINAL COUNT	9,371	..	8,390	..	17,761

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF RODNEY.

—	Candidates.				Totals.
	Best.	Biggar.	Hansen.	McDonald.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	3,677	3,417	2,002	8,972	18,068
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hansen, defeated Candidate	121	1,614	..	267	2,002
FINAL COUNT	3,798	5,031	..	9,239	18,068

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF PRAHRAN.

—	Candidates.					Totals.
	Banks.	Johnston.	Loxton.	Trayling.	Tuck.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	1,460	1,877	9,188	8,681	601	21,807
Distribution of ballot-papers of Tuck, first defeated Candidate	83	22	77	419	..	601
Totals after First Distribution	1,543	1,899	9,265	9,100	..	21,807
Distribution of ballot-papers of Banks, second defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	854	293	396	..	1,543
Totals after Second Distribution	..	2,753	9,558	9,496	..	21,807
Distribution of ballot-papers of Johnston, third defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	..	2,425	328	..	2,753
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	..	11,983	9,824	..	21,807

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF ST. KILDA.

—	Candidates.					Totals.
	Bottomley.	Dixon.	Hughes.	Hutchinson.	Penton.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	9,031	10,318	2,123	775	180	22,427
Distribution of ballot-papers of Penton, first defeated Candidate	49	48	22	61	..	180
Totals after First Distribution	9,080	10,366	2,145	836	..	22,427
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hutchinson, second defeated Candidate	602	124	110	..	..	836
Totals after Second Distribution	9,682	10,490	2,255	..	..	22,427
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hughes, third defeated Candidate	204	2,051	..	..	..	2,255
FINAL COUNT	9,886	12,541	..	..	..	22,427

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF RINGWOOD.

—	Candidates.			Totals.
	Manson.	Rosindell.	Sablovs.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	13,848	12,166	3,268	29,282
Distribution of ballot-papers of Sablovs, defeated Candidate	2,778	490	..	3,268
FINAL COUNT	16,626	12,656	..	29,282

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SCORESBY.

—	Candidates.			Totals.
	Clarke.	Hayes.	West.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	5,757	15,932	15,937	37,626
Distribution of ballot-papers of Clarke, defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	5,183	574	5,757
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	21,115	16,511	37,626

APPENDIX No. 2—continued.

PREFERENTIAL COUNTS—continued.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SHEPPARTON.

	Candidates.					Totals.
	D'Elia.	Hunter.	Laws.	Romanes.	Ross-Edwards.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	1,875	3,586	1,995	3,332	7,676	18,464
Distribution of ballot-papers of D'Elia, first defeated Candidate	1,440	92	37	306	1,875
Totals after First Distribution	5,026	2,087	3,369	7,982	18,464
Distribution of ballot-papers of Laws, second defeated Candidate	1,409	..	56	622	2,087
Totals after Second Distribution	6,435	..	3,425	8,604	18,464
Distribution of ballot-papers of Romanes, third defeated Candidate	2,617	..	..	808	3,425
FINAL COUNT	9,052	..	..	9,412	18,464

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SWAN HILL.

	Candidates.				Totals.
	Broad.	Donohue.	McLean.	Troy.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	6,960	2,312	4,605	3,564	17,441
Distribution of ballot-papers of Donohue, first defeated Candidate	379	..	212	1,721	2,312
Totals after First Distribution	7,339	..	4,817	5,285	17,441
Distribution of ballot-papers of McLean, second defeated Candidate	4,098	..	..	719	4,817
FINAL COUNT	11,437	..	..	6,004	17,441

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SYNDAL.

	Candidates.			Totals.
	McCabe.	Setford.	Wiltshire.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	4,872	12,667	15,341	32,880
Distribution of ballot-papers of McCabe, defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	1,003	3,869	4,872
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	13,670	19,210	32,880

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF WARRNAMBOOL.

	Candidates.					Totals.
	Boyle.	Grossman.	Hasell.	McCosh.	Smith.	
First Count—First Preference Votes	2,138	5,181	3,448	711	6,650	18,128
Distribution of ballot-papers of McCosh, first defeated Candidate	362	144	47	..	158	711
Totals after First Distribution	2,500	5,325	3,495	..	6,808	18,128
Distribution of ballot-papers of Boyle, second defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	1,742	207	..	551	2,500
Totals after Second Distribution .. .. .	..	7,067	3,702	..	7,359	18,128
Distribution of ballot-papers of Hasell, third defeated Candidate .. .. .	..	409	..	..	3,293	3,702
FINAL COUNT .. .. .	..	7,476	..	..	10,652	18,128

VICTORIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 1.

The Parliament of Victoria begun and held at the City of Melbourne on Wednesday, the seventeenth day of June, in the nineteenth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second ; and in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy.

1. On which day, being the first day of the meeting of this Parliament, for the despatch of business, pursuant to Proclamation (hereinafter set forth), John Harold Campbell, Esquire, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, Ian Neil McCarron, Esquire, Clerk-Assistant, and Raymond Keith Boyes, Esquire, Second Clerk-Assistant, attending in the House, the said Proclamation was read at the Table by the Clerk :—

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

PROCLAMATION

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

I, THE Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation fix Wednesday, the seventeenth day of June, 1970, as the time for the commencement and holding of the First Session of the Forty-fifth Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne : And the Honorable the Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this second day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy, and in the nineteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY BOLTE,
Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

2. MESSAGE FROM COMMISSIONER.—The following Message from the Commissioner appointed by His Excellency the Governor to open the Parliament was delivered by the Usher of the Black Rod :—

GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

The Commissioner from His Excellency the Governor requests the presence of the Members of the Legislative Assembly in the Legislative Council Chamber to hear the Commission read for the commencement and holding of this present Session of Parliament.

Accordingly, the Members of the Legislative Assembly went to the Legislative Council Chamber, where the Honorable Sir Henry Winneke said—

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

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

Then the said Letters Patent were read as follows :—

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

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

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY BOLTE,

Premier.

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book No. 35,
page 4, this seventeenth day of June, One thousand nine
hundred and seventy.

R. W. VEITCH, for Under-Secretary.

And then the Honorable Sir Henry Winneke said—

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

I have it in command from His Excellency to let you know that, later this day, His Excellency will declare to you in person, in this place, the causes of his calling this Parliament together ; and, Members 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.

And the Members of the Assembly being returned—

3. COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER OATH TO MEMBERS.—The Honorable Sir Henry Winneke, having entered the House and been conducted by the Serjeant-at-Arms to the Chair, handed to the Clerk at the Table a Commission, which was read as follows :—

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

To the Honorable Sir Henry Arthur Winneke, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.

GREETING :

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

(L.S.) Given under my hand and the Seal of the said State at Melbourne in the said State this seventeenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy, and in the nineteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

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

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book No. 35, page 5, this seventeenth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and seventy.

R. W. VEITCH, for Under-Secretary.

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

1. Albert Park	The Honorable Valentine Joseph Doube.
2. Ballarat North	Alexander Thomas Evans, Esquire.
3. Ballarat South	William Francis Stephen, Esquire.
4. Balwyn	Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D.
5. Bellarine	Aurel Vernon Smith, Esquire.
6. Benalla	Thomas Champion Trewin, Esquire.
7. Benambra	The Honorable Thomas Walter Mitchell.
8. Bendigo	Robert Hugh Trethewey, Esquire.
9. Bennettswood	Ian Francis McLaren, Esquire, O.B.E.
10. Bentleigh	Robert Harris Suggett, Esquire.
11. Box Hill	The Honorable George Oswald Reid.
12. Brighton	The Honorable John Frederick Rossiter.
13. Broadmeadows	John Thomas Wilton, Esquire.
14. Brunswick East	David Leon Frank Bornstein, Esquire.
15. Brunswick West	Campbell Turnbull, Esquire.
16. Camberwell	The Honorable Vernon Francis Wilcox.
17. Caulfield	Sir Edgar Stephen Tanner, C.B.E., E.D.
18. Coburg	John Patrick Mutton, Esquire.
19. Dandenong	Alan Alfred Campbell Lind, Esquire.
20. Deer Park	John Joseph Ginifer, Esquire.
21. Dromana	Roberts Christian Dunstan, Esquire, D.S.O.
22. Dundas	Edward Wallace Lewis, Esquire.
23. Essendon	Kenneth Henry Wheeler, Esquire.
24. Evelyn	Russell Newton Stokes, Esquire.
25. Footscray	Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire.

26. Frankston	The Honorable Edward Raymond Meagher, M.B.E., E.D.
27. Geelong	Hayden Wilson Birrell, Esquire.
28. Geelong North	Neil Benjamin Trezise, Esquire.
29. Gippsland East	Bruce James Evans, Esquire.
30. Gippsland South	James Allister Taylor, Esquire.
31. Gippsland West	Robert Roy Cameron Maclellan, Esquire.
32. Gisborne	Julian John Doyle, Esquire.
33. Glenhuntly	The Honorable Joseph Anstice Rafferty.
34. Glen Iris	James David MacDonald, Esquire.
35. Greensborough	Robert William Fell, Esquire.
36. Hampden	The Honorable Sir Henry Edward Bolte, K.C.M.G.
37. Hawthorn	Walter Jona, Esquire.
38. Heatherton	Norman Alexander William Billing, Esquire, K.St.J.
39. Ivanhoe	Vernon Christie, Esquire.
40. Kara Kara	Esmond Julian Curnow, Esquire.
41. Kew	The Honorable Sir Arthur Gordon Rylah, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.
42. Lowan	James Edmund McCabe, Esquire.
43. Malvern	The Honorable Lindsay Hamilton Simpson Thompson.
44. Melbourne	Reynold Arthur Clarey, Esquire.
45. Mentone	Thomas William Templeton, Esquire.
46. Midlands	Leslie Victor Shilton, Esquire.
47. Mildura	Milton Stanley Whiting, Esquire.
48. Mitcham	Mrs. Dorothy Ada Goble.
49. Monbulk	The Honorable William Archibald Borthwick.
50. Moonee Ponds	Cyril Thomas Edmunds, Esquire.
51. Moorabbin	William Frederick Llewellyn Reese, Esquire.
52. Morwell	Derek Godfry Ian Amos, Esquire.
53. Murray Valley	The Honorable George Colin Moss.
54. Narracan	The Honorable James Charles Murray Balfour.
55. Northcote	Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire.
56. Oakleigh	Alan Henry Scanlan, Esquire.
57. Polwarth	Cecil William Burgin, Esquire.
58. Portland	William John Lewis, Esquire.
59. Prahran	Samuel John Everett Loxton, Esquire.
60. Preston	Carl William Dunn Kirkwood, Esquire.
61. Reservoir	James Lionel Simmonds, Esquire.
62. Richmond	Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire.
63. Ringwood	The Honorable James Williamson Manson.
64. Rodney	Russell Stanley Leslie McDonald, Esquire.
65. St. Kilda	Brian James Dixon, Esquire.
66. Sandringham	Maxwell Leslie Crellin, Esquire.
67. Scoresby	Geoffrey Phillip Hayes, Esquire.
68. Shepparton	Peter Ross-Edwards, Esquire.
69. Sunshine	Denis Lovegrove, Esquire.
70. Swan Hill	Henry George Broad, Esquire.
71. Syndal	Raymond John Wiltshire, Esquire.
72. Warrnambool	The Honorable Ian Winton Smith.
73. Williamstown	William Laurence Floyd, Esquire.

5. MEMBERS SWORN.—The Members whose names are aforementioned took and subscribed the Oath required by law, except the Honorable John Frederick Rossiter (who was not then present).

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

6. ELECTION OF SPEAKER.—Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*), addressing himself to the Clerk, proposed to the House for their Speaker, Vernon Christie, Esquire, and moved, That Vernon Christie, Esquire, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker, which motion was seconded by Mrs. Goble.

Mr. Christie accepted nomination.

And no other Member being proposed, the Clerk thereupon declared that Vernon Christie, Esquire, had been duly elected as Speaker.

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

Then Sir Henry Bolte, Mr. Holding, and Mr. Ross-Edwards congratulated Mr. Speaker.

7. PRESENTATION OF THE SPEAKER.—Sir Henry Bolte stated that he had already ascertained that His Excellency the Governor would be pleased to receive the Speaker in the Library, Parliament House, that day, at ten minutes past Two o'clock.

8. MR. SPEAKER left the Chair at fifty-four minutes past Eleven o'clock and resumed it at thirty-one minutes past Two o'clock and read the Prayer.

9. **PRESENTATION OF THE SPEAKER.**—Mr. Speaker reported that he had, that day, proceeded to the Library, Parliament House, and that he had presented himself to His Excellency the Governor as the choice of the Legislative Assembly, and that His Excellency had been pleased to address him in the following terms :—

MR. SPEAKER :

I have much pleasure in congratulating you on your election for the second time to the high and important office of Speaker of the Legislative Assembly.

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

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE.
Governor of Victoria.

Melbourne, 17th June, 1970.

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

MR. SPEAKER :

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

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

11. **COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER OATH TO MEMBERS.**—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received from His Excellency the Governor the following Commission, which was read by the Clerk :—

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

To the Honorable Vernon Christie, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Victoria.

GREETING :

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

(L.S.) Given under my hand and the Seal of the said State at Melbourne in the said State this seventeenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy, and in the nineteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY BOLTE,
Premier.

Entered on record by me in the Register of Patents, Book No. 35,
page 8, this seventeenth day of June, One thousand nine
hundred and seventy.

R. W. VEITCH, for Under-Secretary.

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

Adult Education—Report of the Council for the year 1968–69.

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Bread Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 90).

Apprenticeship (Optical Trade) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 75).

Apprenticeship (Stonemasonry Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 91).

Business Names Act 1962—Business Names (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 103).

Commissions and Boards of Inquiry—Expenditure of—Amendment of Regulations governing the expenditure of Commissions and Boards of Inquiry 1970 (S.R. Nos. 69 and 94) (two papers).

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—

- Country Fire Authority (Duties and Conduct of Officers and Employees Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 80).
- Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 78) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 87).
- Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 79) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 101).
- Country Fire Authority (Meetings and Expenses of Members Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 99).

Country Fire Authority—Report for the year 1968–69.

Dandenong Valley Authority—Report and statement of accounts for the year ended 30th September, 1969.

Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—Salaries Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 105).

Education Act 1958—

- Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1970, No. 3 (S.R. No. 79).
- Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1970, No. 4 (S.R. No. 92).

Educational Grants Act 1967—Educational Grants Regulations 1970. (S.R. No. 86).

Explosives Act 1960—Order in Council—Classification of Explosives (S.R. No. 95).

Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents Act 1965—Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 97).

Fisheries Act 1968—Commercial Fishing Licences (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 70).

Gas Act 1969—Gas Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 68).

Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (Relating to the Conditions of Employment of Staff) No. 47G (S.R. No. 67).

Health Act 1958—

- Food and Drug Standards (Potable Water) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 93).
- Poisonous Substances (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 96).

Justices Act 1958—Justices Act (Amendment) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 74).

Land Act 1958—Schedule of country lands proposed to be sold by auction (two papers).

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Council of Legal Education—Rules amended (S.R. Nos. 66 and 98) (two papers).

Liquor Control Act 1968—Liquor Control (Kiewa Canteens) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 107).

Local Government Act 1958—Postal Voting (Elections of Municipal Councillors) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 82).

Marine Act 1958—Port Rule 132—Rule amended (S.R. No. 102).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—

- Proclamation declaring that Chicory shall become the property of the Chicory Marketing Board.
- Proclamation declaring that Onions shall become the property of the Onion Marketing Board.
- Proclamation declaring that Tobacco Leaf shall become the property of the Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board.

Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—

- Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendments Various No. 2/70) (S.R. No. 73).
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations 1957 (Amendment No. 2/70) (S.R. No. 72).

Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1970 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 108).

Milk Board Act 1958—Milk Board (Milk Shops—Specified Containers) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 65).

Milk Board—Statement of accounts for the year 1968–69.

Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Traffic Offenders) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 104).

Poisons Act 1962—Drugs of Addiction and Restricted Substances Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 83).

Police Regulation Act 1958—Determinations Nos. 162 and 163 of the Police Service Board (two papers).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 440–488) (forty-nine papers).

Racing Act 1958—

Racing (Doubles Totalizator Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 89).
Trotting Control Board (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 85).

Railways Act 1958—Regulation No. 93—Regulation amended (S.R. No. 78).

Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—

Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 3) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 76).
Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 4) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 81).
Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 5) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 100).

State Development Committee—Report on the Mineral Spa Water Resources of Victoria.—
Ordered to be printed.

State Savings Bank Act 1958—

State Savings Bank (Amendment No. 8) General Orders 1970 (S.R. No. 64).
State Savings Bank (Interest Rates Amendment No. 4) General Orders 1970 (S.R. No. 63).
State Savings Bank (Interest Rates) General Orders 1970 (S.R. No. 77).

Supreme Court Act 1958—Supreme Court (Change of Solicitor) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 88).

State Superannuation Board—Report for the year 1968–69.—Ordered to be printed.

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

Borough of Kyabram Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 5, 1969.
City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendments No. 44, 1968, 51, 54, 58, and 66, 1969 (five papers).
City of Moe Planning Scheme 1966, Amendments No. 23 and 24, 1969, and 22, 1970 (three papers).
Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 8, 1969 (Shire of Bellarine).
Latrobe Valley Sub-Regional Planning Scheme 1949, Amendment No. 15, 1969.
Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Amendments No. 2, 1968, and 11, 1969 (two papers).
Morwell Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 26, 1968.
Shire of Alberton Coastal Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment No. 1, 1969.
Shire of Bulla Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 12, 1969.
Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment No. 26, 1969.
Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment No. 22, 1970.
Shire of Lillydale Planning Scheme 1958, Amendments No. 4, 1967, and 7, 1968 (two papers).
Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendments No. 40 and 41, 1968, and 44 and 46, 1969 (four papers).
Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendments No. 16, 1968, and 21, 1969 (two papers).
Shire of Werribee Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 2, 1968.

Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965—Statute 8.1.1—Degree of Master of Pharmacy (S.R. No. 71).

Wheat Marketing Act 1969—Wheat Marketing Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 106).

Workers Compensation Act 1958—Workers Compensation Board (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 84).

13. PRIVILEGE BILL—REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages Act 1959’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

14. HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR’S SPEECH.—Mr. Speaker reported that the House had, that day, attended His Excellency the Governor in the Legislative Council Chamber, when His Excellency was pleased to make a Speech to both Houses of Parliament, of which Mr. Speaker said he had, for greater accuracy, obtained a copy as follows :—

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

I have called you together at the earliest date after the recent conjoint election for this, the First Session of the Forty-fifth Parliament of Victoria, so that you may consider matters of public business which require your attention.

This Session is one in which my Ministers will bring before you a number of measures to implement, as a theme, the welfare and happiness of the people of this State, with emphasis upon maintenance of the family unit, the education of young people, the preservation of a natural environment and the conservation of natural resources.

Before developing this theme, it is my duty to convey to this Parliament the pleasure that Her Majesty the Queen has expressed at the wonderful welcome extended to herself and her family during their recent visit to Victoria. This was an occasion memorable to all of us, and its public acclaim reflected beyond doubt the loyalty of our people to the Sovereign and her family.

Not so pleasant is my duty to mention the death of the Honorable Sir Herbert Hyland, a former Minister of the Crown and member of the Legislative Assembly, who died during the latter days of the last Parliament.

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

A Supply Bill to make provision for the services of the first three months of the financial year 1970-71, and Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the current financial year will be presented to you immediately.

It is proposed that when Supply has been granted, the Parliament should adjourn until the normal budget session. At that time, detailed Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the financial year 1970-71 will be submitted to you, as well as any necessary further Supplementary Estimates for the current financial year.

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

As I have indicated, my Government's objective is the continued welfare of the people of this State.

There will be established a separate Ministry of Social Welfare, aimed at the removal of pockets of social distress amongst the young, the old and those suffering from illness.

It is the intention of the Government to set guidelines for further implementation of the metropolitan transportation plan and work will start on the underground railway loop.

In the field of education I am advised that there is to be launched a programme for the recruitment of qualified teachers from overseas, and that there will be decentralisation of the administration of the Education Department.

A Victorian Pollution Control Authority will be established, with powers to prevent the pollution of water, air and land. A Chair of Environmental Studies will be created at the University of Melbourne. Also, there will be a detailed analysis of the utilisation of Crown Land in this State to make provision for its retention as parks, wildlife reserves and forests.

These, in broad outline, are the subjects that will be brought forward for your consideration in this Session.

In formally opening this Parliament I pray that the guidance of Almighty God may attend upon your deliberations.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Melbourne, 17th June, 1970.

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

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY :

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

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

16. CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—Mr. Loxton proposed to the House for appointment as Chairman of Committees, Sir Edgar Stephen Tanner, C.B.E., E.D., and moved, That Sir Edgar Stephen Tanner, C.B.E., E.D., be appointed Chairman of Committees of this House, which motion was seconded by Mr. Billing.

Sir Edgar Tanner accepted nomination.

And no other Member being proposed, the Speaker thereupon declared that Sir Edgar Stephen Tanner, C.B.E., E.D., had been duly appointed as Chairman of Committees.

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

VICTORIA.

Legislative Assembly.

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

Given under my hand this seventeenth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and seventy.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

18. PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Lind, Mr. McDonald (*Rodney*), Mr. McLaren, Mr. Reese, Mr. Ross-Edwards, Mr. Trezise, and Mr. Wheeler be members of the Public Accounts Committee and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records, to move from place to place, and to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; three to be the quorum (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
19. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Edmunds, Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*), Mr. Lovegrove, Mr. Smith (*Bellarine*), and Mr. Whiting be members of the Statute Law Revision Committee ; and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
20. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Birrell, Mr. Broad, and Mr. Turnbull be members of the Subordinate Legislation Committee ; and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
21. HOUSE COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Bornstein, Mr. Doube, Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*), Mr. McLaren, and Mr. Mitchell be members of the House Committee ; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
22. LIBRARY COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Doyle, Mr. Edmunds, Mrs. Goble, and Mr. Mitchell be members of the Library Committee ; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
23. PRINTING COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Broad, Mr. Curnow, Mr. Lewis (*Portland*), Mr. MacDonald (*Glen Iris*), Mr. Stephen, Mr. Stokes, and Mr. Whiting be members of the Printing Committee ; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; three to be the quorum (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
24. STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Speaker, Mr. Holding, Mr. Manson, Mr. Ross-Edwards, Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*), Mr. Whiting, and Mr. Wilkes be members of the Standing Orders Committee ; and that the Committee have leave to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; five to be the quorum (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
25. PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Floyd, Mr. Ginifer, Mr. Scanlan, and Mr. Trewin be members of the Public Works Committee (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
26. STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. McDonald (*Rodney*), Mr. Simmonds, Mr. Templeton, and Mr. Wiltshire be members of the State Development Committee (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
27. MEAT INDUSTRY COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That, contingent upon the enactment, this session, of legislation for the establishment of a Joint Select Committee of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to inquire into and report upon certain questions relating to the meat industry in Victoria, and for other purposes, Mr. Lewis (*Dundas*), Mr. Suggett, Mr. Trethewey, and Mr. Trewin be appointed members of the Committee (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
28. ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That, contingent upon the enactment, this session, of legislation for the establishment of a Joint Select Committee of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to inquire into and report upon certain questions relating to road safety, and for other purposes, Mr. Dixon, Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*), Mr. Jona, and Mr. Wilkes be appointed members of the Committee (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
29. COMMITTEES OF SUPPLY AND WAYS AND MEANS—SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Standing Order No. 273A be suspended so as to allow the Committees of Supply and Ways and Means to be appointed this day (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
30. SUPPLY.—Motion made and question—That this House will, this day, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
31. WAYS AND MEANS.—Motion made and question—That this House will, this day, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

32. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1970.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

1970.

VICTORIA.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1970-71.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 1.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly an estimate of expenditure for the months of July, August and September in the year 1970-71, and recommends an appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 17th June, 1970.

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

33. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1969-70.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 2.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the year 1969-70, and recommends an Appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 17th June, 1970.

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

34. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (MEAT INDUSTRY) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 3.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to provide for the Appointment of a Joint Select Committee of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to Inquire into and Report upon Certain Questions relating to the Meat Industry in Victoria, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 17th June, 1970.

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

35. JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (MEAT INDUSTRY) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 3.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide for the Appointment of a Joint Select Committee of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to Inquire into and Report upon Certain Questions relating to the Meat Industry in Victoria, and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

36. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (ROAD SAFETY) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Arthur Rylah, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 4.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to provide for the Appointment of a Joint Select Committee of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to Inquire into and Report upon Certain Questions relating to Road Safety, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 17th June, 1970.

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

37. JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE (ROAD SAFETY) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 4.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Sir Arthur Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to provide for the Appointment of a Joint Select Committee of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to Inquire into and Report upon Certain Questions relating to Road Safety, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

38. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1970.—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

House resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.

39. SUPPLY—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1969–70.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.

40. TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The following Warrant, nominating a Temporary Chairman of Committees, was laid upon the Table by Mr. Speaker :—

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Standing Order of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Victoria numbered 4A, I do hereby nominate John Joseph Ginifer, Esquire, to act as a Temporary Chairman of Committees whenever requested so to do by the Chairman of Committees. Given under my hand this seventeenth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and seventy.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

41. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1970.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$139,511,000 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1970–71, viz :—

Division No.		\$
1.	Legislative Council—Expenses of Select Committees	900
2.	Legislative Assembly—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	50,200
3.	Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee— Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	42,200
4.	Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c.	50,000
5.	Parliament Library—Salaries and General Expenses	13,100
6.	Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses	38,200
7.	Governor's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	19,700

Division No.	\$
8. Premier's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	304,300
9. State Film Centre—Salaries and General Expenses	40,500
10. Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	186,400
11. State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	43,400
12. Agent-General—Salaries and General Expenses	35,000
13. Public Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	137,600
14. Public Service Board Electronic Data Processing Service Bureau—Salaries and General Expenses	89,100
15. Audit Office—Salaries and General Expenses	160,500
16. Chief Secretary's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	130,000
17. Totalizator Administration—Salaries and General Expenses ..	14,300
18. State Accident Insurance Office—Salaries	170,000
19. State Motor Car Insurance Office—Salaries	213,000
20. Workers' Compensation Board—Salaries	17,400
21. Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	278,600
22. Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses ..	21,100
23. Government Statist—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	132,600
24. Police—Salaries and General Expenses	7,780,000
25. Police Service Board—Salaries and General Expenses	2,000
26. State Library, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	74,800
27. State Library—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	215,400
28. National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	42,500
29. Institute of Applied Science—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	27,300
30. National Gallery—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	197,800
31. Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	31,200
32. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	97,100
33. Family Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,457,000
34. Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	564,400
35. Prisons—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	977,000
36. Training—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	40,200
37. Probation and Parole—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	110,500
38. Labour and Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	412,900
39. Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	56,000,000
40. Teachers Tribunal—Salaries and General Expenses	12,600
41. Attorney-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	378,800
42. Courts Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,193,900
43. Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles—Salaries and General Expenses	448,400
44. Registrar of Companies—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	93,400
45. Rent Control—Salaries and General Expenses	15,300
46. Public Trustee—Salaries and General Expenses	174,400
47. Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	5,350,000
48. Pay-roll Tax—Payment to Commonwealth Government	1,410,000
49. Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses	68,900
50. State Superannuation Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	63,300
51. Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	46,900
52. Taxation Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	224,800
53. Stamp Duties—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	181,700
54. Government Printer—Salaries and General Expenses	883,000
55. Crown Lands Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	610,000
56. Survey—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	421,600
57. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General Expenses	75,400
58. Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,149,000
59. Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	505,000
60. Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	111,000
61. Valuer-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	124,300
62. Weights and Measures—Salaries and General Expenses	63,500
63. Town and Country Planning Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	70,100
64. Mines—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	356,000
65. Explosives—Salaries and General Expenses	36,300
66. Gas Regulation—Salaries	11,400
67. Agriculture Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	475,500

Division No.	\$
68. Agricultural Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	265,100
69. Agriculture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	426,000
70. Horticulture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	489,000
71. Animal Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	308,000
72. Animal Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	204,000
73. Dairying—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	321,000
74. Extension Services—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	45,200
75. Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	9,241,000
76. General Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,266,500
77. Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	847,000
78. Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,470,000
79. Mental Hygiene—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	6,600,000
80. Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs—Contribution to Aboriginal Affairs Fund ..	90,000
81. Ministry of Fuel and Power—Salaries and General Expenses ..	14,000
82. Railway Construction Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	32,500
83. Ministry of Transport—Salaries and General Expenses ..	9,000
84. Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	960,000
85. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	3,150,000
86. Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	28,000,000
Total	\$139,511,000

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

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

42. WAYS AND MEANS.—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.

House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1970–71 the sum of \$139,511,000 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

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

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

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

43. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE (SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1970) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum 'of One hundred and thirty-nine million five hundred and eleven thousand dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

44. SUPPLY—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1969–70.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$12,982,672 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1969–70, viz :—

Division No.	PARLIAMENT.						\$	\$
2. Legislative Assembly	5,889	
3. Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee	514	
5. Parliament Library	2,070	
6. Parliamentary Debates	3,987	
							12,460	
	PREMIER.							
7. Governor's Office	1,264	
8. Premier's Office	14,701	
9. State Film Centre	4,214	
10. Soil Conservation Authority	17,619	
11. State Development	3,278	
12. Agent General	200	
13. Public Service Board	12,772	
14. Audit Office	11,840	
							65,888	

Division No.	CHIEF SECRETARY.						\$	\$
15. Chief Secretary's Office	8,280	
16. Totalizator Administration	181	
17. State Accident Insurance Office	17,753	
18. State Motor Car Insurance Office	21,433	
19. Workers' Compensation Board	2,004	
20. Fisheries and Wildlife	15,447	
21. Government Shorthand Writer	630	
22. Government Statist	12,370	
23. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics	8,483	
24. Family Welfare	50,768	
25. Youth Welfare	29,465	
26. Prisons	32,704	
27. Training	1,914	
28. Probation and Parole	18,224	
29. Police	753,243	
30. Police Service Board	253	
31. State Library, National Museum and Institute of Applied Administration	5,243	
32. State Library	27,554	
33. National Museum	11,394	
34. Institute of Applied Science	7,393	
35. National Gallery	13,556	
36. Immigration	1,901	
							<hr/>	1,040,193
LABOUR AND INDUSTRY.								
37. Labour and Industry	29,481
EDUCATION.								
38. Education	3,346,853	
39. Teachers' Tribunal	577	
							<hr/>	3,347,430
ATTORNEY-GENERAL.								
40. Attorney-General	46,579	
41. Courts Administration	148,464	
42. Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles	41,278	
43. Registrar of Companies	6,008	
44. Rent Control	2,168	
45. Public Trustee	17,596	
							<hr/>	262,093
TREASURER.								
46. Treasury	9,337	
47. Pay-roll Tax	131,000	
48. Tender Board	488	
49. State Superannuation Board	3,774	
50. Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration	3,836	
51. Taxation Office	16,750	
52. Stamp Duties	13,317	
53. Government Printer	27,743	
							<hr/>	206,245
LANDS AND SURVEY.								
54. Lands and Survey	71,117	
55. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium	3,944	
							<hr/>	75,061
PUBLIC WORKS.								
56. Public Works	180,641	
57. Ports and Harbors	15,367	
							<hr/>	196,008
LOCAL GOVERNMENT.								
58. Local Government	19,507	
59. Weights and Measures	3,600	
60. Town and Country Planning Board	14,571	
							<hr/>	37,678
MINES.								
61. Mines	21,199	
62. Explosives	2,465	
63. Gas Regulation	706	
							<hr/>	24,370

Division No.	AGRICULTURE.						\$	\$
64. Agriculture Administration	..	..	..	..	..	..	29,357	
65. Agricultural Education	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,850	
66. Agriculture	..	..	..	..	..	..	20,537	
67. Horticulture	..	..	..	..	..	..	22,270	
68. Animal Health	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,152	
69. Animal Industry	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,424	
70. Dairying	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,442	
71. Extension Services	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,057	
							<hr/>	117,089
	HEALTH.							
72. Health Administration	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,309,000	
73. General Health	..	..	..	..	..	..	168,960	
74. Tuberculosis	..	..	..	..	..	..	96,377	
75. Maternal and Child Welfare	..	..	..	..	..	..	191,632	
76. Mental Hygiene	..	..	..	..	..	..	753,242	
							<hr/>	4,519,211
	FUEL AND POWER.							
78. Ministry of Fuel and Power	..	..	..	..	..	..		1,799
	RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.							
79. Railway Construction Board	..	..	..	..	..	..		7,443
	TRANSPORT.							
80. Ministry of Transport	..	..	..	..	..	..		1,575
	FORESTS.							
81. Forests Commission	..	..	..	..	..	..		81,700
	WATER SUPPLY.							
82. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission	..	..	..	..	..	..		240,108
	RAILWAYS.							
83. Railways	..	..	..	..	..	..		2,716,840
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..		<hr/><hr/>\$12,982,672

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

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1969–70 the sum of \$12,982,672 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

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

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

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

46. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 1969–70) BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Twelve million nine hundred and eighty-two thousand six hundred and seventy-two dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine and One thousand nine hundred and seventy*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

47. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Section 34 of the ‘Wheat Marketing Act 1969’*”.

48. WHEAT MARKETING (SPECIAL QUOTAS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

49. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Joint Select Committee (Meat Industry) Bill.
 Joint Select Committee (Road Safety) Bill.
50. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or, if Mr. Speaker is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
51. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the House :—
Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.
52. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at thirty-three minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or the Chairman of Committees and notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter, as determined by resolution of the House at this sitting.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MEMBER SWORN.—The Honorable John Frederick Rossiter, took and subscribed the Oath required by law.
3. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—ABORTION BOARD OF INQUIRY.—Sir Arthur Rylah made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the Government's reasons for not tabling the Board of Inquiry's report in the House at this stage.

Motion made, by leave, and question—That this House take note of the Ministerial Statement (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 42.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Bornstein	(<i>Portland</i>)
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lind
Mr. Borthwick	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Broad	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Crellin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Doyle	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Holding	
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Simmonds
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Templeton	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Trezise
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox		
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Rafferty	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		
Mr. Reese			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

4. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—ABANDONMENT OF BALLARAT AND BENDIGO TRAMWAYS.—Mr. Balfour made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the intention to abandon the tramways conducted by the State Electricity Commission in Ballarat and Bendigo.

Motion made, by leave, and question proposed—That this House take note of the Ministerial Statement (*Mr. Balfour*).

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

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

5. PAPERS.—Mr. Reid presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Supreme Court—Report of the Judges for the year 1969.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—

Agricultural Colleges Advisory Committee (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 148).

Agricultural Colleges (Cadets in Training) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 126).

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (General) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 138).

Apprenticeship (Shipwrighting and Boatbuilding Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 167).

Births, Still-births, Deaths and Marriages—General Abstract showing the numbers registered during the year 1969.

Coal Mines Act 1958—Coal Mines (East Area Wonthaggi Mine Owner's Pensions Fund Contributions) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 123).

Coroners Act 1958—Coroners (Post-mortem Fees and Expenses) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 125).

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—

Country Fire Authority (Contributions) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 130).

Country Fire Authority (Expenses of Officers and Employees Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 132).

Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 80) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 112).

Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 81) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 161).

Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 82) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 179).

Education Act 1958—

Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1970, No. 5 (S.R. No. 127).

Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1970, No. 6 (S.R. No. 134).

Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1970, No. 7 (S.R. No. 170).

Resumption of Land at East Mooroolbark and Grovedale—Certificates of the Minister of Education (two papers).

Evidence Act 1958—Court Reporting (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 124).

Explosives Act 1960—

Order in Council—Classification of Explosives (S.R. No. 143).

Report of the Chief Inspector of Explosives for the year 1969.

Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents Act 1965—Farm Produce Disputes Committee (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 149).

Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Shire of Creswick Museum Exemption) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 165).

Fisheries Act 1968—

Fishing (Scallop) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 154).

The Commercial Fishing Licences Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 157).

Game Act 1958—Proclamation revoking proclamations defining certain areas as sanctuaries for native game (S.R. No. 140).

Gas Act 1969—

Gas (Emergency Powers) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 141).

Gas (Emergency Powers) Regulations 1970 No. 2 (S.R. No. 144).

Gas (Emergency Powers Rescission) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 163).

Geelong Harbor Trust Commissioners—Statement of accounts for the year 1969.

Groundwater Act 1969—Groundwater Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 168).

Health Act 1958—Public Building (Amusement Park Structures, Travelling Shows, &c.) Amendment Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 169).

Hospitals Superannuation Act 1965—

Hospitals Superannuation (Board) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 145).

Hospitals Superannuation (Board) Regulations 1970 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 158).

Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Board of Examiners—Fees and Allowances) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 178).

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Supreme Court Library Fund Investment (Amendment No. 2) Rules (S.R. No. 118).

Local Government Act 1958—Local Government (Market Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 117).

Marine Act 1958—

Marine Passenger Boat Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 172).

Marine Compass and Compass Adjustment Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 128).

Marine (Radio Telephony) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 180).

Survey and Equipment of Fishing Vessels (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 129).

- Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—
 Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 147).
 Marketing of Primary Products (Polls and Elections) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 139).
- Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works By-law No. 103 (S.R. No. 113).
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Melbourne Harbor Trust Long Service Leave Regulations (Amendment No. 1/70) (S.R. No. 155).
- Melbourne University—Financial Statement for the year 1968.
- Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board (Contributions) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 131).
- Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Dairy Produce Board (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 150).
- Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—Milk Pasteurization Committee (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 151).
- Mines Department—Report for the year 1968.
- Motor Boating Act 1961—Motor Boating (Yarriambiack Creek) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 136).
- Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Regrooved Tyres on Trailers) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 156).
- National Parks Authority—Report for the year 1967–68.—Ordered to be printed.
- Police Regulation Act 1958—
 Determinations Nos. 164, 165, 166, and 167 of the Police Service Board (four papers).
 Police (Authorized Strength No. 1) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 137).
- Port Phillip Authority—Report for the period ended 30th June, 1969.—Ordered to be printed.
- Public Service Act 1958—Regulations amended—
 Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations (S.R. Nos. 116 and 160) (two papers).
 Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations (Nos. 489 to 557) (sixty-nine papers).
- Public Trustee Act 1958—Public Trustee (Charges) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 162).
- Railways Act 1958—
 By-law No. 351—By-law amended (S.R. No. 173).
 Reports of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarters ended 31st December, 1969 and 31st March, 1970 (two papers).
- River Improvement Act 1958—River Improvement and Drainage Trusts (Long Service Leave) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 111).
- Seeds Act 1958—Seeds (Pasture Seed Certification) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 176).
- Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 6) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 164).
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 7) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 166).
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 8) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 171).
- Sewerage Districts Act 1958—Sewerage Authorities (Long Service Leave) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 110).
- State Electricity Commission Act 1958—
 Electrical Approvals Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 146).
 Notice and statement of intention to abandon tramways conducted by the State Electricity Commission in the City of Ballarat, Borough of Sebastopol, City of Bendigo and the Borough of Eaglehawk.
 State Electricity Commission Cathodic Protection Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 133).
- Stock Diseases Act 1968—Stock Diseases Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 175).
- Stock Medicines Act 1958—Stock Medicines Board (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 152).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—
 Supreme Court (Adjournment) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 159).
 Supreme Court (Costs) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 122).
 Supreme Court (Probate Costs) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 121).
- Supreme Court Act 1958 and Companies Act 1961—Supreme Court (Companies Amendment) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 120).
- Supreme Court Act 1958 and Evidence Act 1958—Supreme Court (Evidence Act) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 119).
- Teaching Service Act 1958—Regulations amended—
 Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (nineteen papers).
 Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations (five papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

Planning Schemes—

- City of Colac Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 4, 1970.
- City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendments Nos. 33, 1968 and 55, 57, 61, 62, 65, 67, 69, 1969 (eight papers).
- Cobram Planning Scheme 1949, Amendment No. 9, 1969.
- Corryong Planning Scheme 1960, Amendment No. 3, 1969.
- Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 14, 1969 (Shire of South Barwon).
- Latrobe Valley Sub-regional Planning Scheme 1949, Amendment No. 16, 1970.
- Morwell Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 29, 1969.
- Shire of Barrabool Planning Scheme 1966, Amendment No. 1, 1970.
- Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment No. 39, 1970.
- Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962, Amendments Nos. 8, 1967 ; 10, 1968 ; 14, 19, 1969, and 23, 1970 (five papers).
- Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 48, 1970.
- Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendments Nos. 24 and 27, 1969 (two papers).

Regulations—

- Town Planning Appeals (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 142).
- Transport Regulation Act 1958 and Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958—Transport Consolidated (Suburban Taxis) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 115).
- Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965—Statute 8.1.2—Degree of Master of Pharmacy (Revision) (S.R. No. 114).
- Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 153).
- Water Act 1958—
 - Local Water Authorities (Long Service Leave) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 109).
 - Local Water Authorities (Long Service Leave) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 174).
- Wheat Marketing Act 1969—
 - Wheat Marketing (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 135).
 - Wheat Marketing (Further Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 177).

6. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
- Consolidated Revenue (Supply—July to September, 1970) Bill.
 - Consolidated Revenue (Supplementary Estimates 1969–70) Bill.
7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 5)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on 23rd June last, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
- Wheat Marketing (Special Quotas) Bill.
 - Joint Select Committee (Meat Industry) Bill.
 - Joint Select Committee (Road Safety) Bill.
 - Consolidated Revenue (Supply—July to September, 1970) Bill.
 - Consolidated Revenue (Supplementary Estimates 1969–70) Bill.
8. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Motor Car Act 1969 ’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Parking of Vehicles at Parliament House and in Alpine Resorts, to amend the ‘ Road Traffic Act 1958 ’ in relation to the Parking of Vehicles at Parliament House and in Alpine Resorts, to amend the ‘ Parliamentary Committees Act 1968 ’ and for other purposes*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Lotteries Gaming and Betting Act 1966 ’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
11. HOME FINANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Home Finance Act 1962 ’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
12. DISCHARGED SERVICEMEN’S PREFERENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Discharged Servicemen’s Preference Act 1943 ’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
13. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Crimes Act 1958 ’, and Section 141 of the ‘ Justices Act 1958 ’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

14. EVIDENCE (SCIENTIFIC TESTS) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Evidence Act 1958’, and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
15. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
16. HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rossiter, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Hospitals Superannuation Act 1965’, and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
17. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS’ LIABILITY) BILL.—Mr. Wilcox, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Civil Aviation (Carriers’ Liability) Act 1961’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
18. BOILERS AND PRESSURE VESSELS BILL.—Mr. Rafferty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law with respect to Matters relating to Boilers and Pressure Vessels, and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
19. FOOTWEAR REGULATION BILL.—Mr. Rafferty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend and consolidate the Law regulating the Manufacture and Sale of Footwear and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
20. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Balfour, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend Part III. of the ‘Groundwater Act 1969’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
21. RIVER IMPROVEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘River Improvement Act 1958’ and the ‘Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958’, and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
22. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SUPPLY—OCTOBER TO DECEMBER, 1970.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

1970.

VICTORIA.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1970–71.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 6.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly an estimate of expenditure for the months of October, November and December in the year 1970–71, and recommends an appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 15th September, 1970.

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

23. LAND CONSERVATION BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to make Better Provision in relation to the Conservation of Public Land and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
24. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1 and 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
25. SUPPLY—OCTOBER TO DECEMBER, 1970.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress; to sit again to-morrow.
26. LAND CONSERVATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 6th October next.

27. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at forty-five minutes past One o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
28. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 1, 2, and 4 be postponed until to-morrow.
29. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 3.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulation amended (No. 558).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 64, 1969.
3. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 23 of the ‘ Land Settlement Act 1959 ’ and the ‘ Soldier Settlement Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—WEST MELBOURNE MARKET LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 7.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the *West Melbourne Market Land Act 1956* and the *Melbourne Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable Market Act 1968*, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 15th September, 1970.

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

5. WEST MELBOURNE MARKET LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 7.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Borthwick and Mr. Balfour do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ West Melbourne Market Land Act 1956 ’ and the ‘ Melbourne Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable Market Act 1968 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 8.

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

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 15th September, 1970.

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

7. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 8.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

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

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

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

Mr. Balfour then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section Seventeen of the ‘ Gas and Fuel Corporation Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—JUDGES' PENSIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 9.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to repeal sub-section (6) of section 14 of the *County Court Act 1958* and paragraph (d) of sub-section (3) of section 12 of the *Supreme Court Act 1958* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 14th September, 1970.

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

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

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

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

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

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

Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to repeal sub-section (6) of section 14 of the ‘ County Court Act 1958 ’ and paragraph (d) of sub-section (3) of section 12 of the ‘ Supreme Court Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

10. IMPERIAL ACTS APPLICATION (REPEALS) BILL.—Mr. Reid, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Imperial Acts Application Act 1922 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

11. ABORTION BOARD OF INQUIRY—REPORT AND DOCUMENTS.—Motion made and question—That an Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor praying that he will cause to be laid before this House a copy of the report and all relevant documents of the Board of Inquiry to inquire and report as to whether there is credible evidence raising a strong or probable presumption that any and, if so, which members of the Victoria Police Force (either past or present) have been guilty of criminal offences by demanding or accepting sums of money directly or indirectly from persons engaged in or connected with illegal abortion practices in Victoria or by protecting or wilfully failing to prosecute such persons in respect of such practices (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 20.		Noes, 40.
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Balfour
Mr. Bornstein	(Portland)	Mr. Billing
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lind	Mr. Birrell
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Borthwick
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Broad
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Dunstan
Mr. Holding		Mr. Evans
Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>	(Ballarat North)
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell	Mr. Evans
(Dundas)	Mr. Mutton	(Gippsland East)
		Mrs. Goble
		Mr. Hayes
		Mr. Loxton
		Mr. McDonald
		(Rodney)
		Mr. McLaren
		Mr. Maclellan
		Mr. Manson
		Mr. Meagher
		Mr. Mitchell
		Mr. Rafferty
		Mr. Reese
		Mr. Reid
		Mr. Ross-Edwards
		Mr. Rossiter
		Sir Arthur Rylah
		Mr. Scanlan
		Mr. Smith
		(Bellarine)
		Mr. Smith
		(Warrnambool)
		Mr. Stephen
		Sir Edgar Tanner
		Mr. Taylor
		(Balwyn)
		Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Whiting
		Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. Wiltshire
		<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Dixon
		Mr. Jona

And so it passed in the negative.

12. FAMILY COURTS BILL.—Mr. Wilkes, pursuant to amended notice of motion, obtained leave, with Mr. Turnbull, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to make Provision for the Establishment of certain Magistrates’ Courts as Family Courts for the better Determination of Disputes or Matters affecting Family Life to vest Family Courts with certain Jurisdiction and Powers and for Purposes connected therewith*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
13. PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSIONER (OMBUDSMAN) BILL.—Mr. Wilkes obtained leave, with Mr. Wilton, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to make Provision for the Appointment and Functions of a Parliamentary Commissioner (Ombudsman) and for Purposes connected therewith*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
14. URBAN RENEWAL BILL.—Mr. Edmunds obtained leave, with Mr. Shilton, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to provide for the Exercise of Jurisdiction in Creation of Plans for the Construction and Restoration of Cities and Urban Areas*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
15. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 29th September instant.
16. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
17. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 30th September instant.
18. HOME FINANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
19. DISCHARGED SERVICEMEN’S PREFERENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
20. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

21. EVIDENCE (SCIENTIFIC TESTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
22. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
23. HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 30th September instant.
24. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
25. FOOTWEAR REGULATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
26. BOILERS AND PRESSURE VESSELS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 30th September instant.
27. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
28. RIVER IMPROVEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
29. JUDGES' PENSIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Read a second time, after debate, with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Assembly, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Assembly.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
30. WEST MELBOURNE MARKET LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
31. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 30th September instant.
32. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Nos. 15 and 16 be postponed until after No. 17.
33. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 8 *ante*) ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
34. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Rafferty*)—put and agreed to.
35. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Nos. 15, 16, 18 and 19 be postponed until Tuesday next.
36. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at forty-four minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 22ND SEPTEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITIONS—DENTAL CLINIC FOR THE GEELONG AREA.—Mr. Trezise and Mr. Birrell, respectively, presented Petitions from certain citizens of Victoria praying that the House take action to establish a dental clinic for pensioners and low income families in the Geelong area.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table.
3. ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE.—Mr. Dixon, Chairman, brought up the Fifth Progress Report from the Road Safety Committee upon an Aspect of the Alcohol and Drug Factor—The Desirability of Compulsory Breath Analysis Tests for Motor Car Drivers suspected of having a Blood Alcohol Content in excess of .05 per cent. ; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendices to be printed.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Boilers Inspection Act 1958—Boilers Inspection (Board of Reference Fees and Travelling Allowances) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 183).
 - Explosives Act 1960—Order in Council—Classification of Explosives (S.R. No. 184).
 - Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Wages Boards) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 182).
 - Liquor Control Act 1968—Liquor Control (King River Canteen) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 181).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 559 to 563) (five papers).
 - Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 30th June, 1970.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Planning Schemes—
 - City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965—Amendment Nos. 74 and 74A, 1970 (two papers).
 - Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 13, 1969 (City of Geelong).
5. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES—VACANCY IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received the following communication :—

Minister of Education,
Treasury Place,
Melbourne, Vic. 3002.
21st September, 1970.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Section 7 of the *Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965* provides that three members of the Council shall be Members of the Parliament of Victoria who have been recommended for appointment by a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly conducted in accordance with the rules adopted for the purpose by the Members present at the sitting.

A vacancy on the Council has occurred by virtue of Section 14 through the retirement from the Parliament of The Honorable Samuel Merrifield who had been appointed to the Council for a four year period which expires on the 7th June, 1971. I should be grateful if you would, in accordance with Section 15 of the Act, arrange for a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to recommend a person to fill the vacancy for the unexpired portion of The Honorable Mr. Merrifield's term of office.

Yours sincerely,
L. H. S. THOMPSON,
Minister of Education.

The Hon. V. Christie, M.L.A.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne, 3002.

6. SUPPLY—OCTOBER TO DECEMBER, 1970.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$152,631,400 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1970–71, viz. :—

Division No.	\$
1. Legislative Council—Expenses of Select Committees	900
2. Legislative Assembly—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	50,700
3. Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee— Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	40,500
4. Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c.	50,000
5. Parliament Library—Salaries and General Expenses	14,000
6. Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses	30,700
7. Governor's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	24,500
8. Premier's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	296,000
9. State Film Centre—Salaries and General Expenses	43,500
10. Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	186,400
11. State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	45,000
12. Agent-General—Salaries and General Expenses	35,000
13. Public Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	150,000
14. Public Service Board Electronic Data Processing Service Bureau— Salaries and General Expenses	85,000
15. Audit Office—Salaries and General Expenses	160,600
16. Chief Secretary's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	132,700
17. Totalizator Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	16,300
18. State Accident Insurance Office—Salaries	170,000
19. State Motor Car Insurance Office—Salaries	213,000
20. Workers' Compensation Board—Salaries	18,300
21. Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	286,000
22. Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses	15,700
23. Government Statist—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	134,000
24. Police—Salaries and General Expenses	7,780,000
25. Police Service Board—Salaries and General Expenses	2,000
26. State Library, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	74,900
27. State Library—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	225,400
28. National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	44,200
29. Institute of Applied Science—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	38,500
30. National Gallery—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	200,000
31. Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	27,000
32. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	97,300
33. Family Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,550,000
34. Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	580,000
35. Prisons—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	990,000
36. Training—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	40,500
37. Probation and Parole—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	115,000
38. Labour and Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	427,000
39. Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	59,000,000
40. Teachers Tribunal—Salaries and General Expenses	13,000
41. Attorney-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	365,000
42. Courts Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,225,000
43. Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles—Salaries and General Expenses	451,000
44. Registrar of Companies—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	95,000
45. Rent Control—Salaries and General Expenses	15,400
46. Public Trustee—Salaries and General Expenses	180,000
47. Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	11,328,000
48. Pay-roll Tax—Payment to Commonwealth Government	1,500,000
49. Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses	70,000
50. State Superannuation Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	80,000
51. Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	45,500
52. Taxation Office—Salaries, General Expenses and Other Services	225,000
53. Stamp Duties—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	210,000
54. Government Printer—Salaries and General Expenses	890,000
55. Crown Lands Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	620,000
56. Survey—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	410,000
57. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General Expenses	75,000

Division No.	\$
58. Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,130,000
59. Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	520,000
60. Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	119,000
61. Valuer-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	128,000
62. Weights and Measures—Salaries and General Expenses ..	65,000
63. Town and Country Planning Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	77,000
64. Mines—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	360,000
65. Explosives—Salaries and General Expenses	36,800
66. Gas Regulation—Salaries	11,400
67. Agriculture Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	465,000
68. Agricultural Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	266,000
69. Agriculture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	428,000
70. Horticulture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	495,000
71. Animal Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	309,000
72. Animal Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	206,000
73. Dairying—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	318,000
74. Extension Services—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	45,200
75. Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	10,000,000
76. General Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,280,000
77. Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	880,000
78. Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,670,000
79. Mental Hygiene—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	6,800,000
80. Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs—Contribution to Aboriginal Affairs Fund	90,000
81. Ministry of Fuel and Power—Salaries and General Expenses	15,000
82. Railway Construction Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	38,500
83. Ministry of Transport—Salaries and General Expenses	10,000
84. Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	980,000
85. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	3,200,000
86. Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	30,500,000
Total	\$152,631,400

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

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1970–71 the sum of \$152,631,400 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

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

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

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

8. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE (SUPPLY—OCTOBER TO DECEMBER, 1970) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of One hundred and fifty-two million six hundred and thirty-one thousand four hundred dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

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

10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 7 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

WEDNESDAY, 23RD SEPTEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Wheelers Hill—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - State Savings Bank—Reports, statements, returns, &c., for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
3. INCIDENTS BETWEEN POLICE AND LA TROBE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS.—Motion made and question—That an all party Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate the serious allegations concerning incidents involving members of the Victoria Police and students of La Trobe University on Wednesday, 16th September (*Mr. Holding*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 19.	Noes, 40.
Mr. Amos	Mr. Balfour
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Billing
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Birrell
Mr. Doube	Sir Henry Bolte
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Broad
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Dixon
Mr. Holding	Mr. Doyle
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Dunstan
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Evans
(<i>Dundas</i>)	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)
	Mrs. Goble
	Mr. Hayes
	Mr. Jona
	Mr. Loxton
	Mr. McCabe
	Mr. McLaren
	Mr. Maclellan
	Mr. Manson
	Mr. Meagher
	Mr. Rafferty
	Mr. Reese
	Mr. Reid
	Mr. Ross-Edwards
	Mr. Rossiter
	Sir Arthur Rylah
	Mr. Scanlan
	Mr. Smith
	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
	Mr. Stephen
	Mr. Stokes
	Sir Edgar Tanner
	Mr. Taylor
	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
	Mr. Thompson
	Mr. Trethewey
	Mr. Trewin
	Mr. Wheeler
	Mr. Whiting
	Mr. Wiltshire
	<i>Tellers.</i>
	Mr. Smith
	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
	Mr. Taylor
	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

4. IMPERIAL ACTS APPLICATION (REPEALS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
5. IMPERIAL ACTS APPLICATION (REPEALS) BILL.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the proposals contained in the Imperial Acts Application (Repeals) Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
6. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 7th October next.
7. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 7th October next.
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. HOME FINANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 6 to 8 inclusive be postponed until after Nos. 9 and 10.
11. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. CIVIL AVIATION (CARRIERS' LIABILITY) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time, after debate. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
13. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Wilcox*)—put and agreed to.
14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 6 to 8 inclusive, and 11 to 18 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
15. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at nine minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Aircraft Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 185).
 - Apprenticeship (Engineering Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 186).
 - Co-operative Housing Societies—Report of the Registrar for the year 1968–69.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Co-operative Societies—Report of the Registrar for the year 1968–69.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Dried Fruits Act 1958—
 - Dried Fruits (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 187).
 - Statement of accounts of the Victorian Dried Fruits Board for the year 1969.
 - Health Act 1958—Animal Food (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 188).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 168 of the Police Service Board.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 11, 1969 (Shire of Corio).
 - Valuation of Land Act 1960—Valuers' Qualification Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 189).
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—
1970.

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, 1970–71.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 10.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the year 1970–71 in lieu of the Estimates of Expenditure for the first six months of the year 1970–71, transmitted on the 17th June, 1970, and 15th September, 1970, and recommends an appropriation accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 29th September, 1970.

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

4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1969–70.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 11.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly Final Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for the year 1969–70, and recommends an appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue accordingly.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 29th September, 1970.

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

5. RESIGNATION OF MEMBERS FROM STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.—
Mr. Speaker announced that he had received the following communications :—

THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
SPRING STREET,
MELBOURNE.
29th September, 1970.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

I am directed to advise that the resignation by Mr. R. S. L. McDonald as a member of the State Development Committee has been submitted, this day, to the Governor in Council in pursuance of the provisions of Section 5 (1) of the *State Development Committee Act 1958*.

Yours faithfully,
J. ROSSITER,
Official Secretary.

The Honorable the Speaker,
Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
MELBOURNE, VIC. 3001.

THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
SPRING STREET,
MELBOURNE.
29th September, 1970.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

I am directed to advise that the resignation by Mr. T. C. Trewin as a member of the Public Works Committee has been submitted, this day, to the Governor in Council in pursuance of the provisions of Section 5 (1) of the *Public Works Committee Act 1958*.

Yours faithfully,
J. ROSSITER,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Honorable the Speaker,
Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne, Vic. 3002.

6. MONASH UNIVERSITY—VACANCY IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received the following communication :—

MINISTER OF EDUCATION
TREASURY PLACE,
MELBOURNE, VIC. 3002.
28th September, 1970.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Section 7 of the *Monash University Act 1958* provides that three members of the Council of the University shall be Members of the Parliament of Victoria who have been recommended for appointment by a joint sitting of Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly and conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by the Members at the sitting.

A vacancy on the Council has occurred by virtue of Section 9 (2) of the *Monash University Act 1958* following the resignation of Dr. H. A. Jenkins from the Legislative Assembly.

In the filling of casual vacancies the Act prescribes "the election or appointment shall be made by the person or body of persons by whom or which the member whose office has become vacant was elected or appointed". Consequently, I would be pleased if you could arrange for a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to recommend a person to fill the vacancy for the balance of Dr. Jenkins' term of office which was for four years from the 12th December, 1967.

I have addressed a similar letter to the President of the Legislative Council.

Yours truly,
L. H. S. THOMPSON,
Minister of Education.

The Hon. Vernon Christie, M.L.A.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne, Vic. 3002.

7. SUPPLY—BUDGET.—The House, according to order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
8. SUPPLY—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1969-70.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—VACANCY IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCILS OF VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES AND OF MONASH UNIVERSITY.—Acquainting the Assembly that they have agreed to the following resolution :—
That this House meet the Legislative Assembly for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose a Member of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges and to choose a Member of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University—and requesting the Assembly to name the place and time of such meeting.
Motion made and question—That this House meet the Legislative Council for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose a Member of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges and to choose a Member of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University—and, as requested by the Legislative Council to name the place and time of such meeting, name the Legislative Assembly Chamber on Tuesday next at Six o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Legislative Council acquainting them accordingly.
10. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*) be discharged from attendance on the Statute Law Revision Committee and Mr. Doyle be appointed in his stead (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
11. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Broad be discharged from attendance on the Subordinate Legislation Committee and Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) be appointed in his stead (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
12. PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Ross-Edwards be discharged from attendance on the Public Accounts Committee and Mr. Doube be appointed in his stead (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
13. STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Stephen be appointed a member of the State Development Committee (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
14. PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. Broad be appointed a member of the Public Works Committee (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after Nos. 3 and 4.
16. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming debate adjourned on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
17. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming debate adjourned on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Consolidated Revenue (Supply—October to December, 1970) Bill without amendment.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive.
20. DISCHARGED SERVICEMEN'S PREFERENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
21. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

22. EVIDENCE (SCIENTIFIC TESTS) BILL—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
23. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
24. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Nos. 2 and 8 to 14 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
25. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at thirty-nine minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 7.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Anti-Cancer Council of Victoria—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.
Dairy Products Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 31st December, 1969.
3. SECOND-HAND DEALERS (CHARITY COLLECTORS) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Second-hand Dealers Act 1958 ’ to control and license Collectors of Articles for or on behalf of Charitable Organizations, to make an amendment to the ‘ Local Government Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (PERPETUAL TRUSTEES AUSTRALIA LIMITED) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to constitute Perpetual Trustees Australia Limited a Trustee Company within the meaning of the ‘ Trustees Companies Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
5. RIVER ENTRANCE DOCKS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Mr. Wilcox obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to authorize the Construction of a Line of Railway to connect the Railway from Melbourne to Port Melbourne with the Docks at the Mouth of the Yarra River and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
6. DISCHARGED SERVICEMEN’S PREFERENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desire therein.
7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—URBAN RENEWAL BILL (No. 2).—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 12.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to make Provision for the Replanning Redevelopment and Restoration of Certain Areas and to amend the *Housing Act 1958*, the *Local Government Act 1958* and the *Town and Country Planning Act 1961*.

The Governor’s Office,
Melbourne, 30th September, 1970.

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

8. URBAN RENEWAL BILL (No. 2).—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 12.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Meagher and Mr. Wilcox do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Meagher then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision for the Replanning Redevelopment and Restoration of Certain Areas and to amend the ‘ Housing Act 1958 ’ the ‘ Local Government Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Town and Country Planning Act 1961 ’* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and to be read a second time to-morrow.
9. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (PERPETUAL TRUSTEES AUSTRALIA LIMITED) BILL.—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, except those relating to the payment of fees, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
10. RIVER ENTRANCE DOCKS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 14th October next.
11. FOOTWEAR REGULATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 12 inclusive be postponed until after No. 13.
13. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 8 *ante*) ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
14. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past ten o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 12 inclusive and Nos. 14 to 16 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
16. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 8.

THURSDAY, 1ST OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—WESTERN SUBURBS PRIMARY TEACHERS' COLLEGE.—Mr. Floyd presented a Petition from certain citizens of Victoria praying that the House will take action to have a primary teachers' college established in the western suburbs of Melbourne.
Ordered to lie on the Table.

3. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment No. 27, 1969.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive.
5. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
6. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
7. RIVER IMPROVEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 5 to 12 inclusive be postponed until after No. 13.
9. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 8 *ante*) ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 5 and 6.
11. WEST MELBOURNE MARKET LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 7 to 12 inclusive, and 14 be postponed until after No. 15.
14. WAYS AND MEANS—PINBALL MACHINE PERMIT FEES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—
Resolved—That under and subject to the *Lotteries Gaming and Betting Act 1966* as proposed to be amended by the Lotteries Gaming and Betting (Amendment) Bill there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors the fees set forth hereunder, namely—
Upon every application for a permit for the use of a pinball machine \$10.00
Upon the issue of any permit for the use of a pinball machine or any renewal of such a permit . . . \$10.00
Ordered—That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
15. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 7 and 8.
17. HOSPITALS SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

18. **BOILERS AND PRESSURE VESSELS BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.

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

19. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 13)**—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill, presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Consolidated Revenue (Supply—October to December, 1970) Bill.

POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until after No. 9.

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

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

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

22. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 10 to 12 inclusive, 14 and 16 and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 9.

TUESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. BANK ADVANCES TO CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a Return showing—
 1. The number of advances made during each of the past ten financial years by the State Savings Bank to Co-operative Housing Societies, specifying in each instance the name of the Society and the amount.
 2. The total amount made available to societies during each of those years by—(a) the Commonwealth Savings Bank ; and (b) other savings banks indicating which banks.
 —(Mr. Clarey)—put and agreed to.
3. PAPER—Sir Arthur Rylah presented—
Bank Advances to Co-operative Housing Societies—Return to the foregoing Order.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—Agricultural Colleges (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 203).
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Automotive Machining Trade) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 197).
 - Apprenticeship (Boilermaking Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 199).
 - Apprenticeship (Country Printing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 200).
 - Apprenticeship (Electroplating Trade) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 195).
 - Apprenticeship (Instrument Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 205).
 - Apprenticeship (Motor Mechanics Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 194).
 - Apprenticeship (Optical Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 193).
 - Apprenticeship (Patternmaking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 196).
 - Apprenticeship (Plumbing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 202).
 - Apprenticeship (Printing Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 201).
 - Apprenticeship (Sheet Metal Trade) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 192).
 - Apprenticeship (Vehicle Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 198).
 - Evidence Act 1958—Regulations relating to Examination of Applicants for Licence as Shorthand Writers—Regulations amended.
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—
 - Police (Amendment to Summer Period) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 190).
 - Police (Height) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 191).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Shepparton Planning Scheme 1953, Amendment No. 19, 1969.
 - Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 5) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 204).

5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 14.

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

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 6th October, 1970.

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

6. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 14.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Balfour and Mr. Wilcox do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Balfour then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Part III. of the ‘Coal Mines Act 1958’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
7. LAND CONSERVATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
8. VACANCY IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCILS OF VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES AND OF MONASH UNIVERSITY.—Mr. Speaker announced that the time had arrived for the House to meet the Legislative Council in the Legislative Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose a Member of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges and to choose a Member of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University.
Accordingly Mr. Speaker left the Chair at fifty-seven minutes past Five o'clock, and resumed it at eight minutes past Eight o'clock.
9. LAND CONSERVATION BILL.—Read a second time, after debate and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
10. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—LAND CONSERVATION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 15.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to make Better Provision in relation to the Conservation of Public Land and for other purposes.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 18th September, 1970.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
11. LAND CONSERVATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 15.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive be postponed until after No. 5.
13. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 8 *ante*) ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. McCabe*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
14. VACANCY IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCILS OF VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES AND OF MONASH UNIVERSITY.—Mr. Speaker reported that the House had, that day, met the Legislative Council in the Legislative Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose a Member of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges and to choose a Member of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University and that Cyril Thomas Edmunds, Esquire, M.L.A., and Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.L.A., respectively, had been duly chosen.
15. LAND CONSERVATION BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Architects Act 1958 ’* ”.
17. ARCHITECTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Balfour, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Part I. of the ‘ Summary Offences Act 1966 ’* ”.
19. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—On the motion of Sir Arthur Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
20. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958 ’ in relation to Constitution of the Authority and for other purposes* ”.
21. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
22. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Two o’clock (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
23. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive, and Nos. 6 to 9 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Coal Mines (Pensions Increase) Bill—Second reading.
24. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at twenty minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 10.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—RE-OPENING OF MALDON-SHELBOURNE RAILWAY LINE.—Mr. Shilton presented a Petition from certain residents of Maldon and Shelbourne Districts praying that the House will take action to re-open the railway line from Maldon to Shelbourne and for the consequent re-opening of the Shelbourne railway station.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 564 to 567 (four papers).
4. COMMONWEALTH-STATE RELATIONSHIPS.—Motion made and question proposed—That the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, recognizing that the present relationships between the Commonwealth of Australia and the States call for urgent review and that a durable and acceptable adjustment of powers and responsibilities within the Federal system can only be achieved by effective amendments to the Commonwealth Constitution, request the Government of Victoria to invite the other States to join with the Victorian Parliament in preparing such amendments, and subsequently in conferring with the Commonwealth Parliament with a view to submitting agreed amendments to a referendum of the Australian people (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate now be adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

5. STAMPS BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Sir Arthur Rylah, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Stamps Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. MONEY LENDERS (PRESCRIBED INTEREST) BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Sir Arthur Rylah, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Money Lenders Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASS TO FARMS) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Summary Offences Act 1966 ’ with respect to Trespassing for certain Purposes upon Lands used in connexion with Primary Production* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
8. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (THE GAS SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Mr. Balfour, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Sir Arthur Rylah, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill relating to the Purchase by the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria of the Gas Undertakings of the The Gas Supply Company Limited and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
9. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP CLOSING) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Sir Arthur Rylah, obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Labour and Industry Act 1958 ’ to require the Closing of Certain Shops on Certain Days* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
10. HISTORIC RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—Mr. Edmunds obtained leave, with Mr. Fordham, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision for the Preservation of Aboriginal and Historic Relics* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
11. SOCIAL WELFARE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Bornstein obtained leave, with Mr. Wilkes, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Social Welfare Act 1960 ’ to provide for a Scientific Approach to Social Welfare based on an Overall View of Society and the Utilization of Information gained from Social Research* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
13. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
14. SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASS TO FARMS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 3 to 5 inclusive.
16. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
17. EVIDENCE (SCIENTIFIC TESTS) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with an amendment; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. URBAN RENEWAL BILL (NO. 2).—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 28th October instant.
19. ARCHITECTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

20. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

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

Liquor Control Commission—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.

Social Welfare Department—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.

22. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (PERPETUAL TRUSTEES AUSTRALIA LIMITED) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

23. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Home Finance (Amendment) Bill without amendment.

24. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP CLOSING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

25. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

26. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (BORROWING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time : debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

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

28. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 to 15 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

Gas and Fuel Corporation (The Gas Supply Company Limited) Bill—Second reading.

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

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 11.

TUESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PREMIERS' CONFERENCE.—Sir Henry Bolte made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the Premiers' Conference on Receipts Tax, held on Thursday, 8th October, 1970.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Dental Mechanic Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 227).
 - Apprenticeship (Electrical Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 228).
 - Apprenticeship (Moulding Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 226).
 - Apprenticeship (Refrigeration Trade) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 215).
 - Apprenticeship (Silver Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 216).
 - Apprenticeship (Watch Making Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 225).
 - Country Fire Authority Act 1958—
 - Country Fire Authority (Duties and Conduct of Officers and Employees Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 212).
 - Country Fire Authority (Expenses of Officers and Employees Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 214).
 - Country Fire Authority (Meetings and Expenses of Members Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 213).
 - Country Fire Authority (Regional Advisory Committees Travelling Expenses Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 211).
 - County Court Act 1958—County Court (Fees) Order 1970 (S.R. No. 230).
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Lalor—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Fisheries Act 1958—Commercial Fisheries Council (Travelling Allowances) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 207).
 - Instruments Act 1958—Instruments (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 220).
 - Justices Act 1958—Justices Act (Fees, Costs and Charges) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 219).
 - Library Council of Victoria Act 1965—Library Council of Victoria (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 208).
 - Motor Boating Act 1961—Motor Boating (Port of Gippsland Lakes Speed Restrictions) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 206).
 - Printers and Newspapers Act 1958—Printers and Newspapers (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 223).
 - Property Law Act 1958—Property Law (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 222).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 568.
 - Racing Act 1958—
 - Racing (Dog Racing Control Board) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 210).
 - Racing (Racecourses Licences Board Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 209).
 - Religious Successory and Charitable Trusts Act 1958—Religious Successory and Charitable Trusts Act (Fees) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 224).
 - Sale of Land Act 1962—Sale of Land (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 229).
 - Supreme Court Act 1958—
 - Supreme Court (Court Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 218).
 - Supreme Court (Payment into Court) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 231).
 - Supreme Court (Sheriff's Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 217).
 - Third Party Insurance—Report of the Premiums Committee for the year 1968–69.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954, Amendment No. 38, 1970.
 - Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 43, 1969.
 - Transfer of Land Act 1958—Transfer of Land (Fees) Order 1970 (S.R. No. 221).

4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Co-operative Housing Societies (Amendment) Bill without amendment.
5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 16)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Home Finance (Amendment) Bill.
Co-operative Housing Societies (Amendment) Bill.
6. WESTERNPORT DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Mr. Balfour, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give Effect to a Supplementary Agreement between the Premier for and on behalf of the State of Victoria and Hematite Petroleum Proprietary Limited and Esso Exploration and Production Australia Inc. with respect to Port Facilities in Westernport and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
7. METHODIST CHURCH (VICTORIA) PROPERTY TRUST BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to constitute the Methodist Church (Victoria) Property Trust, to define its Powers, Authorities, Duties and Functions, to make Provision for and in relation to the Vesting in the Methodist Church (Victoria) Property Trust of Lands held for and on behalf of the Methodist Church in Victoria, to repeal Act No. 72, ‘ The Victorian Wesleyan Methodists’ Act 1887 ’ and the ‘ Methodist Union Act 1902 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
8. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Legal Profession Practice Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
9. HAIRDRESSERS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rossiter, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Hairdressers Registration (Amendment) Act 1968 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time; ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Mr. Rossiter, obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Apprenticeship Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
11. LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Land Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
12. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Sewerage Districts Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
13. SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASSERS) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 9 and Section 52 of the ‘ Summary Offences Act 1966 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—STAMPS (RECEIPT DUTY ABOLITION) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 17.

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

The Governor’s Office,
Melbourne, 13th October, 1970.

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

15. STAMPS (RECEIPT DUTY ABOLITION) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor’s Message No. 17.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill with respect to the Abolition of Stamp Duty on Receipts* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 18.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to make better Provisions with respect to the Public Accounts of the State of Victoria to amend the *Public Account Act 1958* and the *Audit Act 1958* and for other Purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 13th October, 1970.

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

17. PUBLIC ACCOUNT BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 18.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to make better Provisions with respect to the Public Accounts of the State of Victoria to amend the 'Public Account Act 1958' and the 'Audit Act 1958' and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 19.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Schedule 8 to the *Juries Act 1967*.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 13th October, 1970.

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

19. JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 19.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend Schedule 8 to the 'Juries Act 1967'*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

21. MONEY LENDERS (PRESCRIBED INTEREST) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

22. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (THE GAS SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 27th October instant.

23. COMMONWEALTH—STATE RELATIONSHIPS.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, recognizing that the present relationships between the Commonwealth of Australia and the States call for urgent review and that a durable and acceptable adjustment of powers and responsibilities within the Federal system can only be achieved by effective amendments to the Commonwealth Constitution, request the Government of Victoria to invite the other States to join with the Victorian Parliament in preparing such amendments, and subsequently in conferring with the Commonwealth Parliament with a view to submitting agreed amendments to a referendum of the Australian people ; debate resumed.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

24. COMPANIES ACT 1961.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to Section 178 (1) of the *Companies Act 1961* of the State of Victoria to investigate and report on the circumstances in which any person acquired or disposed of, or became entitled to acquire or dispose of any shares in Tasminex N.L. during the period 7th November, 1969 to 18th March, 1970 (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

25. PAPER.—Mr. Reid presented—

Companies Act 1961—Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to Section 178 (1) of the *Companies Act 1961* of the State of Victoria to investigate and report on the circumstances in which any person acquired or disposed of, or became entitled to acquire or dispose of any shares in Tasminex N.L. during the period 7th November, 1969 to 18th March, 1970.—Return to the foregoing Order.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

26. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Soldier Settlement Bill.
Judges' Pensions (Amendment) Bill.

27. COMMONWEALTH—STATE RELATIONSHIPS.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, recognizing that the present relationships between the Commonwealth of Australia and the States call for urgent review and that a durable and acceptable adjustment of powers and responsibilities within the Federal system can only be achieved by effective amendments to the Commonwealth Constitution, request the Government of Victoria to invite the other States to join with the Victorian Parliament in preparing such amendments, and subsequently in conferring with the Commonwealth Parliament with a view to submitting agreed amendments to a referendum of the Australian people ; debate resumed.

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

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

28. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Civil Aviation (Carriers, Liability) Bill.
Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill.
West Melbourne Market Land (Amendment) Bill.

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

30. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 11 inclusive and Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—

Westernport Development Bill—Second reading.
Methodist Church (Victoria) Property Trust Bill—Second reading.
Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill—Second reading.
Stamps (Receipt Duty Abolition) Bill—Second reading.
Public Account Bill—Second reading.
Juries (Compensation) Bill—Second reading.

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

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

WEDNESDAY, 14TH OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—Sir Arthur Rylah presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Victoria Police Force—Report for the year 1969.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Board—Report for the year 1968–69.—Ordered to be printed.
3. SECURITIES INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Mr. Wilcox, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Securities Industry Act 1970’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 and 3.
5. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. PUBLIC ACCOUNT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 28th October instant.
7. METHODIST CHURCH (VICTORIA) PROPERTY TRUST BILL.—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Deputy-Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Thompson*)—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
8. JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. HAIRDRESSERS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
10. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question proposed—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*)—and, after debate, by leave, withdrawn.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 28th October instant.
11. LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginfifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 28th October instant.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 20 inclusive be postponed until after No. 21.
13. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP CLOSING) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 16 inclusive be postponed until after No. 17.
15. WESTERNPORT DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 28th October instant.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 and 9 be postponed until after Nos. 10 and 11.
17. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASS TO FARMS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Templeton
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Reese	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Ross-Edwards	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

Noes, 20.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Amos
Mr. Lind	Mr. Fell.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8, 9, 12 to 16 inclusive, 18 to 20 inclusive, and 22 to 25 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at one minute past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 13.

TUESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Regional and Local Advisory Committees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 234).
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Ascot Vale—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Forests Commission—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—Regulations relating to Inscribed Stock and Debentures—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 238).
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1970 (No. 3) (S.R. No. 235).
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Premiums Committee (Travelling Allowances) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 233).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Travelling Allowances of Commissioners of the Victoria Police Force (S.R. No. 236).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 569 to 572 (four papers).
 - Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Freeways) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 232).
 - Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 9) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 237).
 - State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—Reports and statements of accounts of the Trustees of the National Museum of Victoria, for the years 1966–67, 1967–68, and 1968–69 (three papers).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961, Amendment No. 18, 1968.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 20)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Soldier Settlement Bill.
 - Judges' Pensions (Amendment) Bill.
 - Civil Aviation (Carriers' Liability) Bill.
 - Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill.
 - West Melbourne Market Land (Amendment) Bill.
4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—WEST GATE BRIDGE ROYAL COMMISSION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 21.*

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill with respect to the Appointment of a Royal Commission to Investigate the Failure on the Fifteenth day of October, 1970, of Portion of the West Gate Bridge and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th October, 1970.

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

5. WEST GATE BRIDGE ROYAL COMMISSION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 21.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill with respect to the Appointment of a Royal Commission to Investigate the Failure on the Fifteenth day of October, 1970, of Portion of the West Gate Bridge and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

6. TEACHING SERVICE (TRIBUNAL) BILL.—Mr. Thompson obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill with respect to the Administration of the 'Teaching Service Act 1958' and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

7. WEST GATE BRIDGE ROYAL COMMISSION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

8. WEST GATE BRIDGE ACCIDENT.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That this House desires to express its profound sorrow at the lamentable loss of valuable lives in the West Gate Bridge accident on 15th October instant; its sincere condolences to the relatives of those killed; and also deep sympathy to those injured in the accident and best wishes for their speedy recovery (*Mr. Holding*)—put, after Honorable Members had addressed the House in support of the motion, and, Honorable Members rising in their places to signify their assent, agreed to unanimously.

9. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That, as a further mark of respect to the victims of the West Gate Bridge tragedy, the House do now adjourn until twenty-five minutes past Five o'clock this day (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.

And then the House, at fifty-five minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until twenty-five minutes past Five o'clock this day.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 14.

TUESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1970.

(TWENTY-FIVE MINUTES PAST FIVE O'CLOCK.)

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair.
2. PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the 'Public Service Act 1958'*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
3. WEST GATE BRIDGE ROYAL COMMISSION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read:—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 22.

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

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th October, 1970.

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

5. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 22.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Borthwick and Mr. Balfour do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to revoke the Permanent Reservations of certain Lands and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 3rd November next.
7. PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 and 4 be postponed until after No. 5.
9. STAMPS (RECEIPT DUTY ABOLITION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3, 4, and 6 to 8 inclusive be postponed until after No. 9.
11. COMMONWEALTH—STATE RELATIONSHIPS.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, recognizing that the present relationships between the Commonwealth of Australia and the States call for urgent review and that a durable and acceptable adjustment of powers and responsibilities within the Federal system can only be achieved by effective amendments to the Commonwealth Constitution, request the Government of Victoria to invite the other States to join with the Victorian Parliament in preparing such amendments, and subsequently in conferring with the Commonwealth Parliament with a view to submitting agreed amendments to a referendum of the Australian people ; debate resumed.
Question—put and agreed to, *nemine contradicente*.
12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to constitute a Council of the Science Museum of Victoria and for other purposes* ”.
13. SCIENCE MUSEUM OF VICTORIA BILL.—On the motion of Sir Arthur Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to constitute the National Museum of Victoria Council and to transfer thereto the Powers Functions and Duties of the Trustees of the National Museum of Victoria* ”.
15. NATIONAL MUSEUM OF VICTORIA COUNCIL BILL.—On the motion of Sir Arthur Rylah, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Fertilizers Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Stock Foods Act 1958 ’* ”.
17. FERTILIZERS AND STOCK FOODS (LABELLING) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
18. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
West Gate Bridge Royal Commission Bill.
Motor Car (Amendment) Bill.
Discharged Servicemen's Preference (Amendment) Bill.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3, 4, and 6 to 8 be postponed until after No. 10.

20. SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASS TO FARMS) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past One o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
22. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3, 4, 6 to 8 inclusive, and 11 to 19 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 15.

WEDNESDAY, 21ST OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—EXEMPTION OF LEGALLY QUALIFIED MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS FROM SECTION 65 OF THE CRIMES ACT 1958.—Mr. Loxton presented a Petition from certain citizens of Victoria praying that the House will take action to amend section 65 of the *Crimes Act 1958* to exempt legally qualified medical practitioners from the provisions of the section.
Ordered—That the Petition do lie on the Table.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 23)—ASSENT TO BILL.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bill, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
West Gate Bridge Royal Commission Bill.
4. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah, pursuant to motion moved on his behalf by Sir Henry Bolte, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to increase the Compensation payable under the ‘ Workers Compensation Act 1958 ’ to remove certain Restrictions on Actions for Damages by Persons entitled to Compensation under the ‘ Workers Compensation Act 1958 ’ or under any Scheme which was certified under Section 13 of the ‘ Workers Compensation Act 1928 ’, to amend the ‘ Workers Compensation Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. MARKETABLE SECURITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision with respect to certain Instruments of Transfer of Marketable Securities to amend the ‘ Marketable Securities Act 1970 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. PHILLIP ISLAND DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Mr. Balfour obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to establish a Phillip Island Advisory Committee and to provide for the Conservation and Development of Phillip Island and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. WORKERS COMPENSATION (COMMON LAW CLAIMS) BILL.—Mr. Holding obtained leave, with Mr. Wilkes, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to remove the Restrictions on a Person who is entitled to Compensation in respect of an Injury under the ‘ Workers Compensation Act 1958 ’ or under any Scheme which was certified under Section 13 of the ‘ Workers Compensation Act 1928 ’ from establishing the Liability of an Employer or any Other Person to pay Damages in respect of the Injury, to amend the ‘ Workers Compensation Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. TEACHING SERVICE (TRIBUNAL) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 4th November next.
9. SUPPLY—BUDGET.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

10. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 23 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
12. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at seven minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 16.

THURSDAY, 22ND OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Proclamation declaring that a marketing board shall be constituted in relation to oats.
3. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Water Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. SECURITIES INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Holding*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 5th November next.
5. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 5th November next.
6. SUPPLY—BUDGET.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply. Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
7. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 25 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
9. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 17.

TUESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. GAS TARIFFS.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a Return showing—
 1. The gas tariffs now being charged by The Gas Supply Company Limited in the following areas :—Ballarat, Ararat, Stawell, Warracknabeal, Hamilton, Portland, Warrnambool, Colac, Bacchus Marsh, and Wodonga.
 2. The tariff applying in those areas on the taking-over of the above Company undertaking by the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria.
 3. The present Corporation gas tariff in the City of Melbourne—

(Mr. Wilton)—put and agreed to.
3. PAPER.—Mr. Balfour presented—
Gas Tariffs.—Return to the foregoing Order.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Country Fire Authority Act 1958—
 - Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 83) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 245).
 - Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 84) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 246).
 - Health Act 1958—
 - Diseases Notification (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 243).
 - Meat Supervision (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 244).
 - Public Building (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 242).
 - Justices Act 1958—Justices Act Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 248).
 - Latrobe Valley Act 1958—Latrobe Valley Water and Sewerage Board (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 239).
 - Medical Act 1958—Medical Registration (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 247).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—No. 573.
 - Public Works Committee—Thirty-first General Report.
 - Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965—Statute 8.1.3.—Degree of Bachelor of Applied Science and Other Degrees (S.R. No. 241).
 - Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 6) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 250).
 - West Moorabool Water Board Act 1968—West Moorabool Water Board (Members' Fees and Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 240).
 - Zoological Gardens Act 1967—Zoological Gardens (Admission Charges) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 249).
5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 24)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Motor Car (Amendment) Bill.
 - Discharged Servicemen's Preference (Amendment) Bill.

6. **AUDIT (AUDITOR-GENERAL) BILL.**—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 4 of the ‘ Audit Act 1958 ’ and for Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
7. **METROPOLITAN FIRE BRIGADES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
8. **SOCIAL WELFARE BILL.**—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to establish a Social Welfare Department, to make Provision with respect to the Functions of that Department, to re-enact with Amendments certain Provisions of the ‘ Children’s Welfare Act 1958 ’, the ‘ Gaols Act 1958 ’, the ‘ Street Trading Act 1958 ’, the ‘ Youth Organizations Assistance Act 1958 ’, and the ‘ Social Welfare Act 1960 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
9. **CRIMINAL APPEALS BILL.**—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Part VI. of the ‘ Crimes Act 1958 ’ and Part V. of the ‘ Justices Act 1958 ’ with respect to Appeals in certain Cases and for Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. **MINES (COMPENSATION) BILL.**—Mr. Balfour, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Mines Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Payment of Compensation for Damage arising out of Mining Activities and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
11. **GAS FRANCHISES BILL.**—Mr. Balfour, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill with respect to the Rights of the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria and the Colonial Gas Association Limited to supply Gas in certain Areas and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
12. **VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
13. **LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Mr. Rafferty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Labour and Industry Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
14. **LIFTS AND CRANES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Mr. Rafferty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Lifts and Cranes Act 1967 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
15. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR, AS DEPUTY FOR THE GOVERNOR—COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.**—The following Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, as Deputy for the Governor, was presented by Sir Arthur Rylah, and the same was read :—

E. F. HERRING,

*Lieutenant-Governor,
as Deputy for His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.*

Message No. 25.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Lieutenant-Governor, as Deputy for the Governor, recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Sub-section (2) of Section 82 of the *Country Fire Authority Act 1958*.

The Governor’s office,
Melbourne, 22nd October, 1970.

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

16. **COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of the Deputy for His Excellency the Governor’s Message, No. 25.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Suggett reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Sir Arthur Rylah and Sir Henry Bolte do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Sir Arthur Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Sub-section (2) of Section 82 of the ‘ Country Fire Authority Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 26.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to provide for the Lands reserved for the Use of the Aborigines at Framlingham and Lake Tyers to be vested in a Framlingham Aboriginal Trust and a Lake Tyers Aboriginal Trust respectively, to regulate the Affairs of the said Trusts, to amend the *Aboriginal Affairs Act 1967* and the *Land Tax Act 1958*, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1970.

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

18. ABORIGINAL LANDS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 26.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Mr. Meagher then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to provide for the Lands reserved for the Use of the Aborigines at Framlingham and Lake Tyers to be vested in a Framlingham Aboriginal Trust and a Lake Tyers Aboriginal Trust respectively, to regulate the Affairs of the said Trusts, to amend the ‘ Aboriginal Affairs Act 1967 ’ and the ‘ Land Tax Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

19. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—STATE DEVELOPMENT BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 27.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to establish a Department of State Development to promote and co-ordinate Activities leading to the full and proper Development of the State and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1970.

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

20. STATE DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 27.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to establish a Department of State Development to promote and co-ordinate Activities leading to the full and proper Development of the State and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

21. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MELBOURNE UNDERGROUND RAIL LOOP BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Wilcox, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 28.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to Constitute an Authority to Co-ordinate the Financing and Construction of an Underground Rail Loop and Ancillary Works for the Purpose of increasing the Capacity and Efficiency of the existing Melbourne Suburban Rail Network to Authorize the Construction of that Underground Rail Loop and those Ancillary Works and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1970.

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

22. MELBOURNE UNDERGROUND RAIL LOOP BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 28.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Meagher do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Wilcox then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to Constitute an Authority to Co-ordinate the Financing and Construction of an Underground Rail Loop and Ancillary Works for the Purpose of increasing the Capacity and Efficiency of the existing Melbourne Suburban Rail Network to Authorize the Construction of that Underground Rail Loop and those Ancillary Works and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
23. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—
- ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 29.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to State Forests.
- The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1970.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
24. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 29.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Meagher and Mr. Borthwick do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Meagher then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to State Forests* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
25. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), and the same was read :—
- ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 30.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to Irrigation Water Supply Drainage Sewerage Flood Protection and River Improvement, and other purposes.
- The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1970.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
26. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 30.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) and Mr. Borthwick do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to Irrigation Water Supply Drainage Sewerage Flood Protection and River Improvement, and other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

27. SCIENCE MUSEUM OF VICTORIA BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November next.
28. NATIONAL MUSEUM OF VICTORIA COUNCIL BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November next.
29. FERTILIZERS AND STOCK FOODS (LABELLING) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Kirkwood*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November, next.
30. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Shilton*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November, next.
31. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Arthur Rylah*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
32. AUDIT (AUDITOR-GENERAL) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Arthur Rylah*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
33. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November next.
34. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 16 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 17.
35. MARKETABLE SECURITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November next.
36. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 10 inclusive be postponed until after No. 11.
37. PHILLIP ISLAND CONSERVATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November next.
38. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5 be postponed until after Nos. 6 and 7.
39. VICTORIAN INLAND MEAT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.

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

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

41. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 and 8 be postponed until after No. 9.

42. RIVER ENTRANCE DOCKS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

43. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Crimes (Amendment) Bill.

Lotteries Gaming and Betting (Amendment) Bill.

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 31.

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

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 27th October, 1970.

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

45. RAILWAYS LANDS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 31.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Mr. Wilcox then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide for the Dismantling of certain Railways, and for other purposes*" ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

46. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 and 8 be postponed until after No. 10.

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

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

48. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Arthur Rylah*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November next.

49. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
River Improvement (Amendment) Bill.

Hospitals Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.

Trustee Companies (Perpetual Trustees Australia Limited) Bill.

50. STAMPS (RECEIPT DUTY ABOLITION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

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

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

51. MONEY LENDERS (PRESCRIBED INTEREST) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 45.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Balfour	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Kirkwood	
(Ballarat North)	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Lewis	
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. Hayes	(Balwyn)	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Jona	Mr. Taylor	(Portland)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Loxton	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Thompson		
(Rodney)	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Manson	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Rafferty			
Mr. Reese			
Mr. Reid	Tellers.		
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Crellin		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

52. STAMPS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 32.

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

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 13th October, 1970.

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

54. STAMPS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 32.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

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

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

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

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

55. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 14 be postponed until after Nos. 15 and 16.

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

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

57. **METHODIST CHURCH (VICTORIA) PROPERTY TRUST BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
58. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Gas and Fuel Corporation (Borrowing) Bill without amendment.
59. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Footwear Regulation Bill with amendments. Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
60. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Labour and Industry (Shop Closing) Bill with amendments. Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
61. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Eleven o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
62. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 14, 18 to 27 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Amendment) Bill—Second reading.
Social Welfare Bill—Second reading.
Mines (Compensation) Bill—Second reading.
Gas Franchises Bill—Second reading.
Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Amendment) Bill—Second reading.
Aboriginal Lands Bill—Second reading.
State Development Bill—Second reading.
Melbourne Underground Rail Loop Bill—Second reading.
State Forests Works and Services Bill—Second reading.
63. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at fifty minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 18.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH OCTOBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PAPER.**—The following Paper, pursuant to a direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—
Report and Statement of Accounts of the Trustees of the Institute of Applied Science for the year 1968–69.
3. **NATIONAL PARKS BILL.**—Mr. Balfour, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to re-enact and amend the Law relating to National Parks and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
4. **TEACHER HOUSING BILL.**—Mr. Thompson, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision for adequate and suitable Housing Accommodation for Teachers, to provide for the Establishment of a Teacher Housing Authority, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
5. **COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL.**—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill relating to the Administration of Laws of the Commonwealth and of the State of Victoria in Commonwealth Places and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

6. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Housing Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS BILL.—Mr. Rossiter obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to the Registration of Medical Practitioners and for Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive.
9. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Amos*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th November next.
11. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. URBAN RENEWAL BILL (NO. 2).—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 5 to 18 inclusive be postponed until after No. 19.
14. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP CLOSING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 2, page 2, line 14, after “ butchers’ shops ” insert “ , grocers’ shops ”.
 2. Clause 2, page 2, lines 17–20, omit all the words and expressions in these lines and insert the following words and expressions :—
“ (2B) All shops (except shops of the classes or kinds mentioned in the Fifth Schedule, petrol shops and shops for the sale of motor cars, motor trucks and motor vans) shall in each year, if in respect of that year on the relevant day mentioned in this sub-section they are situated within the then existing boundaries of the municipal district of any of the municipalities at that time mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the *Public Service Act 1958*, be closed and kept closed—”.
 3. *Insert the following new clause to follow clause 2 :—*
“ AA. The provisions of section 2 of this Act shall in no way affect or alter any exemption granted by the Minister pursuant to section 80A, 80B, or 80C of the *Principal Act*.”
- And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
15. ABORIGINAL LANDS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Bornstein*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th November next.
16. URBAN RENEWAL BILL (NO. 2).—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Kirkwood*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 13 inclusive be postponed until after No. 14.
18. AUDIT (AUDITOR-GENERAL) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive be postponed until after No. 8.

20. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Shilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th November next.
21. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, and 9 to 13 inclusive and 15 be postponed until after No. 16.
22. SOCIAL WELFARE BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Arthur Rylah*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Bornstein*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th November next.
23. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, 9 to 13 inclusive, 15, 17, 18, and 20 to 23 inclusive be postponed until after No. 24.
24. MINES COMPENSATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th November next.
25. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Country Fire Authority (Borrowing Powers) Bill.
Audit (Auditor-General) Bill.
26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, 9, and 10 be postponed until after Nos. 11 and 12.
27. PUBLIC ACCOUNT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
28. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
29. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 33.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Sewerage Districts Act 1958*, and for other purposes.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th October, 1970.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
30. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 33.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
31. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, 9, and 10 be postponed until after No. 13.
32. LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
33. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Public Service (Amendment) Bill without amendment.
34. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, 9 and 10 be postponed until after No. 15.

35. METROPOLITAN FIRE BRIGADES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th November next.
36. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, 9, and 10 be postponed until after No. 17.
37. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th November next.
38. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive be postponed until after No. 9.
39. LIFTS AND CRANES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 11th November next.
40. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, 10, and 18 be postponed until after No. 20.
41. STAMPS (RECEIPT DUTY ABOLITION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
42. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
43. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, 10, 18, 21 to 23 inclusive, and 25 to 34 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
National Parks Bill—Second reading.
Teacher Housing Bill—Second reading.
44. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at thirty-four minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 19.

THURSDAY, 29TH OCTOBER, 1970.

- The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- PETITION—RATING POLL ON GRANTING OF RATE CONCESSIONS IN THE SHIRE OF HASTINGS.—Mr. Dunstan presented a Petition from certain persons registered on the municipal roll of the Shire of Hastings praying that before any proposal is put into effect that John Lysaght (Australia) Ltd., or anyone else, be granted special treatment on the grounds that they are contributing towards industrial development as to the amount of rates to be paid to the Shire of Hastings, the proposals be submitted to a poll of voters on the municipal roll of the Shire.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
- PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Collectors of Ammunition) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 253).
Health Act 1958—Proprietary Medicines (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 252).
Motor Boating Act 1961—Motor Boating (Lake Bolac) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 251).

4. MELBOURNE UNDERGROUND RAIL LOOP BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 17th November next.
5. 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.
6. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 12th November next.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 4 and 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
8. CRIMINAL APPEALS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 12th November next.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 4, 5, and 7 to 15 inclusive be postponed until after No. 16.
10. GAS FRANCHISES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 12th November next.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 4 be postponed until after No. 5.
12. URBAN RENEWAL BILL (NO. 2)—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
13. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 34)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Labour and Industry (Shop Closing) Bill.
Country Fire Authority (Borrowing Powers) Bill.
14. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 12th November next.
15. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 10th November next, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 7 to 15 inclusive, and 17 to 24 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday, 10th November next.
17. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fifty-seven minutes past Four o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, 10th November next.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 20.

TUESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Mr. Wheeler, Chairman, brought up the Report from the Public Accounts Committee upon the Office of the Public Trustee with particular reference to the Accounts Branch.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 85) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 255).
 - Education Act 1958—Education Department (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (Amendment No. 22) (S.R. No. 254).
 - Gas and Fuel Corporation—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Library Council of Victoria—Report for the year 1966–67.
 - Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.
 - Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Milk and Dairy Supervision (Milk Depot) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 256).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 574 to 578) (five papers).
 - Racing Act 1958—Racing (Licensing of Racecourses) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 257).
 - Railways Act 1958—Report of the Railways Commissioners for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Interest Rates Amendment No. 1) General Order 1970 (S.R. No. 258).
 - Teaching Service Act 1958—Regulations amended—
 - Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (five papers).
 - Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations (five papers).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 47, 1969.
 - Victorian Pipelines Commission—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - West Moorabool Water Board—Report for the year 1969–70.
4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 35)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 4th November instant, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Crimes (Amendment) Bill.
 - Lotteries Gaming and Betting (Amendment) Bill.
 - River Improvement (Amendment) Bill.
 - Hospitals Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.
 - Trustee Companies (Perpetual Trustees Australia Limited) Bill.
 - Gas and Fuel Corporation (Borrowing) Bill.
 - Victorian Inland Meat Authority (Amendment) Bill.
 - Audit (Auditor-General) Bill.
 - Public Service (Amendment) Bill.
5. ROAD TRAFFIC (ROAD SAFETY AND TRAFFIC AUTHORITY) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Road Traffic Act 1958’ to establish the Road Safety and Traffic Authority, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

6. HIRE PURCHASE (INSURANCE) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 20 of the ‘ Hire Purchase Act 1959 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
7. MAINTENANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Maintenance Act 1965 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
8. JUSTICES (BAIL AND APPEALS) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Justices Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. TEACHING SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Thompson, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Teaching Service Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
10. WODONGA LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to provide, upon the Surrender to Her Majesty of certain Land in the Township of Wodonga, for the Reservation thereof as a Site for a Civic Centre, and for the Revocation of the Reservation of certain other Land in the said Township temporarily reserved as a Site for a Shire Hall and Offices, and for the Grant thereof to the President Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Wodonga, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
11. EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYÉS (ATTACHMENT OF WAGES) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 61 of the ‘ Employers and Employés Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
12. WATER (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Water Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ River Improvement Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
13. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTOR CAR (FEES) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Arthur Rylah, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 36.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to increase certain fees payable under the *Motor Car Act 1958*, to alter the allocation of revenue from those fees and for those purposes to amend the *Motor Car Act 1958*, the *Local Government Act 1958* and the *Country Roads Act 1958* and for other purposes.

The Governor’s Office,

Melbourne, 10th November, 1970.

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

14. MOTOR CAR (FEES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor’s Message No. 36.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Sir Arthur Rylah and Sir Henry Bolte do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Sir Arthur Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to increase certain fees payable under the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’, to alter the allocation of revenue from those fees and for those purposes to amend the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’, the ‘ Local Government Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Country Roads Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
15. 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.
16. TEACHER HOUSING BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday 24th November instant.
17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, and 4 be postponed until after No. 5.

18. RAILWAYS LANDS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4, and 6 be postponed until after No. 7.
20. SECOND-HAND DEALERS (CHARITY COLLECTORS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th November instant.
21. EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYÉES (ATTACHMENT OF WAGES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
22. MAINTENANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
23. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4, and 6 be postponed until after No. 8.
24. URBAN RENEWAL BILL (NO. 2).—Further considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
25. TEACHING SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
26. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (RESPONSIBLE MINISTERS) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 37.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to make Provision for increasing the Number of Responsible Ministers of the Crown.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 10th November, 1970.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
27. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (RESPONSIBLE MINISTERS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 37.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Sir Henry Bolte and Sir Arthur Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision for increasing the Number of Responsible Ministers of the Crown* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
28. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 38.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to authorize expenditure on Public Works and Services and for other purposes.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 10th November, 1970.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.

29. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 38.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Rafferty and Mr. Balfour do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Rafferty then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize expenditure on Public Works and Services and for other purposes*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
30. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4, and 6 be postponed until after No. 9.
31. HAIRDRESSERS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
32. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 10, and 11 be postponed until after No. 12.
33. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
34. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Evidence (Scientific Tests) Bill without amendment.
35. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4, and 6 be postponed until after No. 10.
36. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
37. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rafferty, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 39.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Apprenticeship Act 1958*.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1970.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
38. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 39.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time, after debate.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
39. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Boilers and Pressure Vessels Bill with an amendment.
And the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
Clause 47, line 40, omit "or which is necessary or expedient to be prescribed".
And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
40. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages (Amendment) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.

41. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Coal Mines (Pensions Increase) Bill without amendment.
42. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘Weights and Measures Act 1958’ and to amend the ‘Railways Act 1958’ with respect to Weights and Measures* ”.
43. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Balfour, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
44. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘Aerial Spraying Control Act 1966’* ”.
45. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
46. HIRE PURCHASE (INSURANCE) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
47. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, and 11 be postponed until after No. 13.
48. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
49. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4 and 6 be postponed until after No. 11.
50. WESTERNPORT DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Evans, Gippsland East*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
51. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Eleven o’clock (*Mr. Balfour*)—put and agreed to.
52. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 14 to 31 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Road Traffic (Road Safety and Traffic Authority) Bill—Second reading.
Wodonga Lands Exchange Bill—Second reading.
53. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at three minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 21.

WEDNESDAY, 11TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Resumption of Land at Bayswater—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment No. 26, 1970.

3. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY—MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received the following communication :—

MINISTER OF EDUCATION,
Treasury Place,
Melbourne, Vic. 3002,
6th November, 1970.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Section 7 of the *La Trobe University Act 1964* provides that three members of the Council of the University shall be Members of the Parliament of Victoria who have been recommended for appointment by a joint sitting of Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly and conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by the Members at the sitting.

In pursuance of this provision, the Parliament in a joint sitting of both Houses on the 29th November, 1966 recommended for appointment to the Council the Honorable John William Galbally, M.L.C., the Honorable Michael Alastair Clarke, M.L.C., and the Honorable Joseph Anstice Rafferty, M.L.A., and His Excellency the Governor in Council formally appointed them for a four-year term from the 5th December, 1966.

I should be grateful if you could arrange for a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to recommend three members for appointment to the Council for the four-year term from the 5th December, 1970.

I have addressed a similar letter to the President of the Legislative Council.

Yours sincerely,
L. H. S. THOMPSON,
Minister of Education.

The Hon. Vernon Christie, M.L.A.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne, 3002.

4. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Forests Act 1958’* ”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. WODONGA LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 19th November instant.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 7 inclusive be postponed until after Nos. 8 and 9.
8. SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASSERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 25th November instant.
9. NATIONAL PARKS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Portland*)—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question proposed—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next (*Mr. Balfour*)—and, after debate—
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
Motion made and question—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 25th November instant, (*Mr. Balfour*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
10. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (RESPONSIBLE MINISTERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 7 inclusive and 10 to 16 inclusive be postponed until after No. 17.

12. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Portland*)—put and
agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day,
Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
14. MOTOR CAR (FEES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second
time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday, 19th November instant.
15. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ;
considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and
amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day,
Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, 7, 10 to 16 inclusive, and 18 to 22 inclusive be postponed until after
No. 23.
17. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on
question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time
and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired
therein.
18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day,
Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, 7, and 10 to 12 inclusive be postponed until after No. 13.
19. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ;
considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments
agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired
therein.
20. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The following
Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Wilcox, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 40.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor
recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated
Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other
Purposes relating to Railways.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 11th November, 1970.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House
this day.
21. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole
House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 40.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Ginifer reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation
from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Meagher do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing
resolution.
Mr. Wilcox then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services
and other Purposes relating to Railways*" ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be
printed and read a second time to-morrow.
22. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION BILL.—The following
Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 41.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor
recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated
Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to establish an Environment Protection Authority, to make Provision
with respect to the Powers, Duties, and Functions of that Authority, to make further Provision for
the Protection of the Environment and for other Purposes.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 11th November, 1970.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this
day.

23. ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 41.
House resolved into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Ginifer reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Borthwick and Mr. Balfour do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to establish an Environment Protection Authority, to make Provision with respect to the Powers, Duties, and Functions of that Authority, to make further Provision for the Protection of the Environment and for the other Purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
24. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, 7, 10, and 11 be postponed until after No. 12.
25. WESTERNPORT DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment.
Motion made and question—That this Bill be now read a third time (*Mr. Balfour*)—put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 43.		Noes, 20.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Burgin	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Doyle	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Lind	Mr. Shilton
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Taylor		
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting		
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Broad		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. McCabe		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read the third time.

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

26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, 7, 10, 11, and 14 to 16 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 18.
27. ABORIGINAL LANDS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
28. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
29. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, 7, 10, 11, 14 to 16 inclusive, 19 to 22 inclusive, and 24 to 4 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
And the House having continued to sit after Twelve of the clock—

THURSDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

30. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at two minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until later this day.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

THURSDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—
Mr. Speaker presented—
Finance, 1969–70—The Treasurer's Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Consolidated Revenue and Other Moneys, year ended 30th June, 1970, accompanied by the Report of the Auditor-General and by the documents specified in the Forty-seventh Section of the Audit Act.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Library Council of Victoria—Report for the year 1967–68.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (No. 579 to 582) (four papers).
3. DENTISTS BILL.—Mr. Rossiter obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to re-enact and amend the Law relating to Dentists and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th November instant.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 and 3.
5. AERIAL SPRAYING CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th November instant.
6. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fell*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th November instant.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 4 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.
8. ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 24th November instant.
9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Summary Offences (Trespass to Farms) Bill with an amendment.
Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 4 to 6 inclusive, 8, and 9 be postponed until after No. 10.
11. URBAN RENEWAL BILL (NO. 2).—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Meagher*)—put and agreed to.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 4 to 6 inclusive, 8, 9 and 11 to 39 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 23.

TUESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Education Act 1958—Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1970, No. 8 (S.R. No. 262).
 - Health Act 1958—Swimming Pools (Water Purification) Amendment Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 259).
 - Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Report of the Victoria Law Foundation for the year ended 30th September, 1970.
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Signal Lamps—Use for Warning) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 261).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determinations Nos. 169 and 170 of the Police Service Board (two papers).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (No. 583).
 - Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Signal Lamps—Use for Warning) Regulations 1970, Amendments (S.R. No. 260).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Nos. 14 and 19, 1970 (two papers).
 - Victoria Institute of Colleges—Report of the Council for the year 1969—Ordered to be printed.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 42)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Evidence (Scientific Tests) Bill.
 - Boilers and Pressure Vessels Bill.
 - Coal Mines (Pensions Increase) Bill.
4. EAST MELBOURNE LAND BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to alter the permanent Reservation of certain Land at East Melbourne and the Conditions of Crown Grant under which such Land is held* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
5. BUILDING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Mr. Thompson, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make further Provision with respect to the Establishment and Operation of Building Societies, to amend the ‘ Building Societies Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. ROAD TRAFFIC (ROAD SAFETY AND TRAFFIC AUTHORITY) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Arthur Rylah*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. JUSTICES (BAIL AND APPEALS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 3 be postponed until after Nos. 4 to 6 inclusive.

9. FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. WATER (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 1st December next.
11. STATE DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 and 7 to 9 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 10.
13. METROPOLITAN FIRE BRIGADES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments and with an amended title, which title is as follows :—
“ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes.*”
Bill as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
14. EAST MELBOURNE LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Stamps Bill.
Methodist Church (Victoria) Property Trust Bill.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 and 7, be postponed until after Nos. 8 and 9.
17. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (THE GAS SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. MINES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
19. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MINES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 43.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Mines Act 1958* with respect to the Payment of Compensation for Damage arising out of Mining activities and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1970.

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

20. MINES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 43.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

21. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL OF LA TROBE UNIVERSITY.— Acquainting the Legislative Assembly that the Legislative Council have agreed to the following Resolution :—

That this House meet the Legislative Assembly for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University—

and requesting the Legislative Assembly to name the place and time of such meeting.

Motion made and question—That this House meet the Legislative Council for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University, and, as requested by the Legislative Council to name the place and time of such meeting, name the Legislative Assembly Chamber as the place and Wednesday, 25th November instant, at Six o'clock in the afternoon as the time of such meeting (*Mr. Balfour*)—put and agreed to.

Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Legislative Council acquainting them accordingly.

22. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 and 7 be postponed until after No. 11.
23. LIFTS AND CRANES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—SECOND READING—RESUMPTION OF DEBATE.— Ordered—That consideration of this order be postponed until later this day.
24. RAILWAYS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
25. LIFTS AND CRANES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7 be postponed until after No. 12.
27. CRIMINAL APPEALS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith
Mr. Reese	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 24.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Broad	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Clarey	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lind	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

28. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Land Conservation Bill.
River Entrance Docks Railway Construction Bill.
Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill.
Juries (Compensation) Bill.

29. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Groundwater (Amendment) Bill with an amendment.

Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.

30. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Ten o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.

31. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 and 13 to 42 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

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

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 24.

WEDNESDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

- The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- CONTROL OF FUND RAISING, SHARE CAPITAL AND DEBENTURES.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That there be laid before this House a copy of the Report of the Company Law Advisory Committee to the Standing Committee of Attorneys-General on the Control of Fund Raising, Share Capital and Debentures (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
- PAPER.—Mr. Reid presented—
Control of Fund Raising, Share Capital and Debentures—Report of the Company Law Advisory Committee to the Standing Committee of Attorneys-General on the Control of Fund Raising, Share Capital and Debentures.—Return to the foregoing Order.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be printed.
- LAND TAX BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to declare the Rates of Land Tax for the Year ending on the 31st Day of December, 1971, to amend the ‘Land Tax Act 1958’ with respect to Exemptions and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
- ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Shilton rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, “*The failure of the Minister for Fuel and Power to require the State Electricity Commission to abandon its plan to close State Electricity Commission District Headquarters at Castlemaine.*”

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion—
Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Shilton*)—after debate, put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Clarey	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Simmonds
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Broad
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood

Noes, 38.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dixon	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Dunstan	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith
Mr. Reid	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

6. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Public Account Bill without amendment.
7. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Racing Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
8. BUILDING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 2nd December next.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
10. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 4 be postponed until after No. 5.
12. MELBOURNE UNDERGROUND RAIL LOOP BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.

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

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Consideration of Bill in Committee continued.

Bill reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Dogs* ”.
14. DOG BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time at the next sitting of the House.
15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Wheat Marketing Act 1969 ’* ”.
16. WHEAT MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time at the next sitting of the House.
17. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Sewerage Districts (Amendment) Bill.
Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill.
18. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day at half-past Ten o’clock (*Mr. Wilcox*)—put and agreed to.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 4, and 6 to 36 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until later this day :—
Racing (Amendment) Bill—Second reading.

And then the House, at twenty-eight minutes past One o’clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Ten o’clock this day.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 25.

THURSDAY, 19TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—SLUM RECLAMATION IN SOUTH MELBOURNE.—Mr. Doube presented a Petition from certain residents of the City of South Melbourne opposing the proposed slum reclamation scheme of the Housing Commission in respect of the area bounded by Dorcas-street, Nelson-road, City-road and Pickles-street, South Melbourne and praying that the House take such action as it thinks fit to restrain the Commission from proceeding further with any plans to reclaim this area.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Standing Orders be suspended so as to allow the Petition to be read (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
The Petition was read by the Clerk.
Ordered—That the Petition do lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—Salaries Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 266).
 - Education Act 1958—Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1970, No. 9 (S.R. No. 264).
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1970 (No. 4) (S.R. No. 263).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 584 to 586) (three papers).
 - Public Service Board—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Sale of Land Act 1962—Sale of Land Regulations 1970 (Arbitrator's Salary and Travelling Expenses) (S.R. No. 265).
 - State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Provident Fund) General Order 1970 (S.R. No. 268).
 - Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 267).
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 and 3.
5. LAND TAX BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
6. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Arthur Rylah*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR, AS DEPUTY FOR THE GOVERNOR—SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor as Deputy for the Governor, was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

E. F. HERRING,

Lieutenant-Governor,

as Deputy for His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 44.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Lieutenant-Governor, as Deputy for the Governor, recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend the *Superannuation Act 1958*, the *Police Regulation Act 1958*, the *Pensions Supplementation Act 1966* and the *Parliamentary Salaries and Superannuation Act 1968* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 19th November, 1970.

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

8. SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of the Deputy for His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 44.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Sir Henry Bolte and Sir Arthur Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Superannuation Act 1958 ’, the ‘ Police Regulation Act 1958 ’, the ‘ Pensions Supplementation Act 1966 ’ and the ‘ Parliamentary Salaries and Superannuation Act 1968 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
9. MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
10. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
12. RAILWAYS LANDS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 6 be postponed until after Nos. 7 and 8.
14. MAINTENANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
15. TEACHING SERVICE (TRIBUNAL) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Dixon*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
16. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Thompson*)—put and agreed to.
17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 9 to 39 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
18. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 26.

TUESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Education—Report of the Minister for the year 1968–69.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Warrnambool—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works—Statement of accounts, together with particulars of rates made for the year 1969–70.
 - Monash University—Report of the Council for the year 1969 ; together with statutes approved by the Governor in Council during 1969.
 - National Fitness Council of Victoria—Report and Statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 171 of the Police Service Board.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 588 to 590 inclusive (three papers).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 28, 1969.
 - Transport Regulation Board—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
3. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 - State Forests Works and Services Bill.
 - Money Lenders (Prescribed Interest) Bill.
4. MOTOR CAR (SAFETY) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision with respect to Safety Belts in certain Motor Cars and with respect to the Hours of Driving of Motor Cars and to amend the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
5. WESTERN PORT STEEL WORKS (DEVELOPMENT CONTROL) BILL.—Mr. Balfour obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to extend the Area and Powers of the Western Port Regional Planning Authority and The President Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Hastings in relation to the Establishment and Operation by John Lysaght (Australia) Limited of a Steel Works and other Works associated therewith at Western Port and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
6. WESTERN PORT STEEL WORKS (DEVELOPMENT CONTROL) BILL.—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
 - Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Balfour*)—put and agreed to
 - Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
 - Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
 - Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 45)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Stamps Bill.
 - Methodist Church (Victoria) Property Trust Bill.
 - Land Conservation Bill.
 - River Entrance Docks Railway Construction Bill.
 - Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Bill.
 - Juries (Compensation) Bill.
 - Public Account Bill.
 - Sewerage Districts (Amendment) Bill.
 - Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Bill.
 - State Forests Works and Services Bill.
 - Money Lenders (Prescribed Interest) Bill.

8. **DOG BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
- Motion made and question —That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fell*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. **MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PROBATE DUTY BILL.**—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Arthur Rylah, and the same was read :—
- ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.
- Message No. 46.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend section 24 of the *Probate Duty Act 1962*.
- The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 24th November, 1970.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
10. **PROBATE DUTY BILL.**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 46.
- House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
- Mr. Ginifer reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
- And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That Sir Henry Bolte and Sir Arthur Rylah do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
- Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 24 of the ‘ Probate Duty Act 1962’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
11. **MOTOR CAR (SAFETY) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Arthur Rylah*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. **WHEAT MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. **EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYÉS (ATTACHMENT OF WAGES) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
14. **HIRE PURCHASE (INSURANCE) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
15. **ABORIGINAL LANDS BILL.**—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
16. **PROBATE DUTY BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. **MARKETABLE SECURITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958’ with respect to the Payment of Disability Benefits, and for other purposes.* ”
19. **LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (DISABILITY BENEFITS) BILL.**—On the motion of Mr. Balfour, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

20. CRIMINAL APPEALS BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
21. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Gas and Fuel Corporation (The Gas Supply Company Limited) Bill.
Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Amendment) Bill.
Stamps (Receipt Duty Abolition) Bill.
22. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘Tomato Processing Industry (Uniform Agreement) Act 1964’, and for other purposes* ”.
23. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
24. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8 be postponed until after No. 9.
25. TEACHING SERVICE (TRIBUNAL) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Sir Henry Bolte	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Doyle	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trethewey
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trewin
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. MacDonald	
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Broad
Mr. Manson	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Meagher	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

Noes, 22.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Curnow
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Fell

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed.

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

26. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—TEACHING SERVICE (TRIBUNAL) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Thompson, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 47.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill with respect to the Administration of the *Teaching Service Act 1958* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1970.

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

27. TEACHING SERVICE (TRIBUNAL) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 47.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee.

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

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Consideration of Bill in Committee continued.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again later this day.

28. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Apprenticeship (Amendment) Bill.
Water (Amendment) Bill.
29. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
30. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8, and 10 to 45 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.

And then the House, at eight minutes past One o'clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Ten o'clock this day.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 27.

WEDNESDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—ABANDONMENT OF BALLARAT AND BENDIGO TRAMWAYS.—Mr. Shilton presented a Petition from certain citizens of Victoria opposing the abandonment of the tramways services in Ballarat and Bendigo and praying that the House take such action as it thinks fit to prevent such abandonment. Ordered to lie on the table.
3. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Land (Amendment) Bill with an amendment. Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration later this day.
4. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Labour and Industry (Amendment) Bill with an amendment. Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration later this day.
5. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—“GRIEVANCE DAY”.—Motion made and question—That the “Grievance Day” provisions of Standing Order No. 273C be suspended for to-morrow (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—and, after debate—
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
6. COMPANIES BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with *Sir Arthur Rylah*, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Disclosure of Substantial Shareholdings in Companies, to re-enact Provisions of the ‘Companies Act 1961’ relating to Accounts and Audit, and to Take-over Offers, to amend the ‘Companies Act 1961’ and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
8. TOMATO PROCESSING INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (DISABILITY BENEFITS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

10. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

After clause 15 insert the following new clause :—

‘AA. After sub-section (1) of section 206 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sub-section :—

“(1A) Any regulation may be limited in respect of time, place or circumstances, and in addition, in relation to any tractor—

(i) a regulation may be limited to a class or kind of tractor ; and

(ii) different regulations may be made in respect of different classes or kinds of tractors.”’

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

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

11. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—ABANDONMENT OF BALLARAT AND BENDIGO TRAMWAYS.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this House take note of the Ministerial Statement with respect to the abandonment of Ballarat and Bendigo tramways ; debate resumed.

Amendment proposed—That the following words be added to the motion “and resolves that the proposed abandonment be not made” (*Mr. Trezise*)—and, after debate—

Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 26.		Noes. 37.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Moss	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Crellin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting	Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Dundas</i>)		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Lewis		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
(<i>Portland</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Lind	Mr. Broad	Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Fell	(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Maclellan	
		Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. McCabe
		Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Reese	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

Original question—put and agreed to.

12. ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE.—Mr. Dixon, Chairman, brought up the Sixth Progress Report from the Road Safety Committee upon Alcohol and Road Accidents ; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

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

13. EAST MELBOURNE LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.

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

Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

14. WODONGA LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

15. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—WODONGA LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,

Governor of Victoria,

Message No. 48.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to provide, upon the Surrender to Her Majesty of certain Land in the Township of Wodonga, for the Reservation thereof as a Site for a Civic Centre, and for the Revocation of the Reservation of certain other Land in the said Township temporarily reserved as a Site for a Shire Hall and Offices, and for the Grant thereof to the President Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Wodonga, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 17th November, 1970.

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

16. WODONGA LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—Order read for consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 48.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

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

17. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (RESPONSIBLE MINISTERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Assembly and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Assembly.

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

18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Melbourne Underground Rail Loop Bill with an amendment.

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

Clause 43, line 44, omit " or which is necessary or expedient to be prescribed ".

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

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

19. MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL OF LA TROBE UNIVERSITY.—Mr. Speaker announced that the time had arrived for this House to meet the Legislative Council in the Legislative Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and resumed it at fifty minutes past Seven o'clock.

20. MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL OF LA TROBE UNIVERSITY.—Mr. Speaker reported that the House had, that day, met the Legislative Council in the Legislative Assembly Chamber for the purposes of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University, and that the Honorable William Vasey Houghton, M.L.C., the Honorable John William Galbally, Q.C., M.L.C., and Milton Stanley Whiting, Esquire, M.P., had been duly chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council.

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

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

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

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

23. SECOND-HAND DEALERS (CHARITY COLLECTORS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments and an amended title, which title is as follows :—

" A Bill to amend the ' Second-hand Dealers Act 1958 ' to Control and Licence Collectors of Articles for or on behalf of Charitable Organizations, to amend the ' Hospitals and Charities Act 1958 ' and the ' Local Government Act 1958 ', and for other purposes."

Bill as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.

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

24. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
25. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Westernport Development Bill without amendment.
26. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Nine o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
27. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 to 43 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Land (Amendment) Bill—Amendment of the Legislative Council—To be considered.
28. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourned.
- And then the House, at forty-seven minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 28.

THURSDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—ABANDONMENT OF BALLARAT AND BENDIGO TRAMWAYS.—Mr. Trethewey presented a Petition from certain citizens of Victoria opposing the abandonment of the tramways services in Ballarat and Bendigo and praying that the House take such action as it thinks fit to prevent such abandonment.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—Part IX.—
 - Statements of appointments and alterations of classification—
 - Department of the Legislative Assembly.
 - Department of the Legislative Council.
 - Department of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee.
 - Department of the Library.
 - Department of the Reporting Staff of the *Victorian Parliamentary Debates*.
 - Statements of persons temporarily employed—
 - Department of the Legislative Assembly.
 - Department of the Legislative Council.
 - Department of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee.
 - Department of the Library.
 - Department of the Reporting Staff of the *Victorian Parliamentary Debates*.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 592 and 593 (two papers).
 - State Electricity Commission—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Survey Co-ordination Act 1958—Report on National Mapping in Victoria and the administration of the Survey Co-ordination Act 1958 for the year 1969–70.

4. SUPPLY—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put, after debate, and negatived.
Ordered—That this House will, on Tuesday next, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.
5. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 49)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Gas and Fuel Corporation (The Gas Supply Company Limited) Bill.
Labour and Industry (Amendment) Bill.
6. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Amendment) Bill without amendment.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
8. ROAD TRAFFIC (ROAD SAFETY AND TRAFFIC AUTHORITY) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
9. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR, AS DEPUTY FOR THE GOVERNOR—ROAD TRAFFIC (ROAD SAFETY AND TRAFFIC AUTHORITY) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, as Deputy for the Governor, was presented by Mr. Rafferty, and the same was read :—

E. F. HERRING,
Lieutenant-Governor,
as Deputy for His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 50.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Lieutenant-Governor, as Deputy for the Governor, recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to amend the *Road Traffic Act 1958* to establish the Road Safety and Traffic Authority, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 19th November, 1970.

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

10. ROAD TRAFFIC (ROAD SAFETY AND TRAFFIC AUTHORITY) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of the Deputy for His Excellency the Governor's Message, No. 50.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Commonwealth Places (Administration of Laws) Bill.
Hairdressers Registration (Amendment) Bill.
Lifts and Cranes (Amendment) Bill.
12. 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.
13. MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rossiter, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 51.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to re-enact with Amendments the Law relating to the Registration of Medical Practitioners and for Purposes connected therewith.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 24th November, 1970.

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

15. **MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS BILL.**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 51.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

16. **WAYS AND MEANS—MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS REGISTRATION FEES.**—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee has agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the Medical Practitioners Bill as proposed there shall be charged and paid for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors the fees set forth hereunder, namely :—

For registration as a legally qualified medical practitioner	\$25.00
For renewal of registration as a legally qualified medical practitioner ..	\$10.00
For restoration of name to the Register pursuant to the provisions of section 10	\$20.00
For restoration of name to the Register pursuant to the provisions of section 13	\$25.00
For issue of certificate of temporary registration as a medical practitioner ..	\$10.00
For registration as a specialist practitioner	\$10.00
For late renewal of registration on or before 30th September next following ..	\$2.50
For late renewal of registration after 1st October but on or before 31st December next following	\$5.00.

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

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

17. **MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS BILL.**—Considered in Committee, and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

18. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Urban Renewal Bill (No. 2) with amendments.

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

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

20. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 38 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 29.

TUESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Aboriginal Affairs—Report of the Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—Agricultural Colleges Leases and Grants (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 272).
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Dental Mechanic Trade) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 270).
 - Apprenticeship (Electrical Trades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 271).
 - Dairy Products Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 30th June, 1970.
 - Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board—Report for the pool year ended 4th July, 1970.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Forests Act 1958—Forests (Part IV.—Miscellaneous) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 277).
 - Land Act 1958—Land Act (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 273).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—
 - Marketing of Primary Products (Polls and Elections) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 275).
 - Oats Marketing (Polls and Elections) (Eligibility for Enrolment) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 276).
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Design Rules No. 1) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 278).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 587 and 594 to 601 inclusive (nine papers).
 - Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 10) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 274).
 - Soil Conservation Authority—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - State Library National Gallery National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Act 1960—Reports and statements of account of the Building Trustees of the Library Council, National Gallery, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science of Victoria, for the years 1965–66, 1966–67, 1967–68, and 1968–69 (four papers).
 - Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Students) Order 1970 (S.R. No. 269).
 - Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Statement of guarantee given by the Treasurer for the repayment of advances made to the Victorian Inland Meat Authority.
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 Nos. 3 and 4.
4. PROBATE DUTY BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

5. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 52)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Amendment) Bill.
Stamps (Receipt Duty Abolition) Bill.
Apprenticeship (Amendment) Bill.
Water (Amendment) Bill.
Melbourne Underground Rail Loop Bill.
Westernport Development Bill.
Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Amendment) Bill.
Commonwealth Places (Administration of Laws) Bill.
Hairdressers Registration (Amendment) Bill.
Lifts and Cranes (Amendment) Bill.
7. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Wodonga Lands Exchange Bill without amendment.
8. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958 ’, to authorize the Board to engage in Research Activities and for other purposes* ”.
9. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. 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. 5.
11. TEACHING SERVICE (TRIBUNAL) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
The Constitution Act Amendment (Responsible Ministers) Bill.
Second-hand Dealers (Charity Collectors) Bill.
Water Supply Works and Services Bill.
East Melbourne Land Bill.
Justices (Bail and Appeals) Bill.
13. STRANGERS.—Motion made and question—That Hansard and the Press be re-admitted (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
At fifty-four minutes past Eight o'clock Hansard and the Press were re-admitted.
14. WATER (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to. Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be read a third time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*). Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
15. STRANGERS.—Motion made and question—That Strangers be re-admitted to the galleries (*Mr. Holding*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
At ten minutes past Ten o'clock strangers were re-admitted to the galleries.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 6 be postponed until after No. 7.
17. TEACHER HOUSING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

18. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—TEACHER HOUSING BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Thompson, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 53.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to make provision for adequate and suitable Housing Accommodation for Teachers, to provide for the Establishment of a Teacher Housing Authority, and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 29th October, 1970.

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

19. TEACHER HOUSING BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 53.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

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

20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after No. 6.

21. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

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

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

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

23. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 8 to 43 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 30.

WEDNESDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to a direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Housing Commission—Report for the year 1969–70 ; with Appendices.—Ordered to be printed.
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. WATER (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Read the third time, after debate.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

5. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after No. 2.
6. **MOTOR CAR (SAFETY) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment, and an amended title, which title is as follows :—
“ A Bill to make Provision with respect to Safety Belts in certain Motor Cars and with respect to the Hours of Driving of Motor Cars and to amend the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’.”
 Bill as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
7. **COMPANIES BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
8. **SUPERANNUATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
9. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
10. **MOTOR CAR (FEES) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
 Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
11. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 and 7 to 39 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 40.
12. **WAYS AND MEANS—MOTOR CAR FEES.**—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
 Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—
Resolved—That under and subject to the *Motor Car Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Motor Car (Fees) Bill there shall be paid to and for the use of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors the following fees, namely :—
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| (a) Upon every registration (not being a renewal of registration or re-registration in the name of the person in whose name a motor car (other than a motor cycle) is or was last registered and not being a registration in the case of a transfer from the name of one person to the name of a person who is a licensed second-hand dealer) and in addition to any other fee payable in respect of the registration | 7.00 |
| (b) Upon the issue or renewal by the Chief Commissioner of a licence to drive a motor car other than a motor cycle or to drive a motor cycle | 12.00 |
| (c) Upon the issue or renewal by the Chief Commissioner of a licence to drive a motor tractor | 4.00 |
| (d) Upon the issue or renewal by the Chief Commissioner of a motor cycle learner's licence | 2.00 |
| (e) Upon the issue by the Chief Commissioner of a motor driving instructor's licence | 40.00 |
- Ordered—That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
 The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
13. **MOTOR CAR (FEES) BILL.**—Considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
14. **MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Forests (Amendment) Bill.
 Maintenance (Amendment) Bill.
 Hire Purchase (Insurance) Bill.
 Marketable Securities (Amendment) Bill.
15. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 and 7 to 11 inclusive be postponed until after No. 12.
16. **MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. **LAND TAX BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
 Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That subject to the *Land Tax Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Land Tax Bill there shall in the case of each owner of land be charged levied collected and paid for the use of Her Majesty for the year commencing on the 1st day of January, 1971 and ending on the 31st day of December, 1972 the duty of land tax upon land as provided in the Table appended hereto :

Provided that the minimum amount of tax payable for the said year by any taxpayer assessed under the *Land Tax Act 1958* as so proposed to be amended shall be \$1.

TABLE.

Where the Amount of the Taxable Value of Land or Lands as Assessed under the <i>Land Tax Act 1958</i> :—	The Duty of Land Tax shall be :—
Does not exceed \$17,500	0·42 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value
Exceeds \$17,500 but does not exceed \$20,000 ..	\$73. 50 plus 0·62 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$17,500
Exceeds \$20,000 but does not exceed \$25,000 ..	\$89. 00 plus 0·83 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$20,000
Exceeds \$25,000 but does not exceed \$30,000 ..	\$130. 50 plus 1·05 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$25,000
Exceeds \$30,000 but does not exceed \$40,000 ..	\$183. 00 plus 1·10 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$30,000
Exceeds \$40,000 but does not exceed \$50,000 ..	\$293. 00 plus 1·14 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$40,000
Exceeds \$50,000 but does not exceed \$60,000 ..	\$407. 00 plus 1·38 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$50,000
Exceeds \$60,000 but does not exceed \$70,000 ..	\$545. 00 plus 1·60 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$60,000
Exceeds \$70,000 but does not exceed \$80,000 ..	\$705. 00 plus 1·72 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$70,000
Exceeds \$80,000 but does not exceed \$90,000 ..	\$877. 00 plus 1·83 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$80,000
Exceeds \$90,000 but does not exceed \$100,000 ..	\$1,060. 00 plus 2·06 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$90,000
Exceeds \$100,000 but does not exceed \$110,000 ..	\$1,266. 00 plus 2·18 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$100,000
Exceeds \$110,000 but does not exceed \$120,000 ..	\$1,484. 00 plus 2·29 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$110,000
Exceeds \$120,000 but does not exceed \$130,000 ..	\$1,713. 00 plus 2·52 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$120,000
Exceeds \$130,000 but does not exceed \$140,000 ..	\$1,965. 00 plus 2·75 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$130,000
Exceeds \$140,000 but does not exceed \$150,000 ..	\$2,240. 00 plus 2·86 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$140,000
Exceeds \$150,000 but does not exceed \$160,000 ..	\$2,526. 00 plus 2·98 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$150,000
Exceeds \$160,000 but does not exceed \$170,000 ..	\$2,824. 00 plus 3·09 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$160,000
Exceeds \$170,000	\$3,133. 00 plus 3·21 cents for each \$1 of the taxable value in excess of \$170,000

Where the owner of land not being land used for industrial purposes is an absentee the duty of land tax provided in the foregoing provisions of the Table shall be increased by twenty per centum and for purposes of this Table—

(a) “Absentee” means a person who does not reside in Australia and includes a person who has been absent from Australia for at least twelve months immediately prior to the time when the ownership of his land for the purposes of the Principal Act is determined unless he satisfied the Commissioner that he resides in Australia, but does not include a public officer of the Commonwealth or the State who is absent in the performance of his duties ;

(b) If at least three-fifths of the entire beneficial interest in any land is owned by absentees or if (where the land is owned by a body corporate) at least three-fifths of the issued share capital of that body corporate is held by absentees, that land shall be deemed to be wholly owned by absentees.

and

That under and subject to the *Land Tax Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Land Tax Bill there shall be charged levied and collected and paid for the use of Her Majesty a special land tax upon certain land at the rate of five cents for each dollar of the value of the land or the portion of the land in respect of which that tax is chargeable.

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

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

19. LAND TAX BILL.—Considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

20. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Aboriginal Lands Bill.
 Mines (Compensation) Bill.
 Railways Lands Bill.
 Probate Duty Bill.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Nine o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
22. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 7 to 11 inclusive, 13 to 39 inclusive, and 41 to 43 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
 Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 31.

THURSDAY, 3RD DECEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—Mr. Speaker presented—
 Auditor-General—Supplementary Report for the year 1969–70.
 Ordered to lie on the Table and be printed.
3. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
4. SECURITIES INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
5. LAND TAX BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
6. ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
7. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Teaching Service (Tribunal) Bill.
 Employers and Employés (Attachment of Wages) Bill.
8. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Stock Diseases Act 1968’, and for other purposes* ”.
9. STOCK DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Medical Practitioners Bill with amendments.
 Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.

11. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Housing (Amendment) Bill with an amendment.
 Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
12. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past One o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 38 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

FRIDAY, 4TH DECEMBER, 1970.

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

And then the House, at two minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1970.

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

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

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Automotive Machining Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 282).

Apprenticeship (Carpentry and Joinery Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 279).

Explosives Act 1960—Order in Council—Classification of Explosives (S.R. No. 283).

Forests Act 1958—Forests (Part V.—Timber Promotion) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 281).

Marine Act 1958—Port Rule applicable to Westernport Harbor Services—Rule amended (S.R. No. 284).

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works By-law No. 104 (S.R. No. 288).

Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1970 (No. 5) (S.R. No. 285).

Opticians Registration Act 1958—Opticians Registration (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 286).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 602 to 608 (seven papers).

Stamps Act 1958—Stamps (Cheques) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 280).

State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Provident Fund Amendment) General Order 1970 (S.R. No. 287).

Taxation—Analysis of Operations—Land Tax for the assessment year 1969 ; Probate Duty and Entertainment Tax for the year 1969–70.

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 70, 1969.

Shire of Alberton Coastal Planning Scheme 1962, Amendment No. 2, 1970.

3. STOCK DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
4. 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.
5. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 44.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lovegrove
Sir Henry Bolte	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Doyle	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Giniifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Kirkwood	
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner	(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Mitchell			
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Crellin		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Maclellan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 54)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Wodonga Lands Exchange Bill.
Second-hand Dealers (Charity Collectors) Bill.
Water Supply Works and Services Bill.
East Melbourne Land Bill.
The Constitution Act Amendment (Responsible Ministers) Bill.
Justices (Bail and Appeals) Bill.
Forests (Amendment) Bill.
Maintenance (Amendment) Bill.
Hire Purchase (Insurance) Bill.
Marketable Securities (Amendment) Bill.
Mines (Compensation) Bill.
Railways Lands Bill.
Probate Duty Bill.
Teaching Service (Tribunal) Bill.
Employers and Employés (Attachment of Wages) Bill.
Aboriginal Lands Bill.

7. 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.

8. STATE DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 36.		Noes, 28.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos
Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Clarey
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Evans
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Floyd
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fordham
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding
Mr. Jona	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Lewis
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey	(<i>Dundas</i>)
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Lewis
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wilcox	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire	Mr. Lind
Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>	
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Crellin	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith	Mr. Broad
Mr. Reid	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Fell

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

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Consideration of Bill in Committee continued.

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

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

9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Railway Works and Services Bill without amendment.
10. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Teacher Housing Bill with amendments. Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
11. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at half-past Nine o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 5 to 38 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
13. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fifty-one minutes past Twelve o'clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Nine o'clock this day.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 33.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PARLIAMENTARY SALARIES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 55.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill to amend Section 45 of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958* and Part I. of the *Parliamentary Salaries and Superannuation Act 1968*.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1970.

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

3. **PARLIAMENTARY SALARIES BILL.**—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 55.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

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

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

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

Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend Section 45 of ‘The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958’ and Part I. of the ‘Parliamentary Salaries and Superannuation Act 1968’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

4. **NATIONAL PARKS BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Question—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Loxton	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Templeton
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Thompson
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith
Mr. Reese	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 26.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Curnow	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Doube	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Evans	Mr. Mutton
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Broad

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time, after debate.

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

5. **WESTERN PORT STEEL WORKS (DEVELOPMENT CONTROL) BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

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

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

7. **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.

8. **GAS FRANCHISES BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed; Bill read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported with amendments; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to; read the third time.

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

9. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Water (Further Amendment) Bill without amendment.

10. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Road Traffic (Road Safety and Traffic Authority) Bill with an amendment.

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

11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, and 7 be postponed until after No. 8.
12. SOCIAL WELFARE BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

Amendment proposed—That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ this Bill be withdrawn and re-drafted to include provisions for social planning, community development, citizen involvement in welfare planning and decision making, social research beyond the compilation of statistical information, and the co-ordination and integration of all Government and Municipal welfare programmes on a regional basis ” (*Mr. Bornstein*)—and, after debate—

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

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Debate continued.

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 42.		Noes, 16.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Floyd	
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Evans	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Lewis
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Shilton
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Templeton		
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox		
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Mitchell	(<i>Bellarine</i>)		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Reid	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		
Mr. Ross-Edwards			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed.

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

13. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SOCIAL WELFARE BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 56.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of the Bill to establish a Social Welfare Department, to make Provision with respect to the Functions of that Department, to re-enact with Amendments certain Provisions of the *Children's Welfare Act 1958*, the *Gaols Act 1958*, the *Street Trading Act 1958*, the *Youth Organizations Assistance Act 1958*, and the *Social Welfare Act 1960* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 29th October, 1970.

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

14. SOCIAL WELFARE BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 56.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

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

15. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.
Motor Car (Fees) Bill.
16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Criminal Appeals Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and to be taken into consideration this day.
17. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at half-past Ten o'clock (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, 7, and 9 to 36 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until later this day.
Road Traffic (Road Safety and Traffic Authority) Bill—Amendment of the Legislative Council—To be considered.
Criminal Appeals Bill—Amendments of the Legislative Council—To be considered.
And then the House, at forty-two minutes past Four o'clock in the morning, adjourned until half-past Ten o'clock this day.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 34.

THURSDAY, 10TH DECEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—Sir Henry Bolte presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Superannuation Fund—Report of the Actuary on his Investigation at the Expiration of the triennium ended 30th June, 1968.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
The following papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Fitzroy and Murrayville—Certificates of the Minister of Education (two papers).
Hospitals and Charities Commission—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 609 to 611 (three papers).
3. MR. SPEAKER—TEMPORARY RELIEF TO.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That during the absence of Mr. Speaker, Mr. Deputy-Speaker be authorized to call upon any of the Temporary Chairmen of Committees to temporarily relieve him in the Chair (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 9 inclusive be postponed until after No. 10.
5. PARLIAMENTARY SALARIES BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
6. SUPPLY—ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
7. SUPPLY—RESOLUTIONS RESCINDED.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the resolutions reported from the Committee of Supply on 17th June last and on 22nd September last granting to Her Majesty the sums of \$139,511,000 and \$152,631,400 respectively, on account for or towards defraying certain services for the year 1970–71, be read and rescinded so far as they relate to the following service, viz. :—
Division No. 48. Pay-roll Tax—Payment to Commonwealth Government .. \$2,910,000.
—(*Mr. Rafferty*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

8. SUPPLY—ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again Tuesday next.

9. 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.

10. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That the following Address, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor to both Houses of Parliament, be agreed to by this House (for Address see p. 8 *ante*) ; debate resumed.

Question—put, and Address agreed to.

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

11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 4 and 5 be postponed until after Nos. 6 and 7.

12. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

Clause 2, page 3, paragraph (c), sub-paragraph (i), lines 22-23, omit “ or in the re-planning and subdivision of any land ”.

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

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

13. URBAN RENEWAL BILL (NO. 2).—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 2, page 3, line 8, omit “ (12) ” and insert “ (14) ”.

2. Clause 4, sub-clause (3), page 6, line 3, insert the following paragraph to follow paragraph (c) :—

“ () indicate the provision proposed to be made for the accommodation within the area or its immediate vicinity of persons who will be displaced by the implementation of the proposal and who desire to continue to reside in the area.”

3. Clause 5, sub-clause (11), page 7, paragraph (a), line 46, after “ Board ” insert “ together with a copy of objections and submissions relating to the scheme and a statement of the authority's decision thereon ”.

4. Clause 5, page 9, line 9, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (17) :—

“ () The delegates referred to in paragraph (b) of sub-section (11) shall be selected from a panel of persons nominated by the Minister from time to time as persons who may act as his delegates for the purposes of this paragraph.”

5. Clause 18, sub-clause (2), page 25, paragraph (f), line 36, omit “ (1) ”.

6. Clause 18, sub-clause (2), page 25, paragraph (f), lines 40–45, omit all words and expressions on these lines.

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

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

14. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Public Works and Services Bill.
Western Port Steel Works (Development Control) Bill.

15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Securities Industry (Amendment) Bill with amendments.

Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration later this day.

16. ORDER OF THE HOUSE RESCINDED.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Order of the House making the further consideration of Supply an Order of the Day for Tuesday next be read and rescinded and that it be made an Order of the Day for this day (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.

17. SUPPLY—ESTIMATES FOR 1970-71.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That the following sums be granted to Her Majesty to defray the charges for the year 1970-71 for the several services hereunder specified in addition to the several sums already voted in this Session of Parliament for such services, viz. :—

Division No.	PARLIAMENT.	\$	\$
1.	Legislative Council—Expenses of Select Committees	1,200	
2.	Legislative Assembly—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	98,668	
3.	Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee— Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	76,270	
4.	Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c... ..	100,000	
5.	Parliament Library—Salaries and General Expenses	28,816	
6.	Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses	54,500	
		<hr/>	359,454
	PREMIER.		
7.	Governor's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	131,130	
8.	Premier's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	565,110	
9.	State Film Centre—Salaries and General Expenses	90,624	
10.	Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	380,811	
11.	State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	117,942	
12.	Agent-General—Salaries and General Expenses	70,738	
13.	Public Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	309,798	
14.	Public Service Board Electronic Data Processing Service Bureau— Salaries and General Expenses	165,780	
15.	Audit Office—Salaries and General Expenses	321,737	
		<hr/>	2,153,670
	CHIEF SECRETARY.		
16.	Chief Secretary's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	291,845	
17.	Totalizator Administration—Salaries and General Expenses ..	35,692	
18.	State Accident Insurance Office—Salaries	336,557	
19.	State Motor Car Insurance Office—Salaries	397,744	
20.	Workers' Compensation Board—Salaries	37,482	
21.	Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	578,837	
22.	Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses ..	26,293	
23.	Government Statist—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	273,378	
24.	Police—Salaries and General Expenses	15,600,390	
25.	Police Service Board—Salaries and General Expenses	3,908	
26.	State Library National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	149,786	
27.	State Library—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,011,961	
28.	National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	90,337	
29.	Institute of Applied Science—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	61,432	
30.	National Gallery—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	409,655	
31.	Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	50,407	
32.	Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	191,767	
33.	Family Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,335,924	
34.	Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,179,224	
35.	Prisons—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,989,050	
36.	Training—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	82,526	
37.	Probation and Parole—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	236,712	
		<hr/>	26,370,907
	LABOUR AND INDUSTRY.		
38.	Labour and Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..		839,888
	EDUCATION.		
39.	Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	116,455,725	
40.	Teachers' Tribunal—Salaries and General Expenses	25,534	
		<hr/>	116,481,259
	ATTORNEY-GENERAL.		
41.	Attorney-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	722,565	
42.	Courts Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,428,772	
43.	Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles—Salaries and General Expenses	908,985	
44.	Registrar of Companies—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	202,008	
45.	Rent Control—Salaries and General Expenses	30,894	
46.	Public Trustee—Salaries and General Expenses	362,570	
		<hr/>	4,655,794

Division No.	TREASURER.	\$	\$
47.	Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	15,522,724	
49.	Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses	136,918	
50.	State Superannuation Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	185,628	
51.	Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	90,924	
52.	Taxation Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	446,090	
53.	Stamp Duties—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	454,005	
54.	Government Printer—Salaries and General Expenses	1,800,646	
		<hr/>	18,636,935
	LANDS.		
55.	Crown Lands Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,256,050	
56.	Survey—Salaries, General Expenses and Other Services	834,320	
57.	Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General Expenses	163,470	
		<hr/>	2,253,840
	PUBLIC WORKS.		
58.	Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	4,296,072	
59.	Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,029,851	
		<hr/>	5,325,923
	LOCAL GOVERNMENT.		
60.	Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	231,962	
61.	Valuer-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	251,964	
62.	Weights and Measures—Salaries and General Expenses	130,954	
63.	Town and Country Planning Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	149,109	
		<hr/>	763,989
	MINES.		
64.	Mines—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	703,443	
65.	Explosives—Salaries and General Expenses	74,587	
66.	Gas Regulation—Salaries	22,903	
		<hr/>	800,933
	AGRICULTURE.		
67.	Agriculture Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	952,464	
68.	Agricultural Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	526,910	
69.	Agriculture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	858,369	
70.	Horticulture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	992,035	
71.	Animal Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	621,770	
72.	Animal Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	412,785	
73.	Dairying—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	639,691	
74.	Extension Services—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	90,584	
		<hr/>	5,094,608
	HEALTH.		
75.	Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	26,914,320	
76.	General Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,617,080	
77.	Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,737,113	
78.	Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	2,811,540	
79.	Mental Hygiene—Salaries and General Expenses	13,847,630	
		<hr/>	47,927,683
	ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS.		
80.	Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs—Contribution to Aboriginal Affairs Fund .. ..	..	200,000
	FUEL AND POWER.		
81.	Ministry of Fuel and Power—Salaries and General Expenses .. ..	..	28,094
	RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.		
82.	Railway Construction Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services .. ..	..	56,129

Division No.	TRANSPORT.	\$	\$
83.	Ministry of Transport—Salaries, General Expenses and Other Services	..	26,232
	FORESTS.		
84.	Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	..	1,803,950
	WATER SUPPLY.		
85.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	.. .. .	7,977,200
	RAILWAYS.		
86.	Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	.. ..	56,556,246
	Total	.. .. .	<u>\$298,312,734</u>

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

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 30th day of June, 1971, the sum of \$295,402,734 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of Victoria.

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

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

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

19. APPROPRIATION BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending on the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

20. SUPPLY—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1969–70.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.

Mr. Speaker having been informed by the Chairman of Committees that clause 3 of the Appropriation Bill had not been ordered to stand part of the Bill in a Committee of the whole House—

21. APPROPRIATION BILL.—Order of the House for the transmission of the Bill to the Legislative Council desiring their concurrence therein read and rescinded ; Order of the House for third reading read and rescinded ; Bill recommitted ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

22. SUPPLY—FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1969–70.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$4,586,120 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1969–70, viz. :—

Division No.	PARLIAMENT.	\$	\$
2.	Legislative Assembly	.. .. .	822
3.	Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee	..	8
5.	Parliament Library	.. .. .	7,734
6.	Parliamentary Debates	.. .. .	2,310
		<hr/>	10,874
	PREMIER.		
7.	Governor's Office	.. .. .	1,430
8.	Premier's Office	.. .. .	224,189
9.	State Film Centre	.. .. .	404
10.	Soil Conservation Authority	.. .. .	12,639
11.	State Development	.. .. .	12,544
13.	Public Service Board	.. .. .	10,044
		<hr/>	261,250

Division No.	CHIEF SECRETARY.						\$	\$	
15.	Chief Secretary's Office	..	..	..	..	..	39,454	
16.	Totalizator Administration	..	..	..	..	..	71	
19.	Workers' Compensation Board	..	..	..	..	..	3,116	
20.	Fisheries and Wildlife	..	..	..	..	..	5,434	
21.	Government Shorthand Writer	..	..	..	..	..	4,135	
22.	Government Statist	..	..	..	..	..	5,244	
23.	Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics	..	..	..	..	..	11,338	
24.	Family Welfare	..	..	..	..	..	292,760	
25.	Youth Welfare	..	..	..	..	..	14,175	
26.	Prisons	..	..	..	..	..	64,419	
27.	Training	..	..	..	..	..	2,024	
28.	Probation and Parole	..	..	..	..	..	12,372	
29.	Police	..	..	..	..	..	112,214	
30.	Police Service Board	..	..	..	..	..	905	
31.	State Library, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Administration	..	..	..	..	..	1,996	
32.	State Library	..	..	..	..	..	2,906	
34.	Institute of Applied Science	..	..	..	..	..	8,246	
35.	National Gallery	..	..	..	..	..	7,589	
36.	Immigration	..	..	..	..	..	4,019	
							<hr/>	592,417	
	LABOUR AND INDUSTRY.								
37.	Labour and Industry	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,720
	EDUCATION.								
38.	Education	..	..	..	..	..	393,768	
39.	Teachers Tribunal	..	..	..	..	..	2,776	
							<hr/>	396,544	
	ATTORNEY-GENERAL.								
40.	Attorney-General	..	..	..	..	..	110,437	
41.	Courts Administration	..	..	..	..	..	106,921	
42.	Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles	..	..	..	..	..	18,357	
43.	Registrar of Companies	..	..	..	..	..	1,522	
44.	Rent Control	..	..	..	..	..	2,247	
45.	Public Trustee	..	..	..	..	..	12,719	
							<hr/>	252,203	
	TREASURER.								
46.	Treasury	..	..	..	..	..	1,414,534	
49.	State Superannuation Board	..	..	..	..	..	3,229	
50.	Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration	..	..	..	..	..	6,329	
52.	Stamp Duties	..	..	..	..	..	21,784	
53.	Government Printer	..	..	..	..	..	184,122	
							<hr/>	1,629,998	
	LANDS AND SURVEY.								
54.	Lands and Survey	..	..	..	..	..	..	27,608
	PUBLIC WORKS.								
56.	Public Works	..	..	..	..	..	16,650	
57.	Ports and Harbors	..	..	..	..	..	20,837	
							<hr/>	37,487	
	LOCAL GOVERNMENT.								
58.	Local Government	..	..	..	..	..	12,528	
60.	Town and Country Planning Board	..	..	..	..	..	6,852	
							<hr/>	19,380	
	MINES.								
61.	Mines	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,118
	AGRICULTURE.								
64.	Agriculture Administration	..	..	..	..	..	20,236	
66.	Agriculture	..	..	..	..	..	17,932	
67.	Horticulture	..	..	..	..	..	31,791	
68.	Animal Health	..	..	..	..	..	388	
69.	Animal Industry	..	..	..	..	..	19,029	
70.	Dairying	..	..	..	..	..	677	
							<hr/>	90,053	
	HEALTH.								
72.	Health Administration	..	..	..	..	..	102,880	
73.	General Health	..	..	..	..	..	107,178	
74.	Tuberculosis	..	..	..	..	..	5,863	
75.	Maternal and Child Welfare	..	..	..	..	..	40,379	
76.	Mental Hygiene	..	..	..	..	..	39,060	
							<hr/>	295,360	

Division No.	FUEL AND POWER.	\$	\$
78.	Ministry of Fuel and Power .. .. .	..	1,260
	RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.		
79.	Railway Construction Board .. .. .	..	2,615
	TRANSPORT.		
80.	Ministry of Transport .. .. .	..	11,040
	FORESTS.		
81.	Forests Commission .. .. .	..	76,759
	WATER SUPPLY.		
82.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission .. .. .	..	62,971
	RAILWAYS.		
83.	Railways .. .. .	..	802,463
	Total .. .. .	..	<u>\$4,586,120</u>

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

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution:—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1969–70 the sum of \$4,586,120 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue of Victoria.

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

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

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

24. CONSOLIDATED REVENUE (FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 1969–70) BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Four million five hundred and eighty-six thousand one hundred and twenty dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine and One thousand nine hundred and seventy*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day; read a second time and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

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

26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos 4, 5, 8, 9, and 11 to 35 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

Securities Industry (Amendment) Bill—Amendments of the Legislative Council—To be considered.

Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 35

TUESDAY, 15TH DECEMBER, 1970.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon Evidence in Committal Proceedings and Jurisdiction of Magistrates' Courts ; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix "A" to be printed.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Country Roads Act 1958—Hoardings and Advertisements By-law 1970 (S.R. No. 292).
 - Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—Salaries Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 290).
 - Grain Elevators Board—Report and statement of accounts for the year ended 31st October, 1969.
 - Health Act 1958—Food and Drug Standards (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 289).
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 291).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 612 to 614 (three papers.)
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 75, 1970.
4. WHEAT MARKETING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
5. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (DISABILITY BENEFITS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed : Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
6. SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASSERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.
Declaration of Bill as Urgent—Limitation of Debate.—Mr. Reid declared that the Bill was an urgent Bill and moved—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill.
Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twenty Members approved of the proposed motion being put—
Question—That the Bill be considered an urgent Bill—put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Smith
Mr. Billing	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Stephen
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Burgin	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Dunstan	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Reid	Mr. Smith
Mr. Scanlan	(<i>Bellarine</i>)

Noes, 26.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Broad	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Motion made and question—That the time allotted in connexion with the Bill be as follows :—

(a) For the second reading stage of the Bill until 9.30 p.m. this day.

(b) For the remaining stages of the Bill until 11.45 p.m. this day.

—(Mr. Reid) and, after debate, put—

The House divided.

Ayes, 37.		Noes, 28.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Broad	Mr. McDonald
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Clarey	(Rodney)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Dixon	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Evans	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dunstan	(Balwyn)	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
(Ballaarat North)	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler	(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire	(Portland)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Crellin		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reid	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

Limitation of Debate—The time allotted for the second reading stage of the Bill having expired—

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 37.		Noes, 28.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Broad	Mr. McDonald
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Clarey	(Rodney)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Dixon	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Evans	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dunstan	(Balwyn)	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
(Ballaarat North)	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler	(Dundas)	Tellers.
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire	(Portland)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Crellin		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reid	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.

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

7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 57)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

- Railway Works and Services Bill.
- Water (Further Amendment) Bill.
- Superannuation (Amendment) Bill.
- Motor Car (Fees) Bill.
- Public Works and Services Bill.
- Western Port Steel Works (Development Control) Bill.
- Housing (Amendment) Bill.

8. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Land Tax Bill.
 Environment Protection Bill.
 Gas Franchises Bill.
9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Motor Car (Safety) Bill with amendments.
 Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
10. RESIGNATION OF A MEMBER FROM PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received the following communication :—

THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,
 Melbourne,
 15th December, 1970.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

I am directed to advise that the resignation by Mr. A. H. Scanlan, M.L.A., as a Member of the Public Works Committee was submitted to the Governor-in-Council at the Meeting of the Executive Council today, 15th December, 1970.

Yours sincerely,
 J. ROSSITER,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Hon. V. Christie, M.L.A.,
 Speaker of the Legislative Assembly,
 Parliament House,
 Melbourne.

11. PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That Mr. McCabe be appointed a member of the Public Works Committee (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*)—put and agreed to.

And the House having continued to sit after Twelve of the clock—

WEDNESDAY, 16TH DECEMBER, 1970.

12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4 be postponed until after Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive.
13. ROAD TRAFFIC (ROAD SAFETY AND TRAFFIC AUTHORITY) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
 Clause 2, page 2, line 10, omit “ seven ” and insert “ eight ”.
 And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
14. SECURITIES INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
 1. Clause 4, paragraph (*f*), page 11, line 22, omit “ this ” and insert “ his ”.
 2. Clause 4, paragraph (*f*), page 11, line 27, after “ *Securities* ” insert “ *Industry* ”.
 And the said amendments were read a second time and agreed to by the House.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
15. LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
 Title, after “ 1958 ” insert “ and the *Mines Act 1958* ”.
 And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 8 be postponed until after Nos. 9 to 15 inclusive.
17. MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
 1. Clause 37, paragraph (*b*), page 21, lines 2–3, omit “ Board of Reference ” and insert “ Practitioners Qualification Committee ”.
 2. Clause 37, paragraph (*g*), omit “ or necessary or expedient to be prescribed ”.
 And the said amendments were read a second time and agreed to by the House.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.

18. **TEACHER HOUSING BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 13, paragraph (c), omit “ land ” and insert “ disposing of land (not being Crown land reserved under section 14 of the *Land Act* 1958) ”.
 2. Clause 14, line 17, omit “,houses and improvements”.
 3. Clause 14, line 18, after “ teachers ” insert “ and all houses on land of the Crown that are under the management or control of the Education Department for providing housing accommodation of teachers ”.
 4. Clause 14, line 19, omit “ title, ”.
 5. Clause 25, sub-clause (1), lines 31–32, omit “ or are necessary or expedient to be prescribed ”.
- And the said amendments were read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
19. **CRIMINAL APPEALS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 2, page 1, line 17, after “ passed ” insert “ and is satisfied that an appeal should be brought in the public interest ”.
 2. Clause 2, page 2, line 6, omit “ of the Attorney-General’s ” and insert “ in writing signed by the Attorney-General personally of his ”.
 3. Clause 2, page 2, line 7, after “ section ” insert “ and setting forth the grounds of the appeal ”.
 4. Clause 3, line 42, after “ made ” insert “ and is satisfied that an appeal should be brought in the public interest ”.
 5. Clause 3, page 3, line 6, after “ notice in writing ” insert “ signed by the Attorney-General personally ”.
 6. Clause 3, page 3, line 7, after “ section ” insert “ and setting forth the grounds of the appeal ”.
- And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
20. **GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
- Clause 2, omit this clause.
- And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
21. **SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASS TO FARMS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—
- Clause 2, page 2, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (5) :—
- “ () It shall be a defence to a prosecution for an offence against sub-section (5) if the defendant satisfies the court that he did not actually engage in ferreting on that land but was approaching the residence of the occupier of the land along a defined or customary path for the purpose of applying for such consent.”
- And the said amendment was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendment.
22. **REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 3, line 11, omit “ may ” and insert “ shall ”.
 2. Clause 5, line 29, omit “ or still birth ”.
- And the said amendments were read a second time and agreed to by the House.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
23. **MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same with amendments with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
24. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4 be postponed until after Nos. 8 and 16 to 18 inclusive.

25. FOOTWEAR REGULATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 3, insert the following interpretation to follow the interpretation of “sole” :—
“Upper” means the part of the shoe to which the sole is affixed.’
2. Clause 4, sub-clause (1), insert the following paragraph to follow paragraph (a) :—
() in the case of shoes which consist entirely of leather the words “all leather sole and upper ;”’.
3. Clause 4, page 3, line 6, after “sole” insert “without describing the materials or any of them as any kind of leather hide or calf”.

And the said amendments were read a second time.

Motion made and question—That the amendments be disagreed with (*Mr. Rafferty*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 33.		Noes, 25.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Birrell	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Broad	(<i>Rodney</i>)
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Burgin	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Dunstan	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	Mr. Evans	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Evans	Mr. Templeton	(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Whiting
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Tellers.
Mr. McLaren		Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.	(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Crellin		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reid	(<i>Bellarine</i>)		
Mr. Rossiter			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

29. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 19 be postponed until after Nos. 20 and 21.

30. SCIENCE MUSEUM OF VICTORIA BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

31. NATIONAL MUSEUM OF VICTORIA COUNCIL BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same with an amendment with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
32. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at Two o'clock (*Mr. Thompson*)—put and agreed to.
33. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 19, and 22 to 33 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
34. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Thompson*)—after debate, put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 19.		Noes, 14.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Amos	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Sir Edgar Tanner	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Trewin
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Doube	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. McLaren		Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maclellan		(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Reid		Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Lind
Mr. Rossiter	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Hayes		
Mr. Smith	Mr. Smith		
(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	(<i>Bellarine</i>)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And then the House, at three minutes past Three o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Two o'clock this day.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 36.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH DECEMBER, 1970.

- The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That a Chair be provided on the floor of the House for the Honorable Dr. Vincent Tabone, M.P., Minister for Labour Employment and Welfare, Malta (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
- PAPERS.—
The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Health Act 1958—Report of the Commission of Public Health for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
Library Council of Victoria—Report for the year 1968–69.
State Accident Insurance Office and the State Motor Car Insurance Office—Report, balance sheets, and statements of accounts for the year 1969–70.
- MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—
Agreeing to the amendments made by the Assembly in the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Bill.
Agreeing to the amendment made by the Assembly in the National Museum of Victoria Council Bill.
Not insisting on their amendments disagreed with by the Assembly in the Footwear Regulation Bill.

5. PRESENTATION OF ADDRESS IN REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—Mr. Speaker reported that, as directed by this Honorable House, he had, that day, waited upon His Excellency the Governor and presented to him the Address of the Legislative Assembly, agreed to on 10th December instant, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency on the Opening of Parliament.

His Excellency was pleased to make the following Reply :—

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

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

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Melbourne, 16th December, 1970.

6. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That the "Grievance Day" provisions of Standing Order No. 273C be suspended for to-morrow (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.
8. MOTOR CAR (SAFETY) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 2, page 2, line 16, omit "safety" and insert "seat".
 2. Clause 2, page 2, line 19, after "belt" insert "of a type and standard prescribed by the regulations".
 3. Clause 2, page 2, line 20, after "belt" insert "of a type and standard prescribed by the regulations".
 4. Clause 2, page 2, lines 31–32, omit "the first day of March, 1971" and insert "a day to be fixed by proclamation of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette*."
 5. Clause 2, page 2, line 34, omit "device or contrivance" and insert "or device".
 6. Clause 2, page 2, line 36, omit "device or contrivance" and insert "or device".

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

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

9. SUMMARY OFFENCES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

10. PARLIAMENTARY SALARIES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Assembly and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Assembly.

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

11. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 58.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Revenue for the purposes of a Bill relating to the Salaries Allowances and Fees of certain Public Officers and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1970.

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

12. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 58.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole,

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Revenue.

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

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

Sir Henry Bolte then brought up a Bill intituled “*A Bill relating to the Salaries Allowances and Fees of certain Public Officers and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day; read a second time, after debate, and committed; considered in Committee and reported without amendment; read the third time.

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

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

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

14. 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—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

[Mr. Speaker left the Chair at thirty-seven minutes past Five o'clock and resumed it at nineteen minutes past Eight o'clock.]

18. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Social Welfare Bill with amendments.

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

1. Clause 1, pages 2–3, omit the words and expressions commencing with the expression “Division 9.—Employment of Children ss. 75–81.” and ending at the end of the clause and insert the following expression :—

“Division 9.—Employment of Children ss. 75–80.

Division 10.—Miscellaneous Provisions ss. 81–84.

Part III.—Youth Welfare Division ss. 85–110.

Division 1.—Administration and Functions ss. 85–86.

Division 2.—Youth Advisory Council ss. 87–91.

Division 3.—Remand Centres, Youth Training Centres, Youth Hostels, and Youth Welfare Services ss. 92–94.

Division 4.—Detention of Young Persons ss. 95–99.

Division 5.—Admission of Young Persons ss. 100–104.

Division 6.—Placement and Supervision of Young Persons ss. 105–107.

Division 7.—Miscellaneous Provisions ss. 108–110.

Part IV.—Prisons Division ss. 111–145.

Division 1.—Administration and Functions ss. 111–112.

Division 2.—Constitution and Officers ss. 113–121.

Division 3.—Treatment of Prisoners ss. 122–130.

Division 4.—Offences ss. 131–142.

Division 5.—Miscellaneous ss. 143–145.

Part V.—Research and Statistics Division ss. 146–147.

Part VI.—Training Division ss. 148–152.

Division 1.—Administration and Functions ss. 148–150.

Division 2.—Social Welfare Training Council ss. 151–152.

Part VII.—Probation and Parole Division ss. 153–177.

Division 1.—Interpretation s. 153.

Division 2.—Administration and Functions ss. 154–155.

Division 3.—Youth Parole Board ss. 156–177.

Part VIII.—General ss. 178–182.”

2. Clause 16, lines 25–26, omit “ and no available legal proceedings can be taken to obtain sufficient means of support for such child ”.
3. Clause 16, line 27, after “ child ” insert “ and who is prepared to take all necessary legal proceedings that are available for obtaining sufficient means of support for such child ”.
4. Clause 17, sub-clause (2), line 38, after “ unnecessary ” insert “ and may, on behalf of such child, take proceedings under Part I. of the *Maintenance Act* 1965 against any person liable to contribute to the support of such child ”.
5. Clause 17, page 12, line 1, omit “ (2) ” and insert “ (3) ”.
6. Clause 17, sub-clause (2), page 12, line 1, omit “ The ” and insert “ With the consent of any applicant the ”.
7. Clause 17, page 12, line 2, after “ him ” insert “ with the consent of the applicant ”.
8. Clause 17, page 12, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (2) :—
“ () Where it appears to a stipendiary magistrate in chambers that an applicant is unreasonably withholding his consent to a requirement to furnish a report under the preceding sub-section the stipendiary magistrate may make an order dispensing with the applicant’s consent.”.
9. Clause 44, insert the following sub-clause to follow sub-clause (2) :—
“ () Particulars of every such determination shall be published in the *Government Gazette*.”.
10. Clause 61, line 34, omit “ may ”.
11. Clause 70, line 10, omit “ house ” and insert “ home ”.
12. Clause 79, line 25, omit “ 79 ” and insert “ 79 (1) ”.
13. Clause 79, insert the following sub-clause to follow this clause :—
“ () The street-trading provisions of this Division shall apply only within such portion or portions of Victoria as are specified by proclamation of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette* and the Governor in Council may by the like proclamation revoke or vary any such proclamation.”
14. Clause 80, sub-clause (1), page 38, line 31, omit “ take part ” and insert “ be employed ”.
15. Clause 80, sub-clause (2), page 39, line 3, omit “ taking part ” and insert “ employed ”.
16. Clause 86, sub-clause (2), paragraph (d), line 35, omit “ establishing ” and insert “ establish ”.
17. Clause 98, sub-clause (1), page 48, line 6, omit the words and expressions on this line.
18. Clause 103, sub-clause (3), line 36, omit “ section ” and insert “ Division ”.
19. Clause 105, paragraph (a), page 50, line 32, omit “ 93 ” and insert “ 92 ”.
20. Clause 105, paragraph (h), page 51, line 1, omit “ on ” and insert “ or ”.
21. Clause 107, sub-clause (1), line 23, omit “ 106 ” and insert “ 105 ”.
22. Clause 109, line 31, omit “ 106 ” and insert “ 105 ”.
23. Clause 110, line 41, omit “ 106 ” and insert “ 105 ”.
24. Clause 125, sub-clause (2), line 19, omit “ 116 ” and insert “ 115 ”.
25. Clause 127, line 39, omit “ 136 ” and insert “ 135 ”.
26. Clause 127, line 40, omit “ 137 ” and insert “ 136 ”.
27. Clause 141, sub-clause (1), line 14, omit “ section 138 or section 139 ” and insert “ section 137 or section 138 ”.
28. Clause 146, sub-clause (2), line 15, after “ Research ” insert “ and Statistics ”.
29. Clause 146, sub-clause (3), line 18, after “ Research ” insert “ and Statistics ”.
30. Clause 147, line 20, after “ Research ” insert “ and Statistics ”.
31. Clause 151, sub-clause (12), paragraph (b), page 68, line 11, omit “ prescribed ” and insert “ prescribe ”.
32. Clause 167, sub-clause (4), line 22, omit “ 97 ” and insert “ 96 ”.
33. Clause 168, sub-clause (1), line 27, omit “ 168 ” and insert “ 167 ”.
34. Clause 171, sub-clause (4), page 74, line 43, omit “ 178 ” and insert “ 177 ”.
35. Clause 173, sub-clause (1), line 8, omit “ 175 ” and insert “ 174 ”.
36. Clause 177, sub-clause (2), page 77, line 41, omit “ 97 ” and insert “ 96 ”.
37. Clause 182, paragraph (n), page 80, line 8, omit “ 132 ” and insert “ 131 ”.
38. Clause 182, paragraph (ae), page 81, lines 36–37, omit “ or necessary or expedient to be prescribed ”.
39. Schedule Two, omit “ Division 2. of Part II. of the *Adoption of Children Act* 1964 ” and insert “ Sections 17–22, section 48, section 50, and paragraphs (c), (d), (e), and (f) of section 67 of the *Adoption of Children Act* 1964.”
40. Schedule Three, omit “ section 130 ” and insert “ section 129 ”.

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

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

19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or, if Mr. Speaker is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 15 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next sitting of the House.

And then the House, at forty-six minutes past Eight o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or the Chairman of Committees and notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter, as determined by resolution of the House at this sitting.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 37.

TUESDAY, 2ND MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to the terms of the resolution of the 16th December last, Mr. Speaker having fixed this day at half-past Three o'clock as the time of meeting—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—ENTRY TOLL TO PHILLIP ISLAND.—Mr. Maclellan presented a Petition from certain ratepayers and residents of Phillip Island and certain citizens of the State of Victoria praying that the House will take such action as it thinks fit to prevent any toll, levy or charge being imposed for entry to Phillip Island.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

3. PAPERS:—Sir Arthur Rylah presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Victoria Police Force—Report on the Victoria Police Force following an inspection by Colonel Sir Eric St. Johnston, C.B.E., Q.P.M., H.M. Chief Inspector of Constabulary for England and Wales, 1967–70.

Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

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

Aboriginal Affairs Act 1967—Aboriginal Affairs (Cadetships Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 315/1970).

Agricultural Colleges Act 1958—Agricultural Colleges (Cadets in Training) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 17/1971).

Agricultural Lime Act 1958—Agricultural Lime (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 306/1970).

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Bricklaying Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 332/1970).

Apprenticeship (Modular Courses No. 1) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 334/1970).

Apprenticeship (Modular Courses No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 13/1971).

Apprenticeship (Radio Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 304/1970).

Apprenticeship (Waiting Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 333/1970).

Apprenticeship (Watch Making Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 12/1971).

Apprenticeship (Wood Machining Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 305/1970).

Boilers and Pressure Vessels Act 1970—

Boilers and Pressure Vessels (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 329/1970).

Boilers and Pressure Vessels (Steam Engine Drivers and Boiler Attendants) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 331/1970).

Boilers and Pressure Vessels (Welders) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 330/1970).

Coal Mines Act 1958—Coal Mines (Miners' Accident Relief) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 3/1971).

Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—Salaries Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 6/1971).

Education Act 1958—

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

Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1971, No. 2 (S.R. No. 7/1971).

Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1971, No. 3 (S.R. No. 15/1971).

Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1971, No. 4 (S.R. No. 35/1971).

Resumption of land at Preston—Certificate of the Minister of Education.

Evidence by Commission Acts 1859 and 1885 (Imperial)—Chief Justice's (Evidence by Commission) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 300/1970).

Exhibition Trustees—Report for the year 1969–70.

Fertilizers Act 1958—Fertilizers (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 307/1970).

Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Pyramid Hill Historical Museum) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 297/1970).

- Fisheries Act 1968—Fisheries (Boat Registration) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 30/1971).
- Friendly Societies Act 1958—Friendly Societies Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 24/1971).
- Game Act 1958—Proclamation varying game licence fees (S.R. No. 298/1970).
- Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust—Statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.
- Groundwater Act 1969—Groundwater Appeal Board Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 20/1971).
- Hairdressers Registration Act 1958—Hairdressers Registration (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 9/1971).
- Hospitals Superannuation Board—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
- Justices Act 1958—
- Justices Act (Alternative Procedure) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 321/1970).
 - Justices Act (Fees, Costs and Charges) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 328/1970).
- Labour and Industry Act 1958—
- Labour and Industry (Engine Drivers and Boiler Attendants) (Repeal) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 336/1970).
 - Labour and Industry (Explosive-Powered Tools) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 36/1971).
- Land Surveyors Act 1958—Land Surveyors (Title Surveys) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 337/1970).
- Land Transport in Victoria—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Board of Inquiry appointed to inquire into land transport in Victoria.
- La Trobe University—Report of the Council for the year 1969.
- Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Council of Legal Education—Rules amended (S.R. No. 316/1970).
- Lifts and Cranes Act 1967—Lifts (Inspection Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. 335/1970).
- Liquor Control Act 1968—Liquor Control (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 32/1971).
- Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—
- Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board (Egg Grades) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 313/1970).
 - Proclamation dissolving the Maize Marketing Board.
 - Revocation of Regulations of Maize Marketing Board (S.R. No. 1/1971).
- Medical Act 1958—Pharmacy (Colleges and Boards of Pharmacy Recognised by the Board) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 324/1970).
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendment No. 3/70 Special Berth and Dangerous Goods Regulations) (S.R. No. 317/1970).
 - Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Miscellaneous Amendments No. 1/71) (S.R. No. 10/1971).
- Melbourne University—Report for the year 1969 ; together with statutes, regulations, and amendments, allowed by His Excellency the Governor of Victoria during 1969.
- Mental Health Act 1959—
- Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1970 (No. 6) (S.R. No. 323/1970).
 - Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 1) (S.R. No. 19/1971).
- Mental Health Authority—Report for the year 1969.—Ordered to be printed.
- Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board Superannuation (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 21/1971).
- Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—
- Milk and Dairy Supervision (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 308/1970).
 - Milk and Dairy Supervision (Methylene Blue Test) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 34/1971).
- Mines Department—Report for the year 1969.
- Money Lenders Act 1958—Money Lenders (Prescribed Interest) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 314/1970).
- Motor Boating Act 1961—Motor Boating (Shire of Goulburn) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 296/1970).
- Motor Car Act 1958—
- Motor Car (Design Rules No. 2) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 327/1970).
 - Motor Car (Safety Belts) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 326/1970).
 - Motor Car (Third Party Insurance) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 325/1970).
 - Motor Car (Transfer and Roadworthiness Testing Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 4/1971).
- Nurses Act 1958—Nurses (Training) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 299/1970).
- Pesticides Act 1958—Pesticides (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 309/1970).
- Poisons Act 1962—
- Drugs of Addiction and Restricted Substances Regulations 1971 (No. 1) (S.R. No. 8/1971).
 - Special Poisons (Levodopa) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 2/1971).

- Police Offences Act 1958—Police Offences (Obscene Publications) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 33/1971).
- Police Regulation Act 1958—
 Determinations Nos. 172, 173, 174 and 175 of the Police Service Board (four papers).
 Police (Applications for Vacancies) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 295/1970).
 Police (Authorized Strength No. 2) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 294/1970).
 Police (Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 22/1971).
- Portland Harbor Trust Commissioners—Statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.
- Port Phillip Authority Act 1966—Port Phillip Authority (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 322/1970).
- Port Phillip Authority—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
- Public Service Act 1958—
 Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations—Regulations amended (S.R. No. 18/1971).
 Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 615 to 619 inclusive, 621 to 677 inclusive (sixty-two papers).
- Racing Act 1958—Racing (Licensing of Racecourses Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 29/1971).
- Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railways Commissioners for the quarter ended 30th September, 1970.
- Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages Act 1959—Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Revised Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 28/1971).
- Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Act 1961—Land Settlement Purchase Lease (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 293/1970).
- Rural Finance and Settlement Commission—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
- Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 11) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 320/1970).
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 11/1971).
 Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 2.) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 26/1971).
- Seeds Act 1958—Seeds (Standards) (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 310/1970).
- Social Welfare Act 1960—Social Welfare (Health Services Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 37/1971).
- Stamps Act 1958—Stamps (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 25/1971).
- State Electricity Commission Act 1958—State Electricity Commission Cathodic Protection (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 27/1971).
- State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Amendment No. 9) General Order 1971 (S.R. No. 16/1971).
- Stock Foods Act 1958—Stock Foods (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 319/1970).
- Stock Medicines Act 1958—Stock Medicines (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 311/1970).
- Strata Titles Act 1967—Strata Titles (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 14/1971).
- Sunday Entertainment Act 1967—Sunday Entertainment Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 31/1971).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—
 Supreme Court (Applications to Strike Off Rolls) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 318/1970).
 Supreme Court (Court Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 23/1971).
 Supreme Court (Masters' Secretaries) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 302/1970).
 Supreme Court (Probate Costs) (Further Amendment) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 303/1970).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—Instruments Act 1958—Supreme Court (Instruments Act Costs) Rules 1970 (S.R. No. 301/1970).
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 City of Bendigo Planning Scheme 1962.
 Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment Nos. 10 and 11, 1969 (City of Geelong) (two papers).
 Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 17, 1969, Amendment Nos. 19 and 22, 1970 (Shire of South Barwon) (three papers).
 Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Amendment Nos. 9 and 18 (two papers).
 Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Amendment Nos. 19A and 19B, 1970 (two papers).
 Shire of Lillydale Planning Scheme 1958, Amendment No. 11, 1969.
 Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 53, 1970.
 Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment Nos. 25 and 29, 1969 (two papers).
- Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1958—Vegetation and Vine Diseases (Fees) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 312/1970).
- Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Statement of guarantee given by the Treasurer for the repayment of advances made to the Victorian Inland Meat Authority.

Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 6) Regulations 1970 (S.R. No. 250/1970).

West Gate Bridge—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Royal Commission appointed to enquire into the failure of the bridge known as West Gate Bridge.

Workers' Compensation Board—Balance Sheet and Statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.

4. VICTORIA POLICE FORCE—REPORT BY COLONEL SIR ERIC ST. JOHNSTON, C.B.E., Q.P.M.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the report on the Victoria Police Force following an inspection by Colonel Sir Eric St. Johnston, C.B.E., Q.P.M., H.M. Chief Inspector of Constabulary for England and Wales, 1967–70 be taken into consideration to-morrow (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

5. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—

Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Racing (Amendment) Bill.

State Development Bill.

Statutory Salaries Bill.

National Parks Bill.

Workers Compensation Bill.

Summary Offences (Trespassers) Bill.

Appropriation Bill.

Consolidated Revenue (Final Supplementary Estimates 1969–70) Bill.

Parliamentary Salaries Bill.

Agreeing to the amendment made by the Assembly in the Dog Bill.

6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 59)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 22nd December last, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—

Urban Renewal Bill (No. 2).

Wheat Marketing (Amendment) Bill.

Local Authorities Superannuation (Disability Benefits) Bill.

Land Tax Bill.

Environment Protection Bill.

Gas Franchises Bill.

Road Traffic (Road Safety and Traffic Authority) Bill.

Securities Industry (Amendment) Bill.

Land (Amendment) Bill.

Medical Practitioners Bill.

Teacher Housing Bill.

Criminal Appeals Bill.

Groundwater (Amendment) Bill.

Summary Offences (Trespass to Farms) Bill.

Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages (Amendment) Bill.

Tomato Processing Industry (Amendment) Bill.

Weights and Measures (Amendment) Bill.

Science Museum of Victoria Bill.

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Bill.

National Museum of Victoria Council Bill.

Footwear Regulation Bill.

Motor Car (Safety) Bill.

Summary Offences Bill.

Fertilizers and Stock Foods (Labelling) Bill.

Architects (Amendment) Bill.

Stock Diseases (Amendment) Bill.

Dog Bill.

Racing (Amendment) Bill.

State Development Bill.

Statutory Salaries Bill.

National Parks Bill.

Workers Compensation Bill.

Summary Offences (Trespassers) Bill.

Parliamentary Salaries Bill.

Consolidated Revenue (Final Supplementary Estimates 1969-70) Bill.

Social Welfare Bill.

7. APPROPRIATION BILL.—Mr. Speaker announced that, on 22nd December last, he had presented to His Excellency the Governor the Appropriation Bill, to which His Excellency was pleased to give the Royal Assent.
8. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Sir Arthur Rylah, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Police Regulation Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. AUDIT (RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS) BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Sir Arthur Rylah, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Recovery of Overpayments made to certain Persons and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
10. TRANSFER OF LAND (DUPLICATE CERTIFICATES) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Dunstan, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Transfer of Land Act 1958 ’ with respect to Duplicate Crown Grants and Certificates of Title, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
11. EVIDENCE (REGISTRATION OF COMMISSIONERS) BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision for the Registration of Commissioners for taking Declarations and Affidavits under the ‘ Evidence Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
12. MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Wilcox, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Municipal Association Act 1907 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
13. FIREARMS BILL.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Arthur Rylah, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Firearms Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
14. CHURCHILL WATER AND SEWERAGE WORKS BILL.—Mr. Dunstan, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision concerning certain Water and Sewerage Works at Churchill, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
15. ORDER OF THE HOUSE RESCINDED.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Order of the House making the second reading of the Firearms Bill an Order of the Day for to-morrow be read and rescinded and that it be made an Order of the Day for this day (*Sir Arthur Rylah*)—put and agreed to.
16. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1971.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Sir Henry Bolte, and the same was read :—

1971.

VICTORIA.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1971-72.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 60.

The Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly an estimate of expenditure for the months of July, August and September in the year 1971-72, and recommends an Appropriation accordingly.

Government Offices,

Melbourne, 2nd March, 1971.

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

17. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MUNICIPALITIES ASSISTANCE FUND) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Wilcox, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 61.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to amend section 250 of the *Local Government Act 1958*.

The Governor's Office,

Melbourne, 2nd March, 1971.

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

18. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MUNICIPALITIES ASSISTANCE FUND) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 61.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Balfour do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Wilcox then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Section 250 of the ‘ Local Government Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day Government Business, Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.
20. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1971.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
21. CHURCHILL WATER AND SEWERAGE WORKS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Amos*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 16th March instant.
22. TRANSFER OF LAND (DUPLICATE CERTIFICATES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
23. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MUNICIPALITIES ASSISTANCE FUND) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
24. MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Wilcox*)—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
25. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—GEELONG LAND (SPECIAL GRANT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 62.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to provide for the Revocation of the Reservation of certain Land in the City of Geelong temporarily reserved as a site for Municipal Buildings and for the Grant thereof to the President Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Barrabool, and for other purposes.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 2nd March, 1971.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
26. GEELONG LAND (SPECIAL GRANT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 62.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That Mr. Borthwick and Mr. Balfour do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to provide for the Revocation of the Reservation of certain Land in the City of Geelong temporarily reserved as a site for Municipal Buildings and for the Grant thereof to the President Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Barrabool, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

27. FIREARMS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
28. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Smith, Warrnambool*)—put and agreed to.
29. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive and 8, and Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
- Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until Tuesday next:—
- Audit (Recovery of Overpayments) Bill—Second reading.*
- Evidence (Registration of Commissioners) Bill—Second reading.*
30. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 38.

TUESDAY, 9TH MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. RESIGNATION OF SEAT.—Mr. Speaker announced that on Friday, 5th March instant, he had received the following letter :—

OLD TREASURY BUILDING
SPRING STREET
MELBOURNE, 3000
5 March, 1971.

The Honorable Vernon Christie, M.P.,
The Speaker,
Parliament House,
Melbourne, 3002.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

I desire to tender my resignation from State Parliament as from this date.

I feel that the time has come when a younger person should represent the electors of Kew in State Parliament and the opportunity should be given to the Parliamentary Liberal Party to elect a younger Deputy Leader.

I have been the Member for Kew for 21 years and during that period I have made many friends among Members of both Houses of Parliament. Naturally, I tender my resignation with considerable regret. I cannot speak too highly of the dedication and competence of the officers and staff of Parliament.

May I express to you my personal thanks for the many courtesies which you have extended to me in your capacity as Speaker during the time you have occupied the high office of Speaker.

Yours sincerely,

ARTHUR RYLAH,
Chief Secretary.

3. RESIGNATION OF MEMBER.—Motion made and question—That this House records its appreciation of the valuable services rendered to the Parliament and the people of Victoria by the Honorable Sir Arthur Gordon Rylah, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D., as Member of the Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Kew since 17th December, 1949 ; Chief Secretary and Deputy Premier since 1955 ; Attorney-General from 1955 to 1967 ; Minister of Education in 1955 ; and Minister of Health in 1965 (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
4. PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.—Mr. Wheeler, Chairman, brought up a Report from the Public Accounts Committee upon Government expenditure on tourism ; together with an Appendix. Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
5. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Adult Education—Report of the Council for the year 1969–70.
 - Agricultural Education Cadetships Act 1969—Agricultural Education Cadetships (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 39).
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Lilydale—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Extractive Industries Act 1966—Extractive Industries General Operating (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 44).
 - Health Act 1958—
 - Food and Drug Standards (Shandy) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 41).
 - Night-Soil and Sewage (Contamination of Land) Amendment Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 40).

Justices Act 1958—Justices Act (Amendment) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 43).

Poisons Act 1962—Poisons (Licensing) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 42).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 678 to 680 (inclusive) (three papers).

Teaching Service Act 1958—

Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations—Regulations amended (three papers).

Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations—Regulations amended (three papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 78, 1970.

Water Act 1958—Water (Pykes Creek Reservoir and Lake Merrimu Recreational Area) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 38).

6. ADJOURNMENT.—MOTION FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION.—Mr. Lind rose in his place, and said that he proposed to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, “the failure of the Government to adequately administer staff, and maintain, the State’s mental hospitals and other institutions controlled by the Mental Health Authority.”

Mr. Speaker having ascertained that twelve Members approved of the proposed discussion—

Motion made and question—That the House do now adjourn (*Mr. Lind*)—after debate, put. The House divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Lewis
(<i>Dundas</i>)	(<i>Portland</i>)

Noes, 45.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Broad
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan

And so it passed in the negative.

7. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Stock (Artificial Breeding) Act 1962’*”.
8. STOCK (ARTIFICIAL BREEDING) (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Balfour, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. THE CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT (REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE) BILL.—Mr. Wilkes obtained leave, with Mr. Holding, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend ‘The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958’ and for other purposes*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
10. 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 Nos. 3 to 6 inclusive.
11. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
- Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

12. AUDIT (RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to. Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 23rd March instant.
13. EVIDENCE (REGISTRATION OF COMMISSIONERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. GEELONG LAND (SPECIAL GRANT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at Four o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, and 7 to 17 inclusive and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
17. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 39.

WEDNESDAY, 10TH MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCES) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Motor Car Act 1958’ and the ‘Crimes Act 1958’ with respect to Preliminary Breath Tests of the Drivers of Motor Cars, the Use in Evidence of Blood Tests and Breath Tests upon Proceedings for Offences against the said Act, and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
3. LIQUOR CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Liquor Control Act 1968’ and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to vary the Trusts of Property in Victoria held for the Purposes of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria and to enable certain Arrangements entered into between the Presbyterian Churches of New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Tasmania and Western Australia to be carried into Effect and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. SNOWY MOUNTAINS ENGINEERING CORPORATION (VICTORIA) BILL.—Mr. Dunstan obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill relating to the Performance of Work within Victoria by the Snowy Mountains Engineering Corporation*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

6. TEACHER DISPUTE.—Motion made and question—That there be a Select Committee of eight members appointed to inquire into and report upon the present breakdown in negotiations between the Minister of Education and members of the teaching profession, resulting in the failure of Melbourne High School to perform its education function ; such inquiry to specially include reference to—

1. The desirability or otherwise of the Government agreeing to advise and/or instruct its representatives on the Teachers Tribunal ;
2. The desirability or otherwise of the Government agreeing to the appointment of a full-time Government representative to work solely on the secondary and technical tribunals ;
3. The desirability or otherwise of the Government agreeing to appoint a mutually agreed upon additional and properly independent chairman to be the only chairman of the secondary and technical tribunals ;
4. The desirability or otherwise of the Government agreeing to return the tribunal's appeal function to the respective tribunals ; and
5. The desirability or otherwise of the Government agreeing to revoke the legislation that lets the Chairman constitute the tribunal by himself—

such Committee to have power to send for persons, papers, and records, to meet from place to place, and to sit on days on which the House does not meet ; five to be the quorum (*Mr. Doube*)—after debate, put.

Ayes, 22.			Noes, 37.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind		Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lovegrove		Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton		Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton		Sir Henry Bolte	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds		Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise		Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull		Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes		Mr. Dixon	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton		Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Lewis			Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>		(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
			Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
			Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox
			Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
			Mr. Maclellan	
			Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
			Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith
			Mr. Reese	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
			Mr. Reid	Mr. Taylor
			Mr. Ross-Edwards	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

7. SNOWY MOUNTAINS ENGINEERING CORPORATION (VICTORIA) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).

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

8. STOCK (ARTIFICIAL BREEDING) (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

9. TRANSFER OF LAND (DUPLICATE CERTIFICATES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desire therein.

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

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

11. FIREARMS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

12. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—FIREARMS BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 63.

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

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 2nd March, 1971.

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

13. FIREARMS BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 63.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

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

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

15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 14 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 40.

TUESDAY, 16TH MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the *Disposal of Uncollected Goods Act 1961*; together with Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 46).
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Studfield East—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—
 - The Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board (Registration of Producers) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 47).
 - Tobacco Leaf Marketing (Polls and Elections) (Eligibility for Enrolment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 48).
 - Melbourne University—Financial Statements for the year 1969.
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Transfer and Roadworthiness Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 50).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 681 to 683 inclusive (three papers).
 - Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 49).
 - State Electricity Commission Act 1958—State Electricity Commission Falls Creek Tourist Area Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 45).
4. 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.
5. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA BILL.—Order for second reading read; Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 30th March instant.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, and 4 to 6 inclusive be postponed until after No. 7.
7. VICTORIA POLICE FORCE—REPORT BY COLONEL SIR ERIC ST. JOHNSTON, C.B.E., Q.P.M.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Report having been read—
Motion made and question proposed—That this House takes note of the Report on the Victoria Police Force following an inspection by Colonel Sir Eric St. Johnston, C.B.E., Q.P.M., H.M. Chief Inspector of Constabulary for England and Wales, 1967–70 (*Mr. Reid*)—and, after debate—
Amendment proposed—That the following words be added to the motion :—“and in view of the contents resolves that the Government, having failed to provide and maintain an adequate police force, deserves the strongest censure of this House” (*Mr. Wilkes*)—and, after debate—
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Whiting*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
8. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the 'Country Roads Act 1958'*”.

9. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
 10. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Litter Act 1964’ with respect to Proceedings for certain Offences against that Act and for Purposes connected therewith*”.
 11. LITTER (PROCEEDINGS FOR OFFENCES) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
 12. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Three o’clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
 13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 2, 4 to 6 inclusive, and 8 to 17 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
 14. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at twenty-six minutes past Ten o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 41.

WEDNESDAY, 17TH MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 684 to 686 inclusive (three papers).
3. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘County Court Act 1958’*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
4. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (EQUITY TRUSTEES) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to vary the Restrictions imposed in relation to the Capital and Shares of The Equity Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited, to amend the Second Schedule of the ‘Trustee Companies Act 1958’ and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. SCAFFOLDING BILL.—Mr. Rafferty obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Erection and Use of Scaffolding and for other purposes*”; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
6. MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 31st March instant.
7. SCAFFOLDING BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rafferty*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Simmonds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 31st March instant.
8. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

9. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fell*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
10. LITTER (PROCEEDINGS FOR OFFENCES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Kirkwood*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
11. CHURCHILL WATER AND SEWERAGE WORKS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5 be postponed until after No. 6.
13. EVIDENCE (REGISTRATION OF COMMISSIONERS) BILL—SECOND READING—RESUMPTION OF DEBATE.—Ordered—That the consideration of this Order of the Day be postponed until later this day.
14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5 be postponed until after No. 7.
15. GEELONG LAND (SPECIAL GRANT) BILL.—Order for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
16. EVIDENCE (REGISTRATION OF COMMISSIONERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
17. SNOWY MOUNTAINS ENGINEERING CORPORATION (VICTORIA) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
18. VICTORIA POLICE FORCE—REPORT BY COLONEL SIR ERIC ST. JOHNSTON, C.B.E., Q.P.M.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this House takes note of the Report on the Victoria Police Force following an inspection by Colonel Sir Eric St. Johnston, C.B.E., Q.P.M., H.M. Chief Inspector of Constabulary for England and Wales, 1967–70—and on the amendment—That the following words be added to the motion :—“ and in view of the contents resolves that the Government, having failed to provide and maintain an adequate police force, deserves the strongest censure of this House ”—debate resumed.
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Stokes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 to 20 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
- And then the House, at fifty-four minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 42.

TUESDAY, 23RD MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. ABSENCE OF THE CLERK.—Mr. Speaker having announced that the Clerk of the Assembly was for the present prevented by illness from attending the meetings of the Assembly.
Motion made and question—That the Clerk-Assistant do perform the duties of the Clerk during his absence, and do take his chair at the Table (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
3. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Proposals contained in the Imperial Acts Application (Repeals) Bill ; together with Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting Clerk :—
 - Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (relating to the Conditions of Employment of Staff) No. 47H (S.R. No. 53).
 - Health Act 1958—Public Building (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 56).
 - Labour and Industry Department—Report for the year 1970.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Local Government Act 1958—Uniform Building (Amendment) Regulations 1971 No. 1 (S.R. No. 52).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 54).
 - National Parks Act 1958—National Park (Ski Runs) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 55).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 687 and 688 (two papers).
 - Securities Industry Act 1970—Securities Industry Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 57).
 - Teaching Service Act 1958—Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal Elections) Regulations (S.R. No. 51).
5. APPEAL COSTS FUND BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Appeal Costs Fund Act 1964’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
6. HEALTH (TUBERCULOSIS ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—Mr. Rossiter, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Wilcox, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend Part VII. of the ‘Health Act 1958’ and the Fifth Schedule thereto*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
7. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Thompson, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Rafferty, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
8. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958’*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. ALBERT PARK LAND BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to provide for closing of part of Bridport-street at Albert Park in the City of South Melbourne, and for other purposes*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

10. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY LAND BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Borthwick, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 64.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to provide for the Revocation of certain Crown Grants and Reservations of Lands at Carlton and to provide for the Grant of such Lands to The University of Melbourne.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd March, 1971.

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

11. MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY LAND BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 64.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Borthwick then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to provide for the Revocation of certain Crown Grants and Reservations of Lands at Carlton and to provide for the Grant of such Lands to The University of Melbourne*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

12. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES—VACANCY IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL.—Mr. Speaker announced that he had received the following communication :—

MINISTER OF EDUCATION
Treasury Place
Melbourne, Vic. 3002
12th March, 1971.

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Section 7 of the *Victoria Institute of Colleges Act* 1965 provides that three members of the Council shall be Members of the Parliament of Victoria who have been recommended for appointment by a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly conducted in accordance with the rules adopted for the purpose by the Members present at the sitting. Messrs. A. W. Taylor, E.D., M.P., T. C. Trewin, M.P., and C. T. Edmunds, M.P., were appointed under this section and their term of office expires on the 7th June, 1971.

I should be grateful if you would arrange for a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to recommend three members for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges for the four-year term commencing on the 8th June, 1971.

Yours truly,
L. H. S. THOMPSON,
Minister of Education.

The Hon. V. Christie, M.P.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament House,
Melbourne. 3002

13. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (EQUITY TRUSTEES) BILL.—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.

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

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 6th April next.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 6th April next.

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

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

16. 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.

17. VICTORIA POLICE FORCE—REPORT BY COLONEL SIR ERIC ST. JOHNSTON, C.B.E., Q.P.M.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this House takes note of the Report on the Victoria Police Force following an inspection by Colonel Sir Eric St. Johnston, C.B.E., Q.P.M., H.M. Chief Inspector of Constabulary for England and Wales, 1967–70—and on the amendment—That the following words be added to the motion :—“and in view of the contents resolves that the Government, having failed to provide and maintain an adequate police force, deserves the strongest censure of this House” ; debate resumed.

Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(Dundas)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lewis	Mr. McDonald
(Portland)	(Rodney)

Noes, 37.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith
Mr. Birrell	(Bellarine)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dunstan	Sir Edgar Tanner
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Rafferty	
Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reid	Mr. Crellin
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. McCabe

And so it passed in the negative.

Original question—put and agreed to.

18. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past Two o'clock (Mr. Reid)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5, and 7 to 16 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
20. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

I. N. McCARRON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 43.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. FORESTS (BOWATER-SCOTT AGREEMENT) BILL.—Mr. Meagher obtained leave, with Mr. Dunstan, to bring in a Bill intituled “A Bill to ratify validate approve and otherwise give effect to an Agreement between the Forests Commission and Bowater-Scott Australia Limited with respect to the Establishment of an Industry for the Manufacture of Wood Pulp from Softwood Timber obtained from Forests under the Control of the Forests Commission, and for other purposes” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

3. HEALTH (TUBERCULOSIS ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
4. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
5. ALBERT PARK LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
6. MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Clarey*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Thompson*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
8. APPEAL COSTS FUND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. FORESTS (BOWATER-SCOTT AGREEMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Meagher*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MUNICIPALITIES ASSISTANCE FUND) BILL.—Order for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
11. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958’ and to repeal the ‘Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board (Appointment of Manager) Act 1966’* ”.
13. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Balfour, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
14. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the Provisions of the ‘Justices Act 1958’ relating to the Service of Summonses by Post and for other purposes* ”.
15. JUSTICES (SERVICE OF SUMMONSES) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, 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. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
17. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at half-past Two o’clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 to 21 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

I. N. McCARRON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 44.

TUESDAY, 30TH MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITION—SALE OF ALCOHOLIC DRINKS.—Mr. Smith (*Bellarine*) presented a Petition from certain citizens of Victoria praying that the House will take such action as it may to prevent the sale of all alcoholic drinks in milk bars and unlicensed premises.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting Clerk :—
 - County Court Act 1958—County Court (Fees) (Amendment) Order 1971 (S.R. No. 58).
 - Friendly Societies and Benefit Associations—Reports of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies for the year 1967–68, with Appendices ; and on Benefit Associations for the year 1967–68, with Appendices.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Hospitals Superannuation Fund—Report of the Actuary on his investigation at the expiration of the First Triennium (30th June, 1969).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Police (Authorized Strength No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 59).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 689 to 704 (sixteen papers).
 - Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 60).
 - Teaching Service Act 1958—
 - Teaching Service (Governor in Council) (Long Service Leave) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 61).
 - Teaching Service (Governor in Council) (Misconduct) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 62).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, Amendment No. 13, 1970.
 - Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965, Amendment No. 33, 1970.
4. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
5. JUSTICES (SERVICE OF SUMMONSES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
6. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1971.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SUPERANNUATION (RAILWAY SERVICE) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Wilcox, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 65.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to make further Provision with respect to the Superannuation Benefits of certain Officers in the Railway Service, to amend the *Superannuation Act 1958* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 30th March, 1971.

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

8. SUPERANNUATION (RAILWAY SERVICE) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 65.

House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.

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

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

Mr. Wilcox then brought up a Bill intituled "*A Bill to make further Provision with respect to the Superannuation Benefits of certain Officers in the Railway Service, to amend the ' Superannuation Act 1958 ' and for other purposes "*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

9. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—VACANCIES IN MEMBERSHIP OF THE COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES.—Acquainting the Assembly that they have agreed to the following resolution :—

That this House meet the Legislative Assembly for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges—

and requesting the Assembly to name the place and time of such meeting.

Ordered—That the Message be taken into consideration to-morrow.

10. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Municipal Association (Amendment) Bill.

Transfer of Land (Duplicate Certificates) Bill.

Firearms Bill.

Geelong Land (Special Grant) Bill.

Churchill Water and Sewerage Works Bill.

11. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the ' Protection of Animals Act 1966 ' "*".

12. PROTECTION OF ANIMALS (RODEOS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.

13. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at forty-five minutes past One o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 20 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.

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

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

I. N. McCARRON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 45.

WEDNESDAY, 31ST MARCH, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting Clerk :—
Country Fire Authority—Report for the year 1969–70.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 705 and 706 (two papers).
3. PUBLIC TRUSTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Reid obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to amend the ' Public Trustee Act 1958 ' and for other purposes "*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
4. HOWARD FLOREY INSTITUTE OF EXPERIMENTAL PHYSIOLOGY AND MEDICINE BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte obtained leave, with Mr. Rossiter, to bring in a Bill intituled "*A Bill to establish a Body Corporate under the Name of the Howard Florey Institute of Experimental Physiology and Medicine and for other Purposes in connexion therewith "*"; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

5. **NEW BROKEN HILL CONSOLIDATED LIMITED BILL.**—Sir Henry Bolte obtained leave, with Mr. Reid, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to authorize New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited to become a Company deemed to be incorporated in Victoria, to preserve the Identity of the Company so incorporated with New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited an existing Company within the meaning of the ‘ Companies Act 1948 ’ of the United Kingdom, to determine the Amount that will be paid to the State of Victoria in lieu of Duties that may have been payable under the ‘ Stamps Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
6. **SOIL CONSERVATION AND LAND UTILIZATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Mr. Borthwick obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend the ‘ Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
7. **HOWARD FLOREY INSTITUTE OF EXPERIMENTAL PHYSIOLOGY AND MEDICINE BILL.**—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
 Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
 Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 14th April next.
8. **NEW BROKEN HILL CONSOLIDATED LIMITED BILL.**—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
 Motion made, by leave, and question—That all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, except those relating to the payment of fees, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Sir Henry Bolte*)—put and agreed to.
 Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 14th April next.
9. **SOIL CONSERVATION AND LAND UTILIZATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 14th April next.
10. **SUPERANNUATION (RAILWAY SERVICE) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Wilcox*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Trezise*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
11. **VACANCIES IN MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES—MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Message having been read—
 Motion made and question—That this House meet the Legislative Council for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges, and, as requested by the Legislative Council to name the place and time of such meeting, name the Legislative Assembly Chamber on Wednesday next at six o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Legislative Council acquainting them accordingly.
12. **PROTECTION OF ANIMALS (RODEOS) BILL.**—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Curnow*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
13. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4 be postponed until after Nos. 5 to 8 inclusive.
14. **ALBERT PARK LAND BILL.**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
15. **VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).**—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

16. HEALTH (TUBERCULOSIS ARRANGEMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
17. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1971.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.
18. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA BILL.—Order for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 to 26 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

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

I. N. McCARRON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 46.

TUESDAY, 6TH APRIL, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting Clerk :—
 - Companies Act 1961—Companies (Auditors Board) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 65).
 - Consumers Protection Council—Report for the year 1969–70.—Ordered to be printed.
 - Dairy Products Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 31st December, 1970.
 - Explosives Act 1960—Order in Council—Classification of Explosives (S.R. No. 63).
 - Health Act 1958—Animal Food (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 67).
 - Lands and Survey—Report of the Department for the year 1969–70.
 - Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendment No. 2/71 Appropriation Charges) (S.R. No. 66).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 176 of the Police Service Board.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 707 to 712 (six papers).
 - Railways Act 1958—Report of the Victorian Railway Commissioners for the quarter ended 31st December, 1970.
 - Stock (Artificial Breeding) Act 1962—Stock (Artificial Breeding of Cattle) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 64).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Cobram Planning Scheme 1949, Amendment No. 10, 1970.
3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 66)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
 - Municipal Association (Amendment) Bill.
 - Transfer of Land (Duplicate Certificates) Bill.
 - Firearms Bill.
 - Geelong Land (Special Grant) Bill.
 - Churchill Water and Sewerage Works Bill.
4. ALCOA OF AUSTRALIA (W.A.) N.L. BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Conversion of Alcoa of Australia (W.A.) N.L. to a Public Company with Limited Liability and Purposes connected therewith* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
5. CEMETERIES (FAWKNER CREMATORIUM AND MEMORIAL PARK) BILL.—Mr. Rossiter, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Mr. Meagher, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Cemeteries Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
6. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (GEELONG GAS) BILL.—Mr. Balfour, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make Provision with respect to a proposed Offer by the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria for the Shares in The Geelong Gas Company and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
7. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Survey Co-ordination Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Naming of Places, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

8. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 67.*

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of a Bill to amend Part III. of the *Coal Mines Act 1958* and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
 Melbourne, 6th April, 1971.

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

9. COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 67.
 House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
 Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
 And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
 Ordered—That Mr. Balfour and Mr. Wilcox do prepare and bring in a Bill to carry out the foregoing resolution.
 Mr. Balfour then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend Part III. of the ‘ Coal Mines Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
10. PUBLIC TRUSTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.— Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 20th April instant.
11. SUPERANNUATION (RAILWAY SERVICE) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question— That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1971.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
 Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
13. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (GEELONG GAS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
14. COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1971.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

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

WEDNESDAY, 7TH APRIL, 1971.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$165,077,500 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1971–72, viz. :—

Division No.	\$
1. Legislative Council—Expenses of Select Committees	700
2. Legislative Assembly—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	55,400
3. Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee— Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	42,900
4. Parliamentary Printing—Printing of Hansard, &c... ..	49,000
5. Parliament Library—Salaries and General Expenses	15,300
6. Parliamentary Debates—Salaries and General Expenses	30,500
7. Governor's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	48,800
8. Premier's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	159,600

Division No.	\$
9. State Film Centre—Salaries and General Expenses	47,000
10. Soil Conservation Authority—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	231,500
11. Agent-General—Salaries and General Expenses	36,700
12. Public Service Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	171,800
13. Public Service Board Electronic Data Processing Service Bureau—Salaries and General Expenses	89,600
14. Audit Office—Salaries and General Expenses	187,000
15. Chief Secretary's Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	146,000
16. Totalizator Administration—Salaries and General Expenses ..	17,100
17. State Accident Insurance Office—Salaries	197,000
18. State Motor Car Insurance Office—Salaries	242,000
19. Workers' Compensation Board—Salaries	22,000
20. Fisheries and Wildlife—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	315,500
21. Government Shorthand Writer—Salaries and General Expenses ..	24,250
22. Government Statist—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	153,800
23. Police—Salaries and General Expenses	8,650,000
24. Police Service Board—Salaries and General Expenses	2,250
25. State Library, National Museum and Science Museum Administration—Salaries and General Expenses	83,600
26. State Library—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	233,000
27. National Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	54,500
28. Science Museum—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	34,000
29. National Gallery—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	221,000
30. Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services.. .. .	106,800
31. Family Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,563,000
32. Youth Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	627,000
33. Prisons—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,069,300
34. Training—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	48,800
35. Probation and Parole—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	116,100
36. Labour and Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	480,000
37. Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	70,137,000
38. Teachers Tribunal—Salaries and General Expenses	14,200
39. Attorney-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	417,600
40. Courts Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,342,000
41. Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles—Salaries and General Expenses	534,700
42. Registrar of Companies—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	120,700
43. Rent Control—Salaries and General Expenses	18,300
44. Public Trustee—Salaries and General Expenses	207,500
45. Treasury—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	6,287,000
46. Tender Board—Salaries and General Expenses	68,500
47. State Superannuation Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	87,600
48. Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	47,500
49. Taxation Office—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	255,000
50. Stamp Duties—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	218,000
51. Government Printer—Salaries and General Expenses	930,500
52. Crown Lands Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	691,000
53. Survey—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	456,500
54. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium—Salaries and General Expenses	82,000
55. Public Works—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	2,300,000
56. Ports and Harbors—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services..	524,000
57. Local Government—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services..	127,800

Division No.	\$
58. Valuer-General—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	143,800
59. Weights and Measures—Salaries and General Expenses	75,000
60. Town and Country Planning Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	92,200
61. Mines—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	394,800
62. Explosives—Salaries and General Expenses	44,000
63. Gas Regulation—Salaries	15,000
64. Agriculture Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	549,000
65. Agricultural Education—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	300,000
66. Agriculture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	501,000
67. Horticulture—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	571,500
68. Animal Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	361,000
69. Animal Industry—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	253,500
70. Dairying—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	371,700
71. Extension Services—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	52,500
72. Health Administration—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	14,844,000
73. General Health—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	1,345,000
74. Tuberculosis—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	901,000
75. Maternal and Child Welfare—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,553,000
76. Mental Hygiene—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	7,261,000
77. State Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	135,000
78. Immigration—Salaries and General Expenses	29,000
79. Industrial Development—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	53,700
80. Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs—Contribution to Aboriginal Affairs Fund	93,000
81. Ministry of Fuel and Power—Salaries and General Expenses ..	15,900
82. Railway Construction Board—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	21,700
83. Ministry of Transport—Salaries and General Expenses	13,000
84. Forests Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	1,141,000
85. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services	3,406,000
86. Railways—Salaries, General Expenses, and Other Services ..	30,100,000
Total	<u>\$ 165,077,500</u>

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

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1971–72 the sum of \$165,077,500 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of Victoria.

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

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

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

17. **SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL.**—Mr. Reid then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of One hundred and sixty-five million and seventy-seven thousand five hundred dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

18. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Seeds* ”.

19. SEEDS BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time later this day.
20. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Local Government Act 1958 ’ the ‘ Melbourne and Geelong Corporations Act 1938 ’ and the ‘ Health Act 1958 ’, to repeal the ‘ Melbourne Buildings Act 1849 ’, and for other purposes* ”.
21. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Wilcox, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time later this day.
22. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Barley Marketing Act 1958 ’* ”.
23. BARLEY MARKETING BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Borthwick, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time later this day.
24. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Superannuation (Railway Service) Bill without amendment.
25. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to make further Provision with respect to Subordinate Legislation* ”.
26. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (POWERS) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time later this day.
27. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day, at forty-five minutes past One o’clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
28. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 25 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until later this day :—
Cemeteries (Fawkner Crematorium and Memorial Park) Bill—Second reading.
Survey Co-ordination (Place Names) Bill—Second reading.

And then the House, at fifty-three minutes past Twelve o’clock in the morning, adjourned until forty-five minutes past One o’clock this day.

I. N. McCARRON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 47.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH APRIL, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE.—Mr. Dixon, Chairman, brought up the Seventh Progress Report from the Road Safety Committee upon Permits for Learner Drivers ; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendices to be printed.
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until after Nos. 2 and 3.
4. CEMETERIES (FAWKNER CREMATORIUM AND MEMORIAL PARK) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Rossiter*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lind*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
5. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 20th April instant.

6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1, 4 and 5 be postponed until after Nos. 6 and 7.
7. BARLEY MARKETING BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lewis, Dundas*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 20th April instant.
8. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (POWERS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Turnbull*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
9. ALCOA OF AUSTRALIA (W.A.) N.L. BILL.—Order for second reading read ; Mr. Deputy-Speaker ruled Bill a Private Bill.
And leave having been refused for the motion—That all Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, except those relating to the payment of fees, and that this Bill be treated as a Public Bill—
Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, 21st April instant.
(*See item No. 17.*)
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5 be postponed until after No. 8.
11. APPEAL COSTS FUND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5 and 9 to 11 inclusive be postponed until after No. 12.
13. MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5 be postponed until after No. 9.
15. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (GEELONG GAS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
16. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Amendment) Bill (No. 2) without amendment.
17. ALCOA OF AUSTRALIA (W.A.) N.L. BILL.—Mr. Speaker ruled that, leave having been refused for the motion dispensing with Private Bill Standing Orders, the Bill could not then proceed under Public Business Standing Orders. Accordingly, he declared the proceedings on the Bill following and inclusive of the motion for second reading to be null and void (*see item No. 9*).
18. 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. 10.
19. FORESTS (BOWATER-SCOTT AGREEMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
20. MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL OF VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES.—Mr. Speaker announced that the time had arrived for this House to meet the Legislative Council in the Legislative Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.
Accordingly Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and resumed it at fifty-four minutes past Seven o'clock.
21. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Police Regulation (Amendment) Bill without amendment.

22. 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 Nos. 11 and 13.
23. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
24. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (EQUITY TRUSTEES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
25. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 20th April instant, at half-past Three o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4, 5 and 14 to 32 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday, 20th April instant.
27. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.

And then the House, at fifty minutes past Eight o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, 20th April instant.

I. N. McCARRON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 48.

TUESDAY, 20TH APRIL, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. ISSUE OF, AND RETURN TO WRIT.—Mr. Speaker announced that, on 22nd March last, he had issued a Writ for the election of a Member to serve for the Electoral District of Kew, in the place of the Honorable Sir Arthur Gordon Rylah, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D., resigned, and that he had received a return to the said Writ by which it appeared that Rupert James Hamer had been duly elected in pursuance of the said Writ.
3. MEMBER SWORN.—The Honorable Rupert James Hamer, E.D., was then introduced and subscribed the Oath required by law.
4. PETITIONS—SALE OF ALCOHOLIC DRINKS.—Mr. Wilkes and Mr. Edmunds respectively, presented Petitions from certain electors of the State of Victoria praying that legislation be enacted to require the sale of drinks with an alcoholic content to be made only from licensed premises.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table.
5. PAPERS.—Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*) presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Parole Boards (Youth)—Reports for the year 1969–70.
Ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.
The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Appeal Costs Fund Act 1964—Appeal Costs Fund (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 77).
Fisheries Act 1968—Fishing (General) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 75).
Liquor Control Act 1968—Supreme Court Act 1958—Supreme Court (Compensation for Liquor Licences) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 69).
Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Marketing of Primary Products (Polls and Elections) (Producers of Tobacco Leaf) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 70).
Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 76).
Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Identifying Numbers) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 73).
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 713 to 718 (six papers).
Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages Act 1959—Births Deaths and Marriages Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 71).
Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 4) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 72).
Teaching Service Act 1958—
Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations—Regulations amended.
Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 74).
Theatres Act 1958—Theatres (Special Permits Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 68).
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
City of Colac Planning Scheme 1963, Amendment No. 3, 1969.
Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 9, 1970 (City of Geelong West).
Geelong Planning Scheme 1959, Amendment No. 13, 1971 (Shire of Corio).
Shire of Benalla Planning Scheme 1953, Amendment No. 2, 1970.
6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (NO. 68)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, on the 15th April instant, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Superannuation (Railway Service) Bill.
Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Amendment) Bill (No. 2).
Police Regulation (Amendment) Bill.
7. PARLIAMENTARY SUPERANNUATION BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “*A Bill to amend ‘The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958’ and the ‘Parliamentary Salaries and Superannuation Act 1968’ to make Provision with respect to the Entitlement of former Members of Parliament to a Pension*” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

8. EHRENHAUS RETAIL BOTTLED LIQUOR LICENCE BILL.—Mr. Reid, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Hamer, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to grant a Retail Bottled Liquor Licence in respect of the Premises at 249 Coventry-street, South Melbourne in the State of Victoria to the Executors of the Will of the late Maria Ehrenhaus and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
9. STAMPS (CREDIT BUSINESS) BILL.—Sir Henry Bolte, pursuant to motion moved, by leave, on his behalf by Mr. Meagher, obtained leave, with Mr. Meagher, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make further Provision with respect to the Payment of Stamp Duty by certain Persons carrying on Credit Business in Victoria and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
10. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (PIPELINES) BILL.—Mr. Balfour, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to abolish the Victorian Pipelines Commission, to vest certain of the Powers, Duties, Functions and Obligations of the Victorian Pipelines Commission in the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
11. PIPELINES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Mr. Balfour, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Borthwick, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Pipelines Act 1967 ’ in order to make Provision for the minor Alteration of Pipeline Routes authorized under that Act, and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
12. GRASSMERE LAND BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to provide for the Vesting in the Crown of certain Land at Grassmere, for the Permanent Reservation of Part of that Land for Public Purposes, for the Proclamation as a Road of the remainder of that Land and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
13. LAND (SURRENDER TO THE CROWN) BILL.—Mr. Borthwick, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Balfour, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to authorize the Surrender to the Crown of Land held for certain Public Purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
14. GEELONG WATERWORKS AND SEWERAGE (RATES) BILL.—Mr. Dunstan, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1958 ’* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
15. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).—Mr. Dunstan, by leave, obtained leave, with Mr. Smith (*Warrnambool*), to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to amend the ‘ Water Act 1958 ’ with respect to Water Rights and Drainage Rating* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
16. ALCOA OF AUSTRALIA (W.A.) N.L. BILL.—Motion made and question—That, in relation to the Alcoa of Australia (W.A.) N.L. Bill, all the Private Bill Standing Orders be dispensed with, except those relating to the payment of fees, and that the Bill be treated as a Public Bill (*Mr. Reid*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
17. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Meagher, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 69.

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

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 20th April, 1971.

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

18. ALCOA OF AUSTRALIA (W.A.) N.L. BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Fordham*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
19. GEELONG WATERWORKS AND SEWERAGE (RATES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
20. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Dunstan*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Floyd*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday, 11th May next.

21. GRASSMERE LAND BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
22. PIPELINES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
23. PARLIAMENTARY SUPERANNUATION BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilkes*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
24. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 29 inclusive be postponed until after No. 30.
25. SUPPLY—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
26. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Snowy Mountains Engineering Corporation (Victoria) Bill.
Albert Park Land Bill.
Local Government (Municipalities Assistance Fund) Bill.
27. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after No. 3.
28. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Hamer*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Kirkwood*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
29. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (PIPELINES) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Balfour*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
30. STAMPS (CREDIT BUSINESS) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Sir Henry Bolte*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Lovegrove*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
31. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Health (Tuberculosis Arrangement) Bill.
Presbyterian Church of Australia Bill.
32. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘ Local Authorities Superannuation (Disability Benefits) Act 1970 ’, and for other purposes ”.*
33. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (DISABILITY BENEFITS) (COMMENCEMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
34. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after Nos. 4 to 6 inclusive.
35. EVIDENCE (REGISTRATION OF COMMISSIONERS) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
36. COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
37. NEW BROKEN HILL CONSOLIDATED LIMITED BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day..

38. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—NEW BROKEN HILL CONSOLIDATED LIMITED BILL.—
The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 70.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to authorize New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited to become a Company deemed to be incorporated in Victoria, to preserve the Identity of the Company so incorporated with New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited an existing Company within the meaning of the *Companies Act* 1948 of the United Kingdom, to determine the Amount that will be paid to the State of Victoria in lieu of Duties that may have been payable under the *Stamps Act* 1958 and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 6th April, 1971.

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

39. NEW BROKEN HILL CONSOLIDATED LIMITED BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 70.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
40. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, and 7 to 29 inclusive be postponed until after No. 31.
41. WAYS AND MEANS—FEE IN LIEU OF MARKETABLE SECURITIES TRANSFER FEES.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
Mr. Wheeler reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—
Resolved—That subject to and in accordance with the New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited Bill there shall be charged levied and collected for the use of Her Majesty her heirs and successors from New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited an amount of \$350,000 in lieu of the duty that might otherwise have been payable in respect of certain transfers of marketable securities under the *Stamps Act* 1958.
Ordered—That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
The resolution reported from the Committee of Ways and Means was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
42. NEW BROKEN HILL CONSOLIDATED LIMITED BILL.—Considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
43. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2 be postponed until after Nos. 7 and 8.
44. HOWARD FLOREY INSTITUTE OF EXPERIMENTAL PHYSIOLOGY AND MEDICINE BILL.—Order for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered, and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
45. SOIL CONSERVATION AND LAND UTILIZATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
46. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 9 be postponed until after No. 10.
47. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
48. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 9, and 11 to 13 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 14.

49. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION (PLACE NAMES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
50. ORDER OF THE HOUSE RESCINDED.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Order of the House making the resumption of debate on the second reading of the Alcoa of Australia (W.A.) N.L. Bill an Order of the Day for Thursday next be read and rescinded and that it be made an Order of the Day for to-morrow (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
51. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 9, 11 and 12 be postponed until after No. 13.
52. CEMETERIES (FAWKNER CREMATORIUM AND MEMORIAL PARK) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
53. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Fisheries Act 1968 ’* ”.
54. FISHERIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
55. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Building Societies (Amendment) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration to-morrow.
56. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow, at half-past One o’clock (*Mr. Hamer*)—put and agreed to.
57. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 9, 11, 12, and 15 to 29 inclusive, and Orders of the Day, General Business be postponed until to-morrow.
Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Land (Surrender to the Crown) Bill—Second reading.
Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.
58. ADJOURNMENT.—Resolved, after debate—That the House do now adjourn.
And then the House, at thirty-three minutes past Eleven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 49.

WEDNESDAY, 21ST APRIL, 1971.

- The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*), Chairman, brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon Recovery of Civil Debts, Venue, and Enforcement of Fines in Magistrates’ Courts ; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix to be printed.
- MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Gas and Fuel Corporation (Geelong Gas) Bill without amendment.
- SUPERANNUATION (TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS) BILL.—Mr. Wilcox, by leave, obtained leave, with Sir Henry Bolte, to bring in a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to make further Provision with respect to the Application of the additional Benefits provided for certain Officers in the Railway Service by the ‘ Superannuation (Railway Service) Act 1971 ’ and for other purposes* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.

5. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That the "Grievance Day" provisions of Standing Order No. 273C be suspended for to-morrow (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.
6. EHRENHAUS RETAIL BOTTLED LIQUOR LICENCE BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Doube*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
7. SUPERANNUATION (TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS) BILL.—Read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
8. LAND (SURRENDER TO THE CROWN) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Ginifer*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUPERANNUATION (DISABILITY BENEFITS) (COMMENCEMENT) BILL.—Read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
10. FISHERIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Reid*).
Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Edmunds*)—put and agreed to.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until to-morrow.
11. BUILDING SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—
1. Clause 2, page 4, line 26, omit " 1970 " and insert " 1971 ".
 2. Clause 11, sub-clause (2), page 10, line 9, omit " 1970 " and insert " 1971 ".
- And the said amendments were read a second time and, after debate, agreed to by the House.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the said amendments.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 to 10 inclusive be postponed until after No. 11.
13. SCAFFOLDING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
14. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—SCAFFOLDING BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Rafferty, and the same was read :—
- ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.
- Message No. 71.*
- In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to make provision with respect to the Erection and use of Scaffolding and for other purposes.
- The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 6th March, 1971.
- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
15. SCAFFOLDING BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 71.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Jona reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.

16. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
 Survey Co-ordination (Place Names) Bill.
 Howard Florey Institute of Experimental Physiology and Medicine Bill.
 Superannuation (Transitional Provisions) Bill.
 New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited Bill.
17. ORDER OF THE HOUSE RESCINDED.—Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Order of the House suspending the “Grievance Day” provisions of Standing Order No. 273c for to-morrow be read and rescinded (*Mr. Reid*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.
18. LITTER (PROCEEDINGS FOR OFFENCES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
19. ALCOA OF AUSTRALIA (W.A.) N.L. BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 and 9 be postponed until after No. 10.
21. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
22. JUSTICES (SERVICE OF SUMMONSES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
23. STOCK (ARTIFICIAL BREEDING) (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
 Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
24. SEEDS BILL.—Motion made and question proposed—That this Bill be now read a second time (*Mr. Borthwick*).
 Motion made and question—That the debate be now adjourned (*Mr. Shilton*)—put and agreed to.
 Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
25. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at Ten o'clock (*Mr. Rossiter*)—put and agreed to.
26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 13 to 27 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until to-morrow.
 Ordered—That the consideration of the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until to-morrow :—
Scaffolding Bill—To be further considered in Committee.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

No. 50.

THURSDAY, 22ND APRIL, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 Local Government Finance—Order in Council fixing the maximum expenditure of the Board of Inquiry into local government Finance in Victoria.

Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 3) (S.R. No. 80).

Probate Duty Act 1962—Probate Duty Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 78).

The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—Victorian Parliamentary Elections Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 79).

3. SUPPLY—"GRIEVANCE DAY".—Motion made and question—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and negatived.
Ordered—That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.
4. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Alcoa of Australia (W.A.) N.L. Bill.
Victoria Institute of Colleges (Amendment) Bill.
Cemeteries (Fawkner Crematorium and Memorial Park) Bill.
Trustee Companies (Equity Trustees) Bill.
5. 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.
6. PARLIAMENTARY SUPERANNUATION BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
7. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PARLIAMENTARY SUPERANNUATION BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 72.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958* and the *Parliamentary Salaries and Superannuation Act 1968* to make provision with respect to the Entitlement of former Members of Parliament to a Pension.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th April, 1971.

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

8. PARLIAMENTARY SUPERANNUATION BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 72.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Mr. Jona reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
9. 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.
10. STAMPS (CREDIT BUSINESS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
11. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—STAMPS (CREDIT BUSINESS) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 73.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to make further provision with respect to the Payment of Stamp Duty by certain Persons carrying on Credit Business in Victoria and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th April, 1971.

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

12. STAMPS (CREDIT BUSINESS) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 73.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

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

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

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

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

13. 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.

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

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

15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 6 be postponed until after Nos. 7 to 9 inclusive.

16. EHRENHAUS RETAIL BOTTLED LIQUOR LICENCE BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

Mr. Acting-Speaker announced that Mr. Speaker had ruled Bill a Private Bill.

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

Debate resumed on question—That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

17. PUBLIC TRUSTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

18. SCAFFOLDING BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.

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

19. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next, at forty-five minutes past One o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

20. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2, 6, and 10 to 21 inclusive and the Order of the Day, General Business, be postponed until Tuesday next.

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

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

VICTORIA.—VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

No. 51.

TUESDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITIONS—SALE OF ALCOHOLIC DRINKS.—Mr. Wilton presented a Petition from certain electors of the State of Victoria praying that legislation be enacted to require the sale of drinks with an alcoholic content to be made only from licensed premises.
Motion made, by leave, and question—That the Standing Orders be suspended so far as to allow the Petition to be read (*Mr. Wilton*)—put and agreed to.
The Petition was read by the Clerk.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
Mr. Curnow, Mr. Lewis (*Dundas*) and Mr. Trethewey, respectively, presented Petitions in the same terms.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners—Statement of accounts for the year 1970.
Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board—Report for the year 1969–70.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended—Nos. 719 to 724 (six papers).
4. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (No. 74)—ASSENT TO BILLS.—Informing the Assembly that he had, that day, given the Royal Assent to the following Bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments :—
Snowy Mountains Engineering Corporation (Victoria) Bill.
Albert Park Land Bill.
Local Government (Municipalities Assistance Fund) Bill.
Health (Tuberculosis Arrangement) Bill.
Marketing of Primary Products (Amendment) Bill.
Gas and Fuel Corporation (Geelong Gas) Bill.
Local Authorities Superannuation (Disability Benefits) (Commencement) Bill.
Building Societies (Amendment) Bill.
Survey Co-ordination (Place Names) Bill.
Howard Florey Institute of Experimental Physiology and Medicine Bill.
Superannuation (Transitional Provisions) Bill.
New Broken Hill Consolidated Limited Bill.
Litter (Proceedings for Offences) Bill.
Justices (Service of Summonses) Bill.
Stock (Artificial Breeding) (Amendment) Bill.
Alcoa of Australia (W.A.) N.L. Bill.
Victoria Institute of Colleges (Amendment) Bill.
Cemeteries (Fawkner Crematorium and Memorial Park) Bill.
Trustee Companies (Equity Trustees) Bill.
5. LAND (SURRENDER TO THE CROWN) BILL.—Order read for resuming debate adjourned on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.

6. GRASSMERE LAND BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
7. GEELONG WATERWORKS AND SEWERAGE (RATES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
8. PIPELINES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
9. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (PIPELINES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
10. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (PIPELINES) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Balfour, and the same was read :—

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 75.

In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to abolish the Victorian Pipelines Commission, to vest certain of the Powers, Duties, Functions and Obligations of the Victorian Pipelines Commission in the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria and for other purposes.

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 20th April, 1971.

- Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
11. GAS AND FUEL CORPORATION (PIPELINES) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 75.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
12. AUDIT (RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Town and Country Planning Act 1961 ‘ and for other purposes ‘*”.
14. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Hamer, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day.
15. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 5 of the ‘ Crown Proceedings Act 1958 ‘ and Section 18 of the ‘ Children’s Court Act 1958 ‘*”.
16. CROWN PROCEEDINGS (FORFEITED RECOGNISANCES) BILL.—On the motion of Mr. Reid, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time, ordered to be printed and read a second time to-morrow.
17. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Parliamentary Superannuation Bill.
Ehrenhaus Retail Bottled Liquor Licence Bill.

18. SUPPLY—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1970–71.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That a sum not exceeding \$32,354,357 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1970–71, viz. :—

Division No.	PARLIAMENT.	\$	\$
2.	Legislative Assembly	13,200	
3.	Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee ..	5,650	
5.	Parliament Library	2,150	
6.	Parliamentary Debates	3,785	
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	PREMIER.		
7.	Governor's Office	5,400	
8.	Premier's Office	27,100	
9.	State Film Centre	7,350	
10.	Soil Conservation Authority	83,400	
11.	State Development	11,200	
12.	Agent-General	4,300	
13.	Public Service Board	65,870	
14.	Public Service Board Electronic Data Processing Service Bureau ..	22,000	
15.	Audit Office	59,500	
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	CHIEF SECRETARY.		
16.	Chief Secretary's Office	23,500	
17.	Totalizator Administration	1,350	
18.	State Accident Insurance Office	57,000	
19.	State Motor Car Insurance Office	70,400	
20.	Workers' Compensation Board	6,600	
21.	Fisheries and Wildlife	69,015	
22.	Government Shorthand Writer	2,235	
23.	Government Statist	35,400	
24.	Police	1,909,560	
25.	Police Service Board	720	
26.	State Library, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science Administration	19,500	
27.	State Library	46,601	
28.	National Museum	15,800	
29.	Institute of Applied Science	10,700	
30.	National Gallery	39,600	
31.	Immigration	7,250	
32.	Social Welfare Administration and Research and Statistics ..	24,390	
33.	Family Welfare	133,100	
34.	Youth Welfare	107,200	
35.	Prisons	199,380	
36.	Training	6,950	
37.	Probation and Parole	15,300	
		<hr/>	2,801,551
	LABOUR AND INDUSTRY.		
38.	Labour and Industry ... .. .	..	122,200
	EDUCATION.		
39.	Education	12,807,000	
40.	Teachers' Tribunal	4,000	
		<hr/>	12,811,000
	ATTORNEY-GENERAL.		
41.	Attorney-General	112,600	
42.	Courts Administration	206,990	
43.	Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles	146,600	
44.	Registrar of Companies	35,000	
45.	Rent Control	4,500	
46.	Public Trustee	61,750	
		<hr/>	567,440
	TREASURER.		
47.	Treasury	33,151	
49.	Tender Board	2,350	
50.	State Superannuation Board	19,850	
51.	Registry of Co-operative Housing Societies and Co-operative Societies and Home Finance Administration	13,500	
52.	Taxation Office	71,500	
53.	Stamp Duties	48,525	
54.	Government Printer	108,600	
		<hr/>	297,476

Division No.	LANDS.						\$	\$
55. Crown Lands Administration						150,500		
56. Survey						102,930		
57. Botanic and Domain Gardens and National Herbarium						20,800	274,230	
PUBLIC WORKS.								
58. Public Works						333,900		
59. Ports and Harbors						37,300	371,200	
LOCAL GOVERNMENT.								
60. Local Government						29,900		
61. Valuer-General						51,670		
62. Weights and Measures						23,930		
63. Town and Country Planning Board						28,000	133,500	
MINES.								
64. Mines						75,300		
65. Explosives						12,800		
66. Gas Regulation						5,200	93,300	
AGRICULTURE.								
67. Agriculture Administration						134,260		
68. Agricultural Education						11,250		
69. Agriculture						130,190		
70. Horticulture						144,780		
71. Animal Health						84,650		
72. Animal Industry						72,580		
73. Dairying						87,200		
74. Extension Services						10,840	675,750	
HEALTH.								
75. Health Administration						6,985,800		
76. General Health						350,400		
77. Tuberculosis						94,950		
78. Maternal and Child Welfare						50,500		
79. Mental Hygiene						1,464,000	8,945,650	
FUEL AND POWER.								
81. Ministry of Fuel and Power							3,150	
RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.								
82. Railway Construction Board							9,800	
TRANSPORT.								
83. Ministry of Transport							2,950	
FORESTS.								
84. Forests Commission							347,300	
WATER SUPPLY.								
85. State Rivers and Water Supply Commission							698,500	
RAILWAYS.								
86. Railways							3,888,455	
Total							<u>\$32,354,357</u>	

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

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1970–71 the sum of \$32,354,357 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of Victoria.

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

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

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

20. SUPPLY (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) BILL.—Mr. Rafferty then brought up a Bill intituled “ *A Bill to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of Thirty-two million three hundred and fifty-four thousand three hundred and fifty-seven dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one* ” ; and the said Bill was read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time this day ; read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.

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

21. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

Melbourne University Land Bill.

Forests (Bowater-Scott Agreement) Bill.

Soil Conservation and Land Utilization (Amendment) Bill.

22. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 to 11 inclusive, be postponed until after No. 12.

23. COMPANIES BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.

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

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

Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to the following resolution :—

Resolved—That under and subject to the *Companies Act* 1961 as proposed to be amended by the Companies Bill there shall be paid to and for the use of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors the following fees, namely :—

	\$	c.
(a) for registration of a company whose nominal share capital does not exceed \$10,000	100	00
(b) for registration of a company whose nominal share capital exceeds \$10,000 the above fee of \$100 with the following additional fees regulated according to the amount of share capital (that is to say)—		
For every \$1,000 of nominal share capital, or part of \$1,000, after the first \$10,000 up to \$200,000	2	00
For every \$1,000 of nominal share capital, or part of \$1,000, after the first \$200,000, up to \$1,000,000	1	00
For every \$1,000 of nominal share capital or part of \$1,000, after the first \$1,000,000	0	50
(c) on lodging notice of increase of share capital—an amount equal to the difference (if any) between the amount which would have been payable under the <i>Companies Act</i> 1961 on first registration by reference to its capital as increased and the amount which would have been payable under that Act by reference to its capital immediately before the increase but in the case of a company registered before 15th November, 1956 with a share capital of less than \$10,000 the fee shall be \$15 per \$1,000 or any fractional part of \$1,000 for any increase up to \$10,000 and thereafter an amount calculated as aforesaid.		
(d) for registering any charge created by a corporation	10	00
(e) for registering particulars of a series of debentures	10	00
(f) for registering particulars of each series of debentures where more than one issue in the series	5	00
(g) on lodging under section 78 of the <i>Companies Act</i> 1961 any deed or copy of a deed	50	00
(h) on lodging any statement in lieu of prospectus, or any deed (or copy of a deed) under section 78 of the <i>Companies Act</i> 1961 amending a deed lodged under that section	20	00

	\$ c.
(i) on lodging, in relation to a corporation that is a foreign company incorporated or to be incorporated in another State or Territory of the Commonwealth, any prospectus, or statement under section 82 of the <i>Companies Act</i> 1961 being a prospectus or statement registered or acceptable for registration in that other State or Territory	20.00
(j) on lodging any prospectus or statement under section 82 of the <i>Companies Act</i> 1961, other than a prospectus or statement referred to in the preceding paragraph	50.00
(k) for lodging an application under section 162c of the <i>Companies Act</i> 1961 ..	25.00
(l) for entry in the register of charges of any memorandum of satisfaction ..	5.00
(m) on lodging any Annual Return of a Corporation	12.00
(n) on lodging any balance sheet of a foreign company	12.00
(o) on lodging, registering, depositing or filing any other document with or by the Registrar under any Act (where the fee is not specified in any relevant Act or regulation)	4.00

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

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

25. COMPANIES BILL.—Considered in Committee.

Committee reported progress ; to sit again to-morrow.

26. MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCES) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—
That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed—

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

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Debate continued.

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

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

27. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Gas and Fuel Corporation (Pipelines) Bill.

Coal Mines (Pensions) Bill.

28. PIPELINES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with an amendment ; as amended, considered and amendment agreed to ; read the third time.

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

29. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 10 be postponed until after No. 11.

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

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

31. ADJOURNMENT.—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until this day at Eleven o'clock (*Mr. Reid*)—put and agreed to.

32. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 10 and 13 to 21 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.

Ordered—That the consideration of the following Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until later this day.

Town and Country Planning (Amendment) Bill—(from Council)—Second reading.

Supply—To be further considered in Committee.

Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.

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

And then the House, at twenty-three minutes past Three o'clock in the morning, adjourned until Eleven o'clock this day.

J. H. CAMPBELL,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

VERNON CHRISTIE,

Speaker.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH APRIL, 1971.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PETITIONS—SALE OF ALCOHOLIC DRINKS.—Mr. Wilton (on behalf of Mr. Clarey), Mr. Ross-Edwards, Mr. Floyd, Mr. Trethewey, Mr. Fordham and Mr. Simmonds, respectively, presented Petitions from certain electors of the State of Victoria praying that legislation be enacted to require the sale of drinks with an alcoholic content to be made only from licensed premises.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table.
3. MEAT INDUSTRY COMMITTEE.—Mr. Trewin brought up a Report from the Meat Industry Committee on the Pet Food Industry together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix to be printed.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk.
Country Roads Board—Report for the year 1969–70.
National Parks Authority—Report for the year 1968–69.
Severally ordered to be printed.
5. PUBLIC TRUSTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed.
Ordered—That the Bill be considered in Committee this day.
6. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—PUBLIC TRUSTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was presented by Mr. Reid, and the same was read :—
ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria. *Message No. 76.*
In accordance with the requirements of section 57 of The Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that an Appropriation be made from the Consolidated Fund for the purposes of the Bill to amend the ' *Public Trustee Act 1958* ' and for other purposes.
The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 24th March, 1971.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be taken into consideration in Committee of the whole House this day.
7. PUBLIC TRUSTEE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for the consideration in Committee of the whole House of His Excellency the Governor's Message No. 76.
House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.
Sir Edgar Tanner reported that the Committee had agreed to a resolution authorizing an Appropriation from the Consolidated Fund.
And the said resolution was read a second time and agreed to by the House.
Bill considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Legislative Council and their concurrence desired therein.
8. CROWN PROCEEDINGS (FORFEITED RECOGNIZANCES) BILL.—Read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
9. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Read a second time, after debate, and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
10. PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.—Mr. Wheeler, Chairman, brought up Reports from the Public Accounts Committee upon—
(a) the Auditor-General's Reports for 1969–70 ; and
(b) Treasury Minutes on Reports from the Public Accounts Committee upon the Forestry Fund, the Public Works Department, the Victorian Government Light Motor Transport System, the Control and Management of Stores operated by Government Departments and Public Authorities and the Office of the Public Trustee with particular reference to the Accounts Branch, together with summaries of those Reports.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table and to be printed.

11. SEEDS BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time, after debate.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same with amendments with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
12. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—
Public Trustee (Amendment) Bill.
Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage (Rates) Bill.
13. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Imperial Acts Application (Repeals) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
14. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (POWERS) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
15. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee.
Committee reported progress ; to sit again this day.
16. BARLEY MARKETING BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
17. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Scaffolding Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
18. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—Further considered in Committee and reported with amendments ; as amended, considered, and amendments agreed to ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the same with amendments with which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Council.
19. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the County Court (Jurisdiction) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
20. COUNTRY ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Order read for resuming adjourned debate on question—That this Bill be now read a second time ; debate resumed ; Bill read a second time and committed ; considered in Committee and reported without amendment ; read the third time.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Legislative Council with a Message acquainting them that the Legislative Assembly have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
21. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Stamps (Credit Business) Bill without amendment.
22. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Liquor Control (Amendment) Bill with amendments.
Ordered—That the said amendments be printed and taken into consideration this day.
23. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Land (Surrender to the Crown) Bill without amendment.
24. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the Audit (Recovery of Overpayments) Bill with an amendment.
Ordered—That the said amendment be printed and taken into consideration this day.
25. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—Agreeing to the amendments made by the Assembly in the Seeds Bill.
26. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9 be postponed until after No. 10.

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

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

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

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

29. SCAFFOLDING BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 3, page 3, sub-clause (3), omit “ (3) Subject to sub-section (4) ”.

2. Clause 8, sub-clause (1), paragraph (c), line 14, after “ order of ” insert “ the ”.

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

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

30. IMPERIAL ACTS APPLICATION (REPEALS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 1, sub-clause (1), line 7, omit “ 1970 ” and insert “ 1971 ”.

2. Clause 4, line 26, omit “ and ”.

3. Clause 4, insert the following paragraph to follow paragraph (d) :—

‘ () In the item “ (1738–9) 12 George II. c.XXVI. (including s. 23 except so far as it relates to costs)—Gold and Silverware ” for the word “ including ” there shall be substituted the words “ except insofar as it relates to the imposition of penalties but including ”.’

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

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

31. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 3, page 2, line 19, omit “ in the Third Schedule to this Act ” and insert “ prescribed by the rules ”.

2. Clause 3, page 3, line 1, omit “ in the Fourth Schedule to this Act ” and insert “ prescribed by the rules ”.

3. Clause 4, lines 5–6, omit all the words and expressions commencing “ amended as follows ” to the end of the clause and insert “ repealed ”.

4. Clause 5, omit this clause.

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

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

32. LIQUOR CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendments were read and are as follows :—

1. Clause 8, paragraph (a), line 43, omit “ (d) where ’ and insert
“ and

(d) where ’

2. Clause 16, line 7, omit “ (f) In ’ and insert
“ or

(f) In ’.

3. Clause 17, lines 14–15, omit “ when such licence or permit was granted ” and insert—

“ (a) in the case of a licence or permit granted under this Act, when such licence or permit was granted ;

(b) in the case of a licence or permit granted under the *Licensing Act* 1958 or any previous corresponding enactment, if such licence or permit had been granted under this Act ”.

NEW CLAUSES.

4. Insert the following new clause to follow clause 1 :

‘ AA. In sub-section (3) of section 1 of the Principal Act in the Table of Parts and Divisions for the expression “ ss. 6–9 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ ss. 6–9A ”.’

5. *Insert the following new clause to follow clause 23 :*

‘ BB. For section 121 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following section :—

“ 121. (1) Any licensee may refuse to admit to or may turn out of his licensed premises any person whose presence on the premises would subject the licensee to a penalty under this Act.

(2) All members of the police force are required on the request of the licensee his agent or servant to expel or assist in expelling any person whose presence on the licensed premises would subject the licensee to a penalty under this Act.” ’

And the said amendments were read a second time.

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

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The amendments were agreed to by the House, after debate.

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

33. **AUDIT (RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the amendment made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been read, the said amendment was read and is as follows :—

1. Clause 3, page 2, line 38, omit “ (9) This ” and insert “ (9) Without derogating from the rights conferred on the State or a public authority by this section, the State or public authority concerned shall before making any deduction under this section consider any proposal made by the officer or employé with respect to the repayment by him of the overpayment. (10) This ”.

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

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

34. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the Motor Car (Driving Offences) Bill with amendments.

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

1. Clause 7, page 5, line 20, omit “ the methods ” and insert “ as to the methods ”.
2. Clause 7, page 5, line 22, omit “ the ” and insert “ as to the ”.

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

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

35. **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—Agreeing to the amendments made by the Assembly in the Local Government (Further Amendment) Bill.

36. **ADJOURNMENT.**—Motion made and question—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or, if Mr. Speaker is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter (*Mr. Hamer*)—put, after debate, and agreed to.

37. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 to 16 inclusive, and the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next sitting of the House.

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

And then the House, at fifty-five minutes past Twelve o’clock in the morning, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by Mr. Speaker or the Chairman of Committees and notified to each Member of the House by telegram or letter, as determined by resolution of the House at this sitting.

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

VERNON CHRISTIE,
Speaker.

MESSAGES RECEIVED AFTER THE ADJOURNMENT OF
THE HOUSES ON 29TH APRIL, 1971.

MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MR. SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council acquaint the Legislative Assembly that they have agreed to the Bill intituled—"An Act to provide for the vesting in the Crown of certain land at Grassmere, for the permanent reservation of part of that land for public purposes, for the proclamation as a road of the remainder of that land and for other purposes" without amendment.

Legislative Council,
Melbourne, 29th April, 1971.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

Mr. Speaker,

The Legislative Council acquaint the Legislative Assembly that they have agreed to the Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Pipelines Act 1967' in order to make Provision for the minor Alteration of Pipeline Routes authorized under that Act, and for other purposes" without amendment.

Legislative Council,
Melbourne, 29th April, 1971.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

Mr. Speaker,

The Legislative Council acquaint the Legislative Assembly that they have agreed to the Bill intituled "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of Thirty-two million three hundred and fifty-four thousand three hundred and fifty-seven dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one" without amendment.

Legislative Council,
Melbourne, 29th April, 1971.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

Mr. Speaker,

The Legislative Council acquaint the Legislative Assembly that they have agreed to the Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Appeal Costs Fund Act 1964'" without amendment.

Legislative Council,
Melbourne, 29th April, 1971.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

Mr. Speaker,

The Legislative Council acquaint the Legislative Assembly that they have agreed to the Bill intituled "An Act to make Provision for the Registration of Commissioners for taking Declarations and Affidavits under the 'Evidence Act 1958', and for other purposes" without amendment.

Legislative Council,
Melbourne, 29th April, 1971.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

Mr. Speaker,

The Legislative Council acquaint the Legislative Assembly that they have agreed to the Bill intituled "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of One hundred and sixty-five million and seventy-seven thousand five hundred dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two" without amendment.

Legislative Council,
Melbourne, 29th April, 1971.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

Message No. 77.

The Governor informs the Legislative Assembly that he has, on this day, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts of the present Session presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

Parliamentary Superannuation Act.
Ehrenhaus Retail Bottled Liquor Licence Act.
Melbourne University Land Act.
Forests (Bowater-Scott Agreement) Act.
Gas and Fuel Corporation (Pipelines) Act.
Coal Mines (Pensions) Act.
Crown Proceedings (Forfeited Recognisances) Act.
Public Trustee (Amendment) Act.
Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage (Rates) Act.
Subordinate Legislation (Powers) Act.
Barley Marketing Act.
Stamps (Credit Business) Act.
Land (Surrender to the Crown) Act.
Pipelines (Amendment) Act.
County Court (Jurisdiction) Act.
Grassmere Land Act.
Supply (Supplementary Estimates) Act.
Town and Country Planning (Amendment) Act.
Seeds Act.
Imperial Acts Application (Repeals) Act.
Audit (Recovery of Overpayments) Act.
Evidence (Registration of Commissioners) Act.
Country Roads (Amendment) Act.
Protection of Animals (Rodeos) Act.
Soil Conservation and Land Utilization (Amendment) Act.
Motor Car (Driving Offences) Act.
Fisheries (Amendment) Act.
Appeal Costs Fund Act.
Scaffolding Act.
Liquor Control (Amendment) Act.
Supply (July to September) Act.
Local Government (Further Amendment) Act.

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

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS the Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until such day and hour as may be fixed by the President of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly respectively : Now I the Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue the said Parliament of Victoria until Tuesday, the thirty-first day of August, 1971, and I do hereby fix Tuesday, the thirty-first day of August, 1971, aforesaid, at the hour of half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the said Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne ; And the Honourable the Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, the seventeenth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one, and in the twentieth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. J. HAMER,

Acting Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

SELECT COMMITTEES.

SESSION 1970-71.

1.—HOUSE (JOINT).

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Bornstein,
Mr. Doube,Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*),
Mr. McLaren,
Mr. Mitchell.

2.—LIBRARY (JOINT).

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Edmunds,Mrs. Goble,
Mr. Mitchell.

3.—MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Lewis (*Dundas*),
Mr. Suggett,Mr. Trethewey,
Mr. Trewin.

4.—PRINTING.

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Broad,
Mr. Curnow,
Mr. Lewis (*Portland*),Mr. MacDonald (*Glen Iris*),
Mr. Stephen,
Mr. Stokes,
Mr. Whiting.

5.—PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Doube (*appointed**),
Mr. Lind,
Mr. McDonald (*Rodney*),
Mr. McLaren,Mr. Reese,
Mr. Ross-Edwards (*discharged**),
Mr. Trezise,
Mr. Wheeler.

6.—ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Dixon,
Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*),Mr. Jona,
Mr. Wilkes.

7.—STANDING ORDERS.

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Speaker,
Mr. Holding,
Mr. Manson,
Mr. Ross-Edwards,Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*),
Mr. Whiting,
Mr. Wilkes.

8.—STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Doyle (*appointed**),
Mr. Edmunds,
Mr. Evans (*Ballaarat North*),
Mr. Evans (*Gippsland East*)
(*discharged**),Mr. Lovegrove,
Mr. Smith (*Bellarine*),
Mr. Whiting.

9.—SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).

(Appointed 17th June, 1970.)

Mr. Birrell,
Mr. Broad (*discharged**),Mr. Taylor (*Balwyn*) (*appointed**),
Mr. Turnbull.

* 29th September, 1970.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 1.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 1st OCTOBER, 1970.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH SEPTEMBER 1970.

No. 1.—FOOTWEAR REGULATION BILL—Clause 3.

In this Act unless inconsistent with the context or subject-matter—

“Inspector” means an inspector of factories and shops under the *Labour and Industry Act 1958*.

“Prescribed” means prescribed by this Act or regulations.

“Regulations” means regulations made under this Act.

“Shoes” includes boots slippers and sandals.

“Sole” means all that part of a shoe which when the shoe is worn by a person is under the foot of the wearer including the heel but not including—

(a) the insole ;

(b) the thin slip of leather paper or like material which is affixed to the upper surface of the insole ; or

(c) thread wax rivets pegs nails toe-plates and heel plates.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That after the interpretation of “Sole” there shall be inserted the following interpretation :—

“Upper” means the part of the shoe to which the sole is affixed.’

—(Mr. McDonald, Rodney.)

Question—That the interpretation proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 25.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Clarey	(Rodney)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Simmonds
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Giniifer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Portland)	Mr. Amos
Mr. Lind	Mr. Broad

Noes, 32.

Mr. Balfour	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Manson	Tellers.
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Reese	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Reid	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Rossiter	

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 2.—Clause 4.

(1) Any person who manufactures shoes for sale shall stamp in legible characters on the soles of such shoes or where prescribed—

- (a) the words “made by” or “manufactured by” immediately followed by the name of the manufacturer or by a business name registered under the *Business Names Act* 1962 or under a corresponding Act of any other State or Territory of the Commonwealth if that business name is the sole property of the manufacturer and if no other person has been granted the right to use that name by the manufacturer ;
- (b) in the case of soles which consist entirely of leather the words “all leather sole” ; or
- (c) in the case of soles which do not consist entirely of leather—
- (i) a true statement of the materials composing the sole ; or
- (ii) in the case of a sole consisting entirely of synthetic material the words “synthetic sole” ; or
- (iii) the words “non-leather sole”.

(2) For the purposes of this section a sole shall be deemed to consist entirely of leather if the only material therein other than leather consists of one or more of the following :—

- (a) Ordinary fillers of cork or waterproof felt ;
- (b) Canvas used to reinforce the insole ;
- (c) A prescribed material used as prescribed in the manufacture of shanks ;
- (d) Wood or metal used in the heels of ladies footwear ;
- (e) Stiffening of such materials and so made as prescribed.

(3) Any manufacturer of shoes for sale who fails to stamp the shoes as required by this section and any person who sells or exposes for sale or supplies or has in his possession for sale or supply any shoes not so stamped (wheresoever the shoes were manufactured) shall be guilty of an offence against this section and liable to a penalty of not more than \$200.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That the following paragraph be inserted to follow paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) :—

“() in the case of shoes which consist entirely of leather the words “all leather sole and upper ;”’.

—(Mr. McDonald, Rodney.)

Question—That the paragraph proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 26.		Noes, 30.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Clarey	Mr. McDonald	Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Curnow	(Rodney)	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull	(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting	Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Lewis		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox
(Dundas)	Tellers.	Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos	Mr. Manson	Tellers.
(Portland)	Mr. Broad	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Maclellan
		Mr. Reese	Mr. Taylor
		Mr. Reid	(Gippsland South)

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 3.—Clause 4.

Further amendment proposed—That after the word “sole” in sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (c) of sub-section (1) there shall be inserted the following :—

“without describing the materials or any of them as any kind of leather hide or calf”.

—(Mr. McDonald, Rodney.)

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 25.

Mr. Amos	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Bornstein	(Rodney)
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Wilton
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(Portland)	Mr. Broad
Mr. Lind	Mr. Edmunds

Noes, 30.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Suggett
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Reese	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Reid	(Gippsland South)

And so it passed in the negative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71

No. 2.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 14TH OCTOBER, 1970.WEDNESDAY, 14TH OCTOBER, 1970.

LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP CLOSING) BILL—Clause 2.

After sub-section (1) of section 80 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sub-sections :—

“(2) All shops (except shops of the classes or kinds mentioned in the Fifth Schedule and petrol shops) shall be closed and kept closed for the whole of the day—

(a) on New Year’s Day : Provided that when New Year’s Day falls upon a Sunday the said shops shall be closed and kept closed on the day after New Year’s Day ;

(b) on Good Friday ;

(c) on Easter Monday ;

(d) on Christmas Day and the day after Christmas Day : Provided that when Christmas Day falls upon a Sunday the said shops shall be closed and kept closed on the following Monday and Tuesday, and that when the day after Christmas Day falls upon a Sunday the said shops shall be closed and kept closed on the following Monday ; and

(e) on the days which by virtue of the *Public Service Act* 1958 are or are proclaimed to be public holidays, and are observed as Australia Day, Labour Day for Victoria and Queen’s Birthday respectively.

(2A) All shops (except shops of the classes or kinds mentioned in the Fifth Schedule, petrol shops, butchers’ shops and hairdressers’ shops) shall be closed and kept closed for the whole of the day on the Saturday following Good Friday.

(2B) All shops (except shops or the classes or kinds mentioned in the Fifth Schedule and petrol shops) which are situated within any of the municipalities mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the *Public Service Act* 1958 shall be closed and kept closed—

(a) on the fourth Thursday in September, from the hour of noon ; and

(b) on the first Tuesday in November, for the whole of the day.

(2C) Where by virtue of sub-section (3) of section 67 of the *Public Service Act* 1958 the Governor in Council substitutes another day as a public holiday for any of the days referred to in sub-section (2) or (2A) of this section, the reference to the said day in sub-section (2) or (2A) shall be deemed to be a reference to the day so substituted.

(2D) When it appears to the Governor in Council that in any year it is expedient that for either of the days mentioned in sub-section (2B) another day be substituted as a day on which shops shall be closed and kept closed in accordance with that sub-section, he may, by proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*—

- (a) declare that the said day mentioned in sub-section (2B) shall not in that year be a day when the relevant shops shall be closed and kept closed in accordance with that sub-section ; and
- (b) appoint another day as the substituted day on which the relevant shops shall so be closed and kept closed, and the day so appointed shall in such year be substituted for and for all purposes be deemed to be the said day mentioned in sub-section (2B)."

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That the words "from the hour of noon" in proposed sub-section (2B) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words "for the whole of the day".

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

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

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. STOKES.)

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Gippsland East)	(Gippsland South)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting
(Rodney)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Crellin

Noes, 18.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Ginifer	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood
(Dundas)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Lind	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 3.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 22nd OCTOBER, 1970.

TUESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1970.

NO. 1.—SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASS TO FARMS) BILL—Clause 2, *as amended*.

After section 50 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following heading and section :—

' Trespass for certain Purposes.

50A. (1) In this section unless inconsistent with the context or subject-matter "primary production" means farming agricultural horticultural viticultural pastoral or grazing operation and without affecting the generality of the foregoing provisions includes dairy farming poultry farming and bee farming operations.

(2) The provisions of this section shall apply only within such districts as are specified by proclamation made under this section.

(3) Upon the application of the council of a municipality the Governor in Council may by proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*—

(a) declare the municipal district of the municipality or any part thereof to be a district to which this section applies ; and

(b) revoke or vary any such proclamation.

(4) The Governor in Council may by proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*—

(a) declare any outlying district within the meaning of the *Local Government Act* 1958 to be a district to which this section applies ; and

(b) revoke or vary any such proclamation.

(5) Any person who within any district specified by proclamation made under this section and during the fire danger period within the meaning of the *Country Fire Authority Act* 1958 engages in or enters with the intention of ferreting on any land which is used in connexion with primary production without the consent, express or implied, of the occupier of that land or of some person apparently authorized to act on behalf of such occupier shall be guilty of an offence against this section and liable for a first offence to a penalty of not more than \$50 * * * and for a second or subsequent offence to a penalty of not more than \$500 * * *.

(6) Upon any proceedings for an offence against this section the burden of proving the consent of the occupier of any land concerned or of any person apparently authorized to act on behalf of such occupier shall be upon the person charged.

(7) Nothing in this section shall in any way limit or abridge any other civil or criminal proceeding in relation to any such trespass.'

—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool)

Further amendment proposed—That the following sub-section be inserted to follow proposed sub-section (5) :—

" () It shall be a defence to a prosecution for an offence against sub-section (5) if the defendant satisfies the court that he did not actually engage in ferreting on that land but was approaching the residence of the occupier of the land along a defined or customary path for the purpose of applying for such consent."

—(Mr. Trewin.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

NOTE :—* Denotes omission by amendment.

Bold type denotes insertion by amendment.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 26.			Noes, 32.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind		Mr. Balfour	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mitchell		Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton		Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Ross-Edwards		Mr. Burgin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton		Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds		Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trewin		Mr. Doyle	Mr. Taylor
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Whiting		Mr. Dunstan	(Balwyn)
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Ginfifer			Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Holding			Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Kirkwood			Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>		Mr. McLaren	
(Dundas)	Mr. Fell		Mr. Maclellan	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. McDonald		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Smith
(Portland)	(Rodney)		Mr. Rafferty	(Bellarine)
			Mr. Reid	Mr. Taylor
			Mr. Rossiter	(Gippsland South)

And so it passed in the negative.

THURSDAY, 22ND OCTOBER, 1970.

No. 2.—SUPPLY—BUDGET—ESTIMATES FOR 1970-71.

Motion made—That the following sum be granted to Her Majesty to defray the charges for the year 1970-71 for the service hereunder specified in addition to the several sums already voted in this Session of Parliament for such service, viz. :—

DIVISION NO. 1—LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL	\$1,200
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—(Sir Henry Bolte.)

Amendment proposed and question put—That this sum be reduced by \$1.

—(Mr. Holding.)

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 19.			Noes, 31.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind		Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lovegrove		Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton		Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds		Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise		Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull		Mr. Evans	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Ginfifer	Mr. Wilton		(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Kirkwood			Mrs. Goble	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>		Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
(Dundas)	Mr. Amos		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Curnow		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin
(Portland)			(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wheeler
			Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
			Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire
			Mr. Meagher	
			Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
			Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan
			Mr. Reid	Mr. Taylor
			Mr. Ross-Edwards	(Gippsland South)

And so it passed in the negative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 4.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 29th OCTOBER, 1970.

TUESDAY, 27th OCTOBER, 1970.

STAMPS BILL—Clause 7.

Section 131AA of the Principal Act is hereby amended as follows :—

- (a) In the interpretation of “ credit arrangement ” in sub-section (1) for the words “ at a simple annual rate of nine per centum per annum on the amount of credit provided under the arrangement from time to time outstanding ” there shall be substituted the words “ on the amount of credit provided under the arrangement and from time to time outstanding at a rate per centum per annum fixed by Order of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette* which rate shall not be less than 9 per centum per annum ” ;
- (b) In the interpretation of “ discount transaction ” in sub-section (1) for the words “ nine per centum per annum ” there shall be substituted the words “ the rate per centum per annum fixed by Order of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette* which rate shall not be less than 9 per centum per annum ” ;
- (c) In the interpretation of “ loan ” in sub-section (1) of section 131AA for the words “ nine per centum per annum ” there shall be substituted the words “ the rate per centum per annum fixed by Order of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette* which rate shall not be less than 9 per centum per annum ” ;
- (d) At the end of the interpretation of “ credit business ” in sub-section (1) there shall be inserted the expression—
- “ or
- (c) the business of making loans to its members of a credit society registered under the *Co-operation Act 1958* ” ;
- (e) In the interpretation of “ interest ” in sub-section (1) for the expression “ Division 9 of Part VIII. ” there shall be substituted the expression “ Division 9 of Part VII. ” ;
- (f) In sub-section (4) for the words “ nine per centum per annum ” there shall be substituted the words “ the rate per centum per annum fixed by Order of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette* which rate shall not be less than 9 per centum per annum ”.

—(Sir Henry Bolte.)

Amendment proposed—That paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) be omitted.

—(Mr. Clarey.)

Question—That the paragraphs proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 43.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Reid	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 22.

Mr. Clarey	Mr. Lind
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Bornstein

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 5.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

WEEK ENDED 12th NOVEMBER, 1970.

WEDNESDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, 1970.

No. 1.—ABORIGINAL LANDS BILL—Clause 3.

(1) As soon as may be after the commencement of this Act, the Minister shall cause to be prepared for each reserve a register showing the names of all aborigines resident on the reserve at the commencement of this Act who—

- (a) were resident on the reserve on the 1st day of January, 1968 ;
- (b) in the case of the Lake Tyers reserve—became resident on the reserve after the 1st day of January, 1968 but before the 1st day of October, 1970 with the approval of the Lake Tyers Aboriginal Council (whether granted before or after they became resident) ; or
- (c) are children born before the commencement of this Act whose mothers were persons of a class referred to in paragraph (a) or paragraph (b).

(2) For the purposes of sub-section (1), the Minister shall be entitled to treat any person as having been resident on a reserve on any day or at any time if the Minister is satisfied that the person was ordinarily resident on the reserve during a period of not less than three months including that day or time.

(3) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this section, the Minister may cause to be omitted from any such register the name of any person who is a member of a family in respect of which the Minister has made a grant for the purpose of enabling the purchase of a dwelling-house outside the reserve.

—(Mr. Meagher.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression—

“ resident on the reserve at the commencement of this Act who—

- (a) were resident on the reserve on the 1st day of January, 1968 ;
- (b) in the case of the Lake Tyers reserve—became resident on the reserve after the 1st day of January, 1968 but before the 1st day of October, 1970 with the approval of the Lake Tyers Aboriginal Council (whether granted before or after they became resident) ; or
- (c) are children born before the commencement of this Act whose mothers were persons of a class referred to in paragraph (a) or paragraph (b).”—

be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression—

“ who—

- (a) were at any time born or resident on the reserve ; or
 - (b) are descended from any person referred to in paragraph (a)—
- and who, on being consulted, express their desire to have their names included in the register.”

—(Mr. Bornstein.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 37.		Noes, 21.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese	Mr. Doube
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Reid	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Fell
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Floyd
Mr. Dixon	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Smith	Mr. Holding
Mr. Evans	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Evans	Mr. Thompson	(<i>Portland</i>)
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Lind
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Wheeler	
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Whiting	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wilcox	
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wiltshire	
Mr. McCabe		
Mr. McDonald		
(<i>Rodney</i>)		
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>	
Mr. Manson	Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Taylor	
Mr. Mitchell	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

No. 2.—URBAN RENEWAL BILL (NO. 2)—Clause 3.

(1) Where in the opinion of a renewal authority there exists in any locality an area which either in whole or in part requires renewal the renewal authority may cause the area to be defined on a map and may recommend to the Minister that it should be authorized to prepare an urban renewal proposal for the area.

(2) Before submitting a recommendation with respect to any area to the Minister under sub-section (1) the renewal authority shall—

- (a) give notice to the Town and Country Planning Board of the renewal authority's intention to make such recommendation describing shortly the object of the recommendation ;
- (b) where the renewal authority is a public authority consult with and consider any submissions made to it by the council of every municipality in the municipal district of which any part of the area is situate and the Housing Commission or any representatives of the council or the Housing Commission duly appointed by either of them for that purpose ;
- (c) where the renewal authority is a municipal council consult with and consider any submissions made to it by the Housing Commission and such other public authority as the Minister may direct or any representatives of the Housing Commission or other authority duly appointed by either of them for that purpose ;
- (d) where the renewal authority is the Housing Commission consult with and consider any submissions made to it by the council of every municipality in the municipal district of which any part of the area is situate and any public authority as the Minister may direct or any representatives of the council or public authority duly appointed by either of them for that purpose ;
- (e) consult with and consider any submissions made to it by the responsible authority or any representatives of the responsible authority duly appointed by the authority for that purpose.

(3) Where the renewal authority has made a recommendation to the Minister under sub-section (1) with respect to any area the Minister may recommend to the Governor in Council that the renewal authority be authorized to prepare an urban renewal proposal for the area.

(4) Before making any recommendation under sub-section (3) the Minister shall—

- (a) where the renewal authority is a municipal council consult with the Minister for the time being administering the *Housing Act 1958* and the Minister for the time being administering the *Town and Country Planning Act 1961* ; or
- (b) where the renewal authority is a public authority consult with the Minister for the time being administering the *Town and Country Planning Act 1961* and the Minister for the time being administering the *Housing Act 1958* ; or
- (c) where the renewal authority is the Housing Commission consult with the Minister for the time being administering the *Town and Country Planning Act 1961*.

(5) The Governor in Council upon a recommendation made under sub-section (3) may, by Order published in the *Government Gazette* authorize the renewal authority to prepare an urban renewal proposal in respect of the area specified in the recommendation or such part of that area as he thinks fit.

(6) Upon the renewal authority being so authorized it shall prepare an urban renewal proposal with respect to the area concerned.

—(Mr. Meagher.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-section (1) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof—

“(1) Where the renewal authority has—

(a) conducted a survey with respect to—

- (i) the social structure and desires of the people in the area ;
- (ii) the social services available in the area ;
- (iii) land use and land value in the area ;
- (iv) substandard buildings and non-conforming uses in the area ;
- (v) buildings artifacts or places of historic aesthetic or other value in the area ;
- (vi) any other matters relevant to the renewal of the area ; and

(b) complied with the provisions of sub-section (2)—

and it is of the opinion that an area requires renewal in whole or in part it may cause the area to be defined on a map and may recommend to the Minister that it should be authorized to prepare an urban renewal proposal for the area.”

—(Mr. Edmunds.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 42.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Sir Henry Bolte	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(Gippsland South)
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Templeton
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Reese	(Rodney)

Noes, 22.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers</i>
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Lovegrove	(Portland)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—New Clause A.

(1) There shall be an Urban Renewal Tribunal appointed by the Governor in Council consisting of—

- (a) a barrister and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria ;
- (b) a person having experience in town and country planning ;
- (c) a member of the Metropolitan Sectional Council of the Municipal Association nominated by the Council.

(2) The Governor in Council shall appoint one member of the Tribunal to be chairman.

(3) Each member of the Tribunal shall be appointed for a period of not more than three years and shall be eligible for re-appointment.

(4) A member of the Tribunal may be removed from office by the Governor in Council.

(5) On the occurrence of any vacancy in the Tribunal the Governor in Council may subject to this Act appoint another eligible person to fill the vacancy.

(6) In the case of illness or absence of the chairman or other member of the Tribunal the Minister may appoint another eligible person to act as chairman or member in his stead during the illness or absence and that person while so acting shall have all the powers and perform all the duties of the chairman or member in whose stead he is appointed to act.

(7) The members of the Tribunal shall not in respect of their office as members be subject to the provisions of the *Public Service Act 1958*.

(8) The chairman and one other member of the Tribunal shall be a quorum.

(9) The decision of a majority of the members of the Tribunal shall be the decision of the Tribunal but in the case of an equality of votes the chairman shall have a casting vote.

(10) For the purpose of hearing any appeal the provisions of sections 14, 15 and 16 of the *Evidence Act 1958* shall apply to this Act as if re-enacted herein with the substitution of the words "the Urban Renewal Tribunal" for the words "any board appointed or to be appointed by the Governor in Council".

(11) All hearings under this Act shall be open to the public.'

—(Mr. Edmunds.)

Question—That new clause A be now read a second time—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 21.		Noes, 38.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lind	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds	Sir Henry Bolte	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Broad	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Dixon	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Fordham		Mr. Dunstan	(Balwyn)
Mr. Ginifer	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
(Portland)	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler
		(Glen Iris)	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. Maclellan	
		Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Crellin
		Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith
		Mr. Reese	(Bellarine)

And so it passed in the negative.

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No. 6.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 19th NOVEMBER, 1970.

TUESDAY, 17th NOVEMBER, 1970.

NO. 1.—METROPOLITAN FIRE BRIGADES (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 7, *as amended*.

After section 78 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following heading and sections:—

“Discipline.

78A. An officer or member of a brigade who is—

- (a) guilty of any breach of the regulations ;
- (b) guilty of any misconduct ;
- (c) negligent or careless in the discharge of his duties ;
- (d) inefficient or incompetent and such inefficiency or incompetence arises from causes within his own control ; or
- (e) guilty of any disgraceful or improper conduct—

shall be guilty of an offence.

78B. (1) Any officer of or above the rank of district officer, but not the Chief Fire Officer, may after investigation lay a charge for an offence under section 78A.

(2) A charge for an offence under section 78A shall be heard by the Chief Fire Officer who may—

- (a) refer the charge to the president of the Board and may suspend from duty any person so charged until the charge is dealt with under sub-section (3) of this section ; or
- (b) hear the charge and if satisfied the offence was committed may—
 - (i) reprimand the officer or member concerned ; or
 - (ii) impose a fine of not more than \$20.

(3) Where a charge is referred under paragraph (a) of sub-section (2), the president shall hear the charge and if after hearing the charge he is satisfied the offence was committed shall—

- (a) dismiss such officer or member from the brigade ; or
- (b) reduce such officer or member in rank for such period as he thinks fit ; or
- (c) reprimand such officer or member ; or
- (d) impose a fine of not more than \$50 upon such officer or member.

(4) Upon the hearing of any charge by the president against officers or members of the Brigade such officers or members shall be entitled to be represented by a duly qualified legal practitioner or other person who may examine witnesses and address the president in their behalf.

(5) An officer or member who has been suspended from duty may engage in remunerative employment during the term of his suspension.

(6) All pay which accrues to an officer or member during any period of suspension shall be withheld.

(7) Where an officer or member is acquitted of the charge in respect of which he has been suspended all pay withheld in accordance with sub-section (6) less the amount of any earnings received by him during the period of his suspension shall forthwith be paid to him.

(8) Where an officer or member is not acquitted of the offence in respect of which he has been suspended all pay withheld in accordance with sub-section (6) shall be forfeited unless the president of the Board orders otherwise.

(9) Where a fine is imposed under this section the amount of such fine may be deducted from the pay of the officer or member fined but not more than \$10 shall be deducted from the pay attributable to any one week.”

—(Mr. Borthwick.)

NOTE.—Bold type denotes substitution by amendment.

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Amendment proposed—That after the word “president” (where first occurring) in sub-section (4) of proposed section 78B insert the words “or Chief Fire Officer”.

—(Mr. Floyd.)

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 26.		Noes, 38.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Balfour	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Broad	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Whiting	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton	(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Holding		Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Kirkwood		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Jona	(Gippsland South)
(Dundas)	Mr. Fell	Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Lind	Mr. McDonald	Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Lovegrove	(Rodney)	(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Manson	Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. Rafferty	
		Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Reid	Mr. Crellin
		Mr. Rossiter	Mr. McCabe

And so it passed in the negative.

THURSDAY (MORNING), 19TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

No. 2.—MELBOURNE UNDERGROUND RAIL LOOP BILL—Clause 25.

(1) The Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works and the City of Melbourne shall each pay to the Authority not later than the 31st December in each financial year an amount equal to one-quarter of the total of the annual redemption payments and the administrative costs payable by the Authority in that year.

(2) The amount to be paid by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works to the Authority shall be paid out of the Metropolitan Improvement Fund.

(3) The amount to be paid by the City of Melbourne shall be paid out of the Town Fund or out of any other moneys lawfully available for that purpose.

(4) Notwithstanding anything in any Act the City of Melbourne may borrow on the security of the revenues of the municipality any amount necessary to make any payment that it is required to make under this Act.

—(Mr. Wilcox.)

Question—That clause 25 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 41.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Broad	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)	Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lovegrove	(Dundas)
Mrs. Goble	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(Rodney)	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Meagher			
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Maclellan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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No. 7.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 26th NOVEMBER, 1970.

TUESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

No. 1.—CRIMINAL APPEALS BILL—Clause 2, *as amended*.After section 567 of the *Crimes Act* 1958 there shall be inserted the following section:—

‘ 567A. (1) Where sentence is passed on a person convicted on indictment and the Attorney-General considers that a different sentence should have been passed the Attorney-General, on behalf of Her Majesty, may appeal to the Full Court against the sentence passed on the conviction unless the sentence is one fixed by law.

(2) Where the Attorney-General desires to appeal to the Full Court under sub-section (1) he shall cause notice of appeal **setting forth the grounds thereof** to be given to the respondent by serving upon him notice of the Attorney-General’s intention to appeal to the Full Court pursuant to the provisions of this section.

(3) Notice of appeal against a sentence shall not be given under sub-section (2) more than one month after the passing of the sentence without first obtaining the leave of the Full Court so to do.

(4) Upon an appeal under this section the Full Court shall, if it thinks that a different sentence should have been passed, quash the sentence passed at the trial and pass such other sentence warranted in law (whether more or less severe and including an order for probation) in substitution therefor as it thinks ought to have been passed.

(5) The Attorney-General or counsel on his behalf may appear on behalf of Her Majesty on any proceedings under this section and the provisions of sections 573, 574, 576, sub-section (5) of section 579, and sections 580, 581 and 583 with respect to procedure shall so far as those provisions are applicable and with such modifications and adaptations as are necessary extend and apply to appeals under this section and in particular with the modifications that any reference in those provisions to “appellant” shall be read and construed as if it were a reference to “respondent” and any reference to “Part” were a reference to “section 567A.”’

—(Mr. Reid.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-section (3) of proposed section 567A be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following sub-sections:—

“() Notice of appeal against a sentence shall not be given under sub-section (2) more than one month after the passing of the sentence.

() The Full Court shall not proceed to determine any such appeal until it is satisfied that the matter of the appeal is of such importance that in the public interest an appeal should lie.”

—(Mr. Turnbull.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

NOTE.—Bold type denotes insertion by amendment.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 35.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Dunstan	(Balwyn)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Ballarat North)	(Gippsland South)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. McCabe

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Noes, 28.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Broad	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fell	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Giniifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Lewis
(Dundas)	(Portland)
Mr. Lind	

No. 2.—Clause 3.

After section 141 of the *Justices Act 1958* there shall be inserted the following section :—

“ 141A. (1) Where a person—

- (a) is convicted summarily for an offence ;
- (b) is dismissed under sub-section (1) of section 102A without being convicted upon his finding surety or sureties for his future good behaviour or without such sureties ; or
- (c) the further hearing of an information is adjourned under sub-section (6) of section 92 and the defendant is allowed to go at large upon his entering into a recognizance for his good behaviour in the meantime—

and the Attorney-General considers that a different sentence should have been passed, a different penalty imposed, or a different order made the Attorney-General may appeal to the County Court against the sentence penalty or order unless it is one fixed by law.

(2) Where the Attorney-General desires to appeal to the County Court under sub-section (1) he shall cause notice of appeal to be given to the respondent at any time within one month after the passing of the sentence the imposition of the penalty or the making of the order by serving on the respondent and on the clerk of the Magistrates' Court notice in writing of his intention to appeal under this section.

(3) Upon an appeal under this section the County Court shall, if it thinks that a different sentence should have been passed or penalty imposed or order made quash the sentence passed penalty imposed or order made and pass impose or make such other sentence penalty or order warranted in law (whether more or less severe and including an order for probation) in substitution therefor as it thinks ought to have been passed imposed or made.

(4) No further appeal shall be brought by the Attorney-General against any order made by the County Court under sub-section (3).

(5) The provisions of paragraphs (3), (4), (7), (8), (9), (12), (13) and (14) of section 142 and sections 145, 148 and 149 shall so far as those provisions are applicable and with such modifications and adaptations as are necessary extend and apply to appeals under this section.”

—(Mr. Reid.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression—

“ 141A. (1) Where a person—

- (a) is convicted summarily for an offence ;
- (b) is dismissed under sub-section (1) of section 102A without being convicted upon his finding surety or sureties for his future good behaviour or without such sureties ; or
- (c) the further hearing of an information is adjourned under sub-section (6) of section 92 and the defendant is allowed to go at large upon his entering into a recognizance for his good behaviour in the meantime—”

be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression “ 141A. (1) Where a person is convicted summarily for an offence”.

—(Mr. Turnbull.)

[The Chairman decided to have this amendment tested on the question—That the expression “ 141A. (1) Where ” stand part of the clause so as not to preclude proposed amendments of the Honorable the Attorney-General to that part of the clause.]

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 33.		Noes, 27.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Broad	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Evans	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)	Mr. Fell	Mr. Whiting
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mrs. Goble	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Giniifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler	Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wilcox	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Curnow
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wiltshire	(Dundas)	Mr. Lewis
Mr. McLaren		Mr. Lind	(Portland)
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Manson	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. McCabe		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

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No. 8.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 3rd DECEMBER, 1970.

TUESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1970.

No. 1.—TEACHING SERVICE (TRIBUNAL) BILL.—Clause 2.

(1) At the end of section 5A of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sections :—

“ 5B. (1) Where in the opinion of the Governor in Council it is necessary to appoint an additional person with the power of the Chairman to enable the Tribunal to deal properly and expeditiously with matters awaiting hearing he may appoint a fit and proper person to be an alternate Chairman of the Tribunal in addition to the persons appointed to be members of the Tribunal pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this Act.

(2) An alternate Chairman shall be entitled to receive such salary and allowances as are from time to time fixed by the Governor in Council and shall carry out such of the functions of the Chairman as are from time to time assigned to him by the Chairman.

(3) An alternate Chairman shall not sit as a member of the Tribunal if the Chairman is sitting.

(4) If the appointment of an alternate Chairman is not renewed upon the expiration of his term of office or he resigns his office as alternate Chairman he shall, if immediately before his appointment as alternate Chairman he was a member of the Public Service or the Teaching Service, be entitled to be appointed by the Public Service Board or the Tribunal, as the case requires to an office in the Public Service or the Teaching Service, as the case requires, with an emolument equal to the emolument to which he was entitled as alternate Chairman.

5C. (1) Where in the opinion of the Governor in Council it is necessary to appoint an additional person with power to perform functions of the member representing the Government of Victoria to enable the Tribunal to deal properly and expeditiously with appeals by members of the Teaching Service to the Tribunal he may appoint a fit and proper person to be an alternate member to the member representing the Government of Victoria in addition to the persons appointed to be members of the Tribunal pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this Act.

(2) An alternate member shall, when available, carry out all the functions of the member appointed to represent the Government of Victoria in or in relation to appeals and in the absence from the Tribunal of the member representing the Government of Victoria may act in the place of such member in addition to performing his functions as an alternate member under this section.

(3) An alternate member shall be entitled to receive such remuneration as is from time to time fixed by the Governor in Council.

(4) An alternate member shall not sit as a member of the Tribunal if the member representing the Government of Victoria is sitting.

(5) Except where the context or subject-matter otherwise requires a reference to an appointed member or to the member representing the Government of Victoria includes a reference to the alternate member.”

No. 2.—Clause 2, *as amended*.

Notice having been taken by Sir Henry Bolte that strangers were present—

Question—That strangers be ordered to withdraw—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 42.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Broad	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Fell	
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Crellin	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith	Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Doyle	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lind	(<i>Portland</i>)
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)		
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Templeton		
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(<i>Glen Iris</i>)	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire		
(<i>Rodney</i>)			
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Manson	Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Mitchell	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1970.

No. 3.—WAYS AND MEANS—MOTOR CAR (FEES) BILL.—Resolution.

That under and subject to the *Motor Car Act 1958* as proposed to be amended by the Motor Car (Fees) Bill there shall be paid to and for the use of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors the following fees, namely :—

	\$	c
(a) Upon every registration (not being a renewal of registration or re-registration in the name of the person in whose name a motor car (other than a motor cycle) is or was last registered and not being a registration in the case of a transfer from the name of one person to the name of a person who is a licensed second-hand dealer) and in addition to any other fee payable in respect of the registration	7	00
(b) Upon the issue or renewal by the Chief Commissioner of a licence to drive a motor car other than a motor cycle or to drive a motor cycle ..	12	00
(c) Upon the issue or renewal by the Chief Commissioner of a licence to drive a motor tractor	4	00
(d) Upon the issue or renewal by the Chief Commissioner of a motor cycle learner's licence	2	00
(e) Upon the issue by the Chief Commissioner of a motor driving instructor's licence	40	00

—(*Mr. Borthwick.*)

Question—That this resolution be agreed to—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Borthwick	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Broad	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dunstan	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Whiting
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire
(Rodney)	
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Reese	(Gippsland South)

Noes, 21.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Fordham	
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(Portland)	Mr. Amos
	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY, 3rd DECEMBER, 1970.

No. 4.—ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION BILL.—Clause 7.

(1) The Environment Protection Council shall consist of seventeen members appointed by the Governor in Council of whom—

- (a) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister from a panel of five names representing persons skilled in the field of industrial waste problems submitted by the Victorian Chamber of Manufacturers ;
- (b) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister from a panel of five names submitted by the Victorian Trades Hall Council ;
- (c) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister of Water Supply from among the Commissioners of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission ;
- (d) one shall be the Engineer in Chief of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works ;
- (e) one shall be the Chief Health Officer ;
- (f) one shall be the Director of Fisheries and Wildlife ;
- (g) one shall be a municipal councillor appointed on the nomination of the Minister for Local Government from a panel of the names of five municipal councillors submitted by the Municipal Association of Victoria ;
- (h) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister as representing the general public ;
- (i) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister for Fuel and Power from among the officers of the State Electricity Commission ;
- (j) one shall be the chairman of the Soil Conservation Authority ;
- (k) one shall be the Chief Chemist of the Gas and Fuel Corporation of Victoria ;
- (l) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister of Mines as a person with appropriate qualifications in environmental management ;
- (m) one shall be an engineer of the Ports and Harbors Division of the Public Works Department nominated by the Minister of Public Works ;
- (n) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister from a panel of five names submitted by the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization as qualified industrial waste chemists or industrial waste engineers ;
- (o) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister of Agriculture ;
- (p) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister for Local Government as a qualified person engaged in town and country planning ;
- (q) one shall be appointed on the nomination of the Minister for Conservation as a professor or teacher of ecology or aquatic or marine biology at a university in Victoria.

(2) The Governor in Council shall appoint one of such members to be the chairman of the Council and one other member to be deputy chairman.

(3) If any body authorized to submit a panel of names to the Minister fails for one month to comply with a request in writing by the Minister to submit a panel of names to the Minister the Governor in Council may appoint a suitable person nominated by the Minister without the submission of a panel of names.

—(Mr. Borthwick.)

Amendment proposed—That paragraph (b) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following paragraph :—

“() one shall be nominated by the Victorian Trades Hall Council ;”.

—(Mr. Edmunds.)

Question—That the paragraph proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Balfour	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(Balwyn)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Templeton
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Thompson
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler
(Rodney)	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Reid	Mr. Crellin

Noes, 20.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Doube	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Fell
(Dundas)	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Lind	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 9.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 10th DECEMBER, 1970.

TUESDAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1970.

No. 1.—WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Clause 2, *as amended*.

Clause 1 of the clauses appended to section 9 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) In paragraph (a)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (i)—

for the expression “ \$9,000 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$11,834 ” ;

for the expression “ \$200 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$263 ” ;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (ii) for the expression “ \$9,000 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$11,834 ” ;

(b) In paragraph (b)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (i)—

for the expression “ \$20 ” (where twice occurring) there shall be substituted the expression “ \$26 ” ;

for the expression “ \$6 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$8 ” ;

for the expression “ \$2.50 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$3 ” ;

for the expression “ \$31 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$41 ” ;

for the expression “ \$18 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$24 ” ;

for the expression “ \$26 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$34 ” ;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (iii) for the expression “ \$10,000 ” (where twice occurring) there shall be substituted the expression “ \$13,149 ”.

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Question—That clause 2, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.

NOTE :—Bold type denotes substitution by amendment.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 44.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Lewis	
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett	(Dundas)	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)	(Portland)	
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Fell
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton		Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey		
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Moss			
Mr. Rafferty			
Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Broad		
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. McCabe		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—Clause 3, *as amended*.

For the Table appended to sub-section (1) of section 11 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following Table :—

THE TABLE REFERRED TO.

Injury.	Amount of Compensation Payable.
	\$
Total loss of the sight of both eyes	11,834.00
Total loss of the sight of an only eye	11,834.00
Loss of both hands	11,834.00
Loss of both feet	11,834.00
Loss of a hand and a foot	11,834.00
Total and incurable loss of mental powers involving inability to work	11,834.00
Total and incurable paralysis of the limbs or of mental powers ..	11,834.00
Total loss of the right arm or of the greater part of the right arm	6,575.00
Total loss of the left arm or of the greater part of the left arm ..	6,180.00
Total loss of the right hand or of five fingers of the right hand, or of the lower part of the right arm	5,917.00
Total loss of the same for the left hand and arm	5,260.00
Total loss of a leg	6,180.00
Total loss of a foot	5,260.00
Total loss of the lower part of the leg	5,917.00
Total loss of the sight of one eye, together with the serious diminution of the sight of the other eye	6,180.00
Total loss of hearing	5,260.00
Total loss of the hearing of one ear	1,578.00
Total loss of the sight of one eye	3,287.00
Loss of binocular vision	3,287.00
Total loss of the thumb of the right hand	2,630.00
Total loss of the thumb of the left hand	2,235.00
Total loss of the forefinger of the right hand	1,709.00
Total loss of the forefinger of the left hand	1,446.00
Total loss of two joints of the forefinger of the right hand	1,315.00
Total loss of two joints of the forefinger of the left hand	1,052.00
Total loss of a joint of the thumb	1,315.00
Total loss of the first joint of the forefinger of the right hand	789.00
Total loss of the first joint of the forefinger of the left hand	657.00
Total loss of the first joint of the middle or little or ring finger of either hand	526.00
Total loss of the middle finger of either hand	1,052.00
Total loss of the little or ring finger of either hand	920.00
Total loss of two joints of the middle finger of either hand	789.00
Total loss of two joints of the little or ring finger of either hand	657.00
Total loss of the great toe of either foot	1,709.00
Total loss of a joint of the great toe of either foot	789.00
Total loss of any other toe	526.00
Total loss of a joint of any other toe	158.00

NOTE :—Bold type denotes substitution by amendment.

Injury.	Amount of Compensation Payable.
Partial loss of the sight of both eyes or of an only eye	Such percentage of \$11,834 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of sight measured without the aid of a correcting lens
Partial loss of the sight of one eye	Such percentage of \$3,287 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of sight measured without the aid of a correcting lens
Partial loss of the hearing of both ears or of an only ear ..	Such percentage of \$5,260 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of hearing measured without any hearing aid
Partial loss of the hearing of one ear	Such percentage of \$1,578 as is equal to the percentage of the diminution of hearing measured without any hearing aid

For the purposes of this Table—

(a) the total loss of a limb hand foot finger thumb toe or joint or any part thereof shall be deemed to include the permanent total loss of the use of such limb hand foot finger thumb toe joint or part; and

(b) where a worker habitually uses his left hand and arm to perform work usually performed by a worker with his right hand and arm the compensation payable for the loss of such left arm or the greater part of the arm or for the total loss of the left hand or of five fingers thereof or of the lower part of that arm or of a finger or part of a finger of the left hand shall be such amount as would have been payable for a similar loss in respect of his right arm or the part or parts thereof, but in any such case the compensation for the loss of the right arm or the greater part of that arm or for the total loss of the right hand or of five fingers thereof or of the lower part of that arm or of a finger or part of a finger of the right hand shall be such amount as would have been payable for a similar loss in respect of his left arm or the part or parts thereof if he did not habitually use his left hand and arm to perform work usually performed by a worker with his right hand and arm.

Where a worker suffers on the same occasion more than one of the injuries mentioned in this Table he shall not in any case be entitled to receive as compensation under this section and this Table more than \$11,834.

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Question—That clause 3, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 44.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Moss	
Mr. Rafferty	
Mr. Reese	Tellers.
Mr. Reid	Mr. Broad
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. McCabe

Noes, 21.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	
Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Dundas)	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lind	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Lovegrove	(Portland)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

NOTE :—Bold type denotes substitution by amendment.

No. 3.—Clause 4, *as amended*.

(1) The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows :—

- (a) Sub-section (2) of section 5 shall be repealed ;
 (b) In sub-section (2) of section 6 for the words “ any State or Territory ” there shall be substituted the expression “ any State (other than the State of Victoria) or Territory ” ;
 (c) For paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) of section 62 there shall be substituted the following paragraphs :—

“ (a) Proceedings may be taken both against that person to recover damages and against any person liable to pay compensation under this Act or the said scheme (as the case may be) for such compensation ;

(aa) If a judgment for damages has been satisfied in whole or in part—

(i) the right to compensation under this Act or the scheme shall be reduced by an amount equal to the amount recovered under the judgment ;

(ii) the right of a worker to any further weekly payments under this Act or the scheme shall thereupon cease and determine ; and

(iii) the Board may refuse to make any award in favour of the worker for any damage caused by an injury if it is satisfied that the judgment for damages was in respect of the damage caused by such injury ;

(d) For sub-section (1) of section 79 there shall be substituted the following sub-sections :—

“ (1) Nothing in this Act shall affect the right of any person to take and prosecute any proceedings for damages against an employer or any other person whether he has accepted payment of compensation under this Act or not.

(1A) Where a judgment or order for damages in favour of a worker and against his employer has been satisfied in whole or in part for an injury for which compensation would have been payable under this Act or under any scheme—

(a) the right of a worker to any further weekly payments under this Act or the scheme shall thereupon cease and determine ; and

(b) the Board may refuse to make any award in favour of the worker for any damage caused by an injury if it is satisfied that the judgment for damages was in respect of the damage caused by such injury.”

(2) The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows :—

(a) In sub-section (2) of section 1 for the expression “ Division 12.—Effect of Acceptance of Weekly Payments s. 79 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ Division 12.—Proceedings under this Act and at Common Law s. 79 ” ; and

(b) For the heading immediately preceding section 79 there shall be substituted the following heading :—

“ DIVISION 12.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THIS ACT AND AT COMMON LAW.”

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Question—That clause 4, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.
 Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 42.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trethewey
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Moss	
Mr. Rafferty	
Mr. Reese	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reid	Mr. Broad
Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. McCabe

Noes, 19.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Fell
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Lewis
(Dundas)	(Portland)
Mr. Lind	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

NOTE :—Bold type denotes substitution by amendment.

No. 4.—STATE DEVELOPMENT BILL.—Clause 7.

(1) The Minister may from time to time establish such advisory committees as he considers necessary to assist in carrying out the purposes of this Act.

(2) Each Committee shall—

(a) advise the Minister on matters which are referred to it by the Minister ;

(b) consult with other departments and organizations in relation to those matters.

(3) The members of each committee shall be appointed by the Minister for such term not exceeding five years as is specified and may be removed by the Minister.

(4) Members of a committee shall receive such travelling and other allowances and fees as are prescribed.

(5) Subject to this Act and the regulations each committee shall regulate its own proceedings.

—(Sir Henry Bolte.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-section (1) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following sub-section :—

“() The Minister shall appoint four Advisory Committees of which—

(a) one shall be known as the Tourism Advisory Committee which shall assist the Minister in relation to matters arising in connexion with the administration of Part II ;

(b) one shall be known as the National Parks Advisory Committee and shall assist the Minister in relation to matters arising in connexion with the administration of Part III. and the *National Parks Act 1970* ;

(c) one shall be known as the Industrial Development Advisory Committee and shall assist the Minister in relation to matters arising in connexion with the administration of Part IV. ; and

(d) one shall be known as the Immigration Advisory Committee and shall assist the Minister in relation to matters arising in connexion with the administration of Part V.”

—(Mr. Balfour.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 27.

Noes, 31.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Clarey	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Curnow	(Rodney)
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mitchell
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Ross-Edwards
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Portland)	Mr. Broad
Mr. Lind	Mr. Kirkwood

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith
Mr. Borthwick	(Bellarine)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Evans	(Warrnambool)
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Stephen
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Jona	(Balwyn)
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Taylor
Mr. McCabe	(Gippsland South)
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Reese	
Mr. Reid	Tellers.
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Burgin
Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Crellin

And so it passed in the negative.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1970.

No. 5.—GAS FRANCHISES BILL.—New Clause AA.

(1) If on the 1st day of January 1972 or at any time thereafter the Colonial Gas is supplying gas by reticulation in its franchise area to a consumer of a class at a price or rate which is greater than the price or rate at which gas is supplied by the Corporation to a consumer of the same or a similar class the Minister shall publish a notice in the *Government Gazette* stating that the Colonial Gas is charging excess rates for gas within its franchise area.

(2) On the publication of a notice under sub-section (1) this Act shall be deemed to have been amended as follows :—

(a) In sub-section (1) of section 2—

(i) the interpretation of “ Colonial Gas ” shall be deemed to have been repealed ;

(ii) in the interpretation of “ Franchise area ” the words “ and in relation to the Colonial Gas the areas described in Schedule 2 ” shall be deemed to have been repealed ; and

(iii) in the interpretation of “ Franchise holder ” the words “ and in relation to the areas described in Schedule 2 means the Colonial Gas ” shall be deemed to have been repealed ; and

(b) The Second Schedule shall be deemed to have been repealed.

—(Mr. Wilton.)

Question—That new clause AA be now read a second time—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 23.		Noes, 34.	
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Broad	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith
Mr. Clarey	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Birrell	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds	Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trewin	Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Evans	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Whiting	Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
Mr. Gimifer		(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Kirkwood		Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Lewis		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
(<i>Dundas</i>)	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos	Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox
(<i>Portland</i>)	Mr. Shilton	Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. McLaren	
		Mr. Manson	
		Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan
		Mr. Reid	Mr. Taylor
		Sir Arthur Rylah	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

And so it passed in the negative.

THURSDAY (MORNING), 10TH DECEMBER, 1970.

No. 6.—SOCIAL WELFARE BILL.—Clause 14.

(1) For the purposes of this Act the Minister shall constitute a Family Welfare Advisory Council consisting of not more than twelve members.

(2) (a) Of such members—

(i) one shall be the Director of Family Welfare ;

(ii) two shall be persons selected by the Minister from a panel of not less than four names submitted by the body known as the Victorian Council of Social Services ; and

(iii) two shall be persons selected by the Minister from a panel of not less than four names submitted by the body known as the Children's Welfare Association of Victoria.

(b) In default of the submission of any panel within fourteen days after a request by the Minister in that behalf the Minister may appoint any persons to be members notwithstanding that the panel has not been submitted.

(3) The Minister may at any time remove any member of the Advisory Council and may appoint an eligible person to fill any casual vacancy in the membership of the Council.

(4) The members of the Advisory Council shall, subject to this Act, be entitled to hold office for such respective terms (not exceeding in any case three years) as the Minister appoints and shall be eligible for re-appointment.

(5) The members of the Advisory Council holding office immediately prior to the commencement of this Act under section 10 of the *Children's Welfare Act* 1958 shall constitute the Family Welfare Advisory Council for the purposes of this Act and, subject to this Act, shall be entitled to continue in office for the remainder of the terms for which they were appointed and shall be eligible for re-appointment.

(6) The Minister may appoint one of such members to be chairman of the Advisory Council and such member shall hold office as chairman for a term of twelve months and shall be eligible for re-appointment as chairman.

(7) The chairman of the Family Welfare Advisory Council holding office immediately prior to the commencement of this Act shall be entitled, subject to this Act, to continue as chairman of the Advisory Council for the purposes of this Act for the remainder of the term for which he was appointed as chairman.

(8) The secretary of the Advisory Council shall be an officer of the Family Welfare Division.

(9) Meetings of the Advisory Council shall be convened and conducted as prescribed but the regulations shall require that not less than ten meetings shall be convened in each year.

(10) The members of the Advisory Council shall not as such be subject to the *Public Service Act* 1968.

(11) Each member of the Advisory Council shall be paid such fees and travelling expenses and allowances as are prescribed.

(12) The functions of the Advisory Council shall be—

(a) to advise the Minister on any alterations in practice and procedure considered desirable from time to time for the welfare protection and care of children and young persons under the care of the Family Welfare Division ; and

(b) to report on any matter of a like or allied nature referred to it by the Minister or on any matter on which it is authorized by this Act to report.

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Amendment proposed—That the following sub-paragraph be inserted to follow sub-paragraph (iii) of paragraph (a) of sub-section (2) :—

“() two shall be persons selected by the Minister from a panel of not less than four names submitted by the body known as the Australian Association of Social Workers, Victorian Branch ;”

—(Mr. Bornstein.)

Question—That the sub-paragraph proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 16.		Noes, 42.
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Balfour
Mr. Doube	(Portland)	Mr. Billing
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Lind	Mr. Birrell
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Mutton	Sir Henry Bolte
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Broad
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Holding		Mr. Crellin
Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Doyle
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos	Mr. Dunstan
(Dundas)	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Evans
		(Ballaarat North)
		Mr. Evans
		(Gippsland East)
		Mrs. Goble
		Mr. Hayes
		Mr. Jona
		Mr. Loxton
		Mr. McCabe
		Mr. McDonald
		(Rodney)
		Mr. McLaren
		Mr. Meagher
		Mr. Mitchell
		Mr. Reese
		Mr. Reid
		Mr. Ross-Edwards
		Mr. Rossiter
		Sir Arthur Rylah
		Mr. Scanlan
		Mr. Smith
		(Bellarine)
		Mr. Smith
		(Warrnambool)
		Mr. Stephen
		Mr. Stokes
		Mr. Suggett
		Mr. Taylor
		(Balwyn)
		Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Whiting
		Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. Wiltshire
		<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Maclellan
		Mr. Taylor
		(Gippsland South)

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 7.—Clause 14.

Amendment proposed—That the following paragraphs be inserted to follow paragraph (b) of sub-section (12) :—

“() to report annually on its activities to the Minister and to the Parliament ;

() recommend standards for staffing and the provision of services to the Governor in Council.”

—(Mr. Bornstein.)

Question—That the paragraphs proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 16.		Noes, 42.
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Balfour
Mr. Doube	(Portland)	Mr. Billing
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Lind	Mr. Birrell
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Mutton	Sir Henry Bolte
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Broad
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Holding		Mr. Crellin
Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Doyle
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos	Mr. Dunstan
(Dundas)	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Evans
		(Ballaarat North)
		Mr. Evans
		(Gippsland East)
		Mrs. Goble
		Mr. Hayes
		Mr. Jona
		Mr. Loxton
		Mr. McCabe
		Mr. McDonald
		(Rodney)
		Mr. McLaren
		Mr. Meagher
		Mr. Mitchell
		Mr. Reese
		Mr. Reid
		Mr. Ross-Edwards
		Mr. Rossiter
		Sir Arthur Rylah
		Mr. Scanlan
		Mr. Smith
		(Bellarine)
		Mr. Smith
		(Warrnambool)
		Mr. Stephen
		Mr. Stokes
		Mr. Suggett
		Mr. Taylor
		(Balwyn)
		Mr. Templeton
		Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Whiting
		Mr. Wilcox
		Mr. Wiltshire
		<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Maclellan
		Mr. Taylor
		(Gippsland South)

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 8.—Clause 16.

Where any child is without sufficient means of support and no available legal proceedings can be taken to obtain sufficient means of support for such child any parent or other person who has the care and custody of any such child may make application in the prescribed form to the Director-General that a periodic sum be paid to him or her towards the maintenance of such child.

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ and no available legal proceedings can be taken to obtain sufficient means of support for such child ” be omitted.

—(Mr. Bornstein.)

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

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 42.		Noes, 16.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah	Mr. Doube	(Portland)
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Lind
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Kirkwood	Tellers.
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	(Dundas)	Mr. Shilton
(Ballarat North) Mr. Taylor	(Balwyn)		
Mr. Evans	Mr. Templeton		
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Thompson		
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire		
(Rodney)			
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Meagher	Tellers.		
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Reid	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. Ross-Edwards			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 9.—Clause 32, as amended.

(1) Every child or young person under the age of seventeen years found by any member of the police force or by any person authorized (whether generally or in any particular case) by the Minister in any of the circumstances enumerated in section 31 may be immediately apprehended by such member or person without warrant.

(2) (a) If it appears to any justice on information made before him on oath by any person, that there is reasonable cause to suspect that a child or young person under the age of seventeen years is in any place in any of the circumstances enumerated in section 31 he may issue a warrant authorizing any person named therein to enter any house building or other place specified in the warrant for the purpose of apprehending any such child or young person.

(b) Any person authorized by warrant under this section to search for any such child or young person may enter, if need be by force, any house building or other place specified in the warrant and may remove the child or young person therefrom.

(c) Every warrant issued under this section shall be addressed to and executed by some senior constable sergeant or other officer of police of higher rank who shall be accompanied by the person making the information unless the justice otherwise directs.

(3) Such member or person shall forthwith make an application (to be called a protection application) in the prescribed form to a Children's Court that the child or young person named in the application should be deemed to be a child or young person in need of care and protection.

(4) Any child or young person who is apprehended under this section shall if he is under the age of fifteen years be taken to the nearest children's reception centre or if he is of or over the age of fifteen years but under the age of seventeen years to a remand centre or pursuant to the provisions of section 25 of the *Children's Court Act 1958* admitted to bail placed with some respectable person or persons or in the dwelling house of the member of the police force by whom such child or young person was apprehended or otherwise as provided by the said section 25 and as soon as practicable thereafter shall be brought before the Court :

Provided that the Director-General may, where he thinks it advisable so to do in the interests of a young person transfer any such young person from a remand centre to a children's reception centre and in the interests of a child transfer any such child from a children's reception centre to a remand centre.

NOTE :—Bold type denotes insertion by amendment.

(5) Such member or person may in lieu of apprehending a child or young person as aforesaid serve upon the parent or guardian of or any other person having the care and custody of the child or young person and also upon the child or young person if he is of or over the age of fifteen years a notice in writing setting out the grounds of the intended application and commanding the child or young person to appear and his parent or guardian or the other person as aforesaid to produce him before the Children's Court at the time and place therein mentioned for the hearing of the protection application.

(6) Service of the said notice may be effected either by prepaid letter sent by post to the address of the parent or guardian or other person as aforesaid and of the child or young person so as to reach such address in the ordinary course of post five days before the time named in the notice for the appearance of the child or young person before the Court or in any manner in which service of a summons may be effected under the *Justices Act 1958*.

(7) After a notice as aforesaid has been so served if the child or young person does not appear before the Court for the hearing of the application at the time and place therein mentioned the Court may issue a warrant for the apprehension of the child or young person and in any such case the child or young person may upon apprehension be disposed of as hereinbefore provided.

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Further amendment proposed—That the following sub-section be inserted to follow sub-section (7) :—

“() All children or young persons apprehended under section 32 who are detained in a children's reception centre or a remand centre whilst awaiting the hearing of a protection application in the Children's Court shall be referred to the Family Welfare Division or the Youth Welfare Division whichever is appropriate for investigation and the preparation of a report for the Children's Court.”

—(Mr. Bornstein.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Doube	(Portland)
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Lind
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Ginfier	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
(Dundas)	Mr. Shilton

Noes, 42.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Templeton
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(Rodney)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Reid	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Ross-Edwards	(Gippsland South)

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 10.—Clause 87.

(1) The functions of the Youth Welfare Division shall be—

(a) to deal with the social welfare of young persons ;

(b) to promote co-operation with and between voluntary organizations Government Departments and persons concerned with the welfare of young persons ;

- (c) to control and supervise young persons in remand centres, youth training centres, youth hostels, and youth welfare services and those admitted to the care of the Department who in the opinion of the Director-General are in need of special supervision social adjustment or training ;
- (d) to manage and control all State institutions appointed under this Act as remand centres, youth training centres, youth hostels, and youth welfare services ; and
- (e) to provide after-care for young persons under the supervision of the Department.

(2) The Youth Welfare Division may—

- (a) promote and encourage the work of the Youth Advisory Council in the establishment development and assistance of youth clubs and organizations concerned with the moral intellectual and physical welfare and development of young persons and assist in the co-ordination of their activities ;
- (b) provide officers for the Youth Advisory Council to assist and guide youth clubs and voluntary organizations concerned with the welfare of young persons ;
- (c) provide facilities required by the Youth Advisory Council for the discharge of its functions under Division 2 of this Part ; and
- (d) establishing counselling and preventive services for young persons.

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Amendment proposed—That paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following paragraph :—

“(a) to promote the welfare of young persons and to prevent breakdown in social functioning by the provision of counselling and preventive services ;”.

—(Mr. Bornstein.)

Question—That the paragraph proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 42.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Broad	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Templeton
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Reid	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Ross-Edwards	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

Noes, 16.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lind
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	<i>Tellers</i>
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Amos
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Lewis
(<i>Dundas</i>)	(<i>Portland</i>)

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 11.—Clause 145.

Nothing in this Act shall affect the jurisdiction or responsibility of the sheriff in respect of a prisoner under sentence of death or his jurisdiction or control over the prison where the prisoner is confined and the officers thereof so far as is necessary for the purpose of carrying into effect the sentence of death or for any purpose relating thereto.

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Question—That clause 145 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 42.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Sir Arthur Rylah
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith
Mr. Broad	(<i>Bellarine</i>)
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Templeton
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan
Mr. Reid	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Ross-Edwards	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)

Noes, 16.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Doube	(<i>Portland</i>)
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Lind
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Holding	
Mr. Kirkwood	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Amos
(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Shilton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 10.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 16th DECEMBER, 1970.

TUESDAY, 15th DECEMBER, 1970.

No. 1.—SUMMARY OFFENCES (TRESPASSERS) BILL.—Clause 2.

(1) In paragraph (d) in sub-section (1) of section 9 of the Principal Act—

(a) after the word "owner" (where first occurring) there shall be inserted the word "occupier"; and

(b) after the word "owner" (where second occurring) there shall be inserted the words "or occupier".

(2) After sub-section (1) of section 9 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sub-section :—

"(1A) In any proceedings for an offence against sub-section (1) the statement on oath of any person that he is or was at any stated time the owner or occupier of any place or a person authorized by or on behalf of the owner or occupier thereof shall be evidence until the contrary is proved by or on behalf of the defendant that such person is or was the owner or occupier of that place or a person authorized by or on behalf of the owner or occupier thereof (as the case requires)."

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 42.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Billing	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Smith
Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Trewin
(Glen Iris)	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting
(Rodney)	Mr. Wilcox
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	Tellers.
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Birrell
Mr. Reese	Mr. Crellin

Noes, 21.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lewis
Mr. Clarey	(Portland)
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Lind
Mr. Doube	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Ginifer	
Mr. Holding	Tellers.
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Amos
Mr. Lewis	Mr. Trezise
(Dundas)	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—Clause 3, *as amended*.

(1) In sub-section (1) of section 52 of the Principal Act for the expression "Penalty : \$250 or imprisonment for three months." there shall be substituted the expression "Penalty : \$500 or imprisonment for six months."

(2) After sub-section (1) of section 52 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sub-section :—

"(1A) Any person who together with others wilfully and without lawful authority besets any premises * *, whether public or private, for the purpose **and** with the effect of obstructing, hindering, or impeding by an assemblage of persons the exercise by any person of any lawful right to enter, use, or leave such premises * * shall be guilty of an offence.

Penalty : \$250 or imprisonment for three months."

—(Sir Arthur Rylah.)

Question—That clause 3, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 43.		Noes, 21.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Clarey
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Fell
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Floyd
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Holding
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)	Mr. Lewis
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor	(Dundas)
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton	
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey	
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Trewin	
(Rodney)	Mr. Wheeler	
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Whiting	
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wilcox	
Mr. Meagher	Mr. Wiltshire	
Mr. Mitchell		
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>	
Mr. Reese	Mr. Birrell	
Mr. Reid	Mr. Crellin	
		Mr. Lewis
		(Portland)
		Mr. Lind
		Mr. Lovegrove
		Mr. Shilton
		Mr. Simmonds
		Mr. Turnbull
		Mr. Wilton
		<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Amos
		Mr. Trezise

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

NOTE :—Bold type denotes substitution by amendment.

* Denotes omissions by amendment.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 11.

DIVISION IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 7th APRIL, 1971.

WEDNESDAY (MORNING), 7TH APRIL, 1971.

SUPPLY—JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 1971.

Motion made—That a sum not exceeding \$165,077,500 be granted to Her Majesty on account for or towards defraying the following services for the year 1971-72, viz :—

(Schedule of Services not printed.)

* * * * *

—(Sir Henry Bolte.)

Question—That this sum be granted to Her Majesty—put.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reese
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reid
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Ross-Edwards
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith
Mr. Dixon	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor
(Gippsland East)	(Balwyn)
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wheeler
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Whiting
(Rodney)	
Mr. McLaren	
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Mitchell	
Mr. Rafferty	

Tellers.

Mr. Maclellan

Mr. Taylor

(Gippsland South)

Noes, 21.

Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	
(Portland)	
Mr. Lind	

Tellers.

Mr. Amos

Mr. Curnow

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 12.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

WEEK ENDED 22nd APRIL, 1971.

TUESDAY, 20TH APRIL, 1971.

No. 1.—EVIDENCE (REGISTRATION OF COMMISSIONERS) BILL.—Clause 3, *as amended*—

For section 122 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sections :—

‘ 122. For the purposes of sections 122 to 122J “ commissioner ” means commissioner under this Act for taking declarations and affidavits.

122A. (1) Every member for the time being of the Legislative Council and every member for the time being of the Legislative Assembly shall, by virtue of his office as such member and without any further or other authority than this section, be a commissioner.

(2) Sub-section (1) shall not apply with respect to members of the Executive Council.

122B. (1) Every person who—

(a) at the commencement of the *Evidence (Registration of Commissioners) Act 1971* is a commissioner ; or

(b) after the said commencement is appointed a commissioner (otherwise than by virtue of holding any office)—

shall make application to the Secretary to the Law Department for registration.

(2) Every such application shall be in the form **prescribed and** shall contain the required particulars with respect to such commissioner***.

(3) In the case of a person who is a commissioner at the said commencement the Secretary to the Law Department shall forthwith after receiving an application for registration notify the applicant in writing of the duration of the period of the first registration of the commissioner which shall not exceed five years.

(4) Upon receiving any such application *** the Secretary to the Law Department shall enter particulars of such commissioner and his place of residence and place of business (if any) in a register to be known as the “ Register of Commissioners ” and shall issue a certificate of registration to such commissioner.

(5) Every such registration shall remain in force for the period set forth in the certificate unless the commissioner sooner dies or ceases to be a commissioner by virtue of the provisions of this Act.

122c. The fee to be paid upon the renewal of the registration of a commissioner shall be \$3 and shall entitle the applicant to registration for a period of five years.

122D. (1) Not less than one month before the expiration of the registration or renewal of registration of a commissioner the Secretary to the Law Department shall send notice in writing of the expiry thereof by post to the commissioner addressed to him at the place of residence of the commissioner shown in the Register of Commissioners.

(2) A registered commissioner may within one month before or at any time after the expiry of his registration or renewal of registration as a commissioner make application for renewal of registration as a commissioner.

(3) Every such application shall be in the form prescribed, shall contain the required particulars with respect to such commissioner, and shall be accompanied by the*** fee.

NOTE.—*** Denotes omission by amendment.

Bold type denotes substitution by amendment.

(4) Upon receiving an application for renewal of the registration of a commissioner together with the said fee the Secretary to the Law Department shall note that fact in the Register of Commissioners in relation to such commissioner and issue a certificate of renewal of registration to such commissioner.

(5) Every renewal of registration of a commissioner shall remain in force for the period of five years from the expiry of his registration or renewal of registration unless the commissioner sooner dies or ceases to be a commissioner by virtue of the provisions of this Act.

122E. (1) A commissioner who changes his name or his place of residence or business (if any) shall within one month after such change notify the Secretary to the Law Department thereof in writing and the said Secretary shall amend the Register of Commissioners accordingly.

(2) A person appointed a commissioner after the commencement of the *Evidence (Registration of Commissioners) Act 1971* shall not act as a commissioner without being registered for the time being in the Register of Commissioners.

(3) A person who at the commencement of the *Evidence (Registration of Commissioners) Act 1971* is a commissioner otherwise than by virtue of holding any office shall not act as a commissioner after the expiration of six months from the said commencement without being registered for the time being in the Register of Commissioners.

(4) Contravention of or failure to comply with any of the foregoing provisions of this section shall be a ground upon which the Governor in Council may remove a commissioner under section 118.

122F. (1) The Secretary to the Law Department may by writing under his hand delegate to any officer under his supervision and control all or any of his duties and functions with respect to the registration of commissioners so that the delegated duties and functions may be exercised by the delegate with respect to the matters specified in the instrument of delegation.

(2) Every delegation under this section shall be revocable at will and no delegation shall prevent the performance of any duty or function by the Secretary to the Law Department.

122G. (1) The regulations made on the second day of March, 1891, under the provisions of the *Declarations and Affidavits Act 1890* and continued in force from time to time with respect to the payment of fees to commissioners shall cease to have effect after the expiration of six months from the commencement of the *Evidence (Registration of Commissioners) Act 1971* and shall be deemed to have been revoked.

(2) After the expiration of the said period of six months, a commissioner who demands takes accepts or receives any fee gratuity or reward for taking any declaration or affidavit shall be liable to a penalty of \$20.

122H. Every person not being a commissioner who assumes or pretends to act as such shall be guilty of an indictable offence and liable to imprisonment for a term of not more than two years.

122J. The Governor in Council may make regulations prescribing *** forms for the purposes of this Division, and regulating the making of applications under this Division for registration as a commissioner or for renewal of any such registration.'

—(Mr. Reid.)

Question—That clause 3, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.
Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. WHEELER.)

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith
Sir Henry Bolte	(Bellarine)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Hayes	(Gippsland South)
Mr. Jona	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trethewey
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wiltshire
Mr. Manson	
Mr. Meagher	
Mr. Rafferty	Tellers.
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin
Mr. Reid	Mr. Maclellan

Noes, 21.

Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Doube	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Fell	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Lewis	
(Dundas)	
Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Portland)	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Lind	Mr. Kirkwood

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY, 22ND APRIL, 1971.

No. 2.—SCAFFOLDING BILL.—Clause 5.

(1) Subject to the *Public Service Act* 1958 there shall be appointed a Supervisor of Scaffolding Inspection one or more Assistant Supervisors of Scaffolding Inspection and such other inspectors officers and employés as are required for the purposes of this Act.

(2) The Minister may by writing authorize an officer of the Public Service either by name or by reference to the officer's office only (and where the reference is to the office only the holder for the time being of the office shall be authorized) to exercise and perform all the powers authorities duties and functions of an inspector appointed under this section in any specified place or district (being a place or district in which an inspector appointed under this section can exercise and perform such powers authorities functions and duties) either during any specified period or without any limitation of time and may by writing revoke the authority and such officer while so authorized and within such specified place or district shall be deemed to be an inspector appointed under this section.

(3) The Supervisor of Scaffolding Inspection shall—

(a) report to the Secretary for Labour and Industry as to the manner in which the functions of inspectors and proper officers are carried out in the municipal districts not mentioned in the Schedule and make such inspections as may be necessary for that purpose ;

(b) when so directed by the Minister, cause to be exercised or performed any power or duty conferred or imposed on the council of a municipality by this Act or the regulations.

(4) Where pursuant to a direction of the Minister the Supervisor of Scaffolding Inspection causes any power or duty conferred or imposed on a council by this Act or the regulations to be exercised or performed any expense incurred thereby shall be a debt due to the Crown by the municipality concerned.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-section (2) be omitted.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. WILTSHIRE.)

Ayes, 34.

Noes, 19.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	(Portland)	Tellers.
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lind	Mr. Amos
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Fell
Mr. Hamer	(Balwyn)		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Manson	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—Clause 14.

(1) The Governor in Council shall appoint three fit and proper persons to be a Board of Examiners.

(2) The members of the Board shall be appointed for a term of not more than five years and shall be eligible for re-appointment but may at any time be removed by the Governor in Council.

(3) In the event of a vacancy in the Board or the temporary absence of a member the Minister may appoint a fit and proper person to act as member of the Board during such vacancy or absence.

(4) The members of the Board shall be paid such fees and travelling expenses as are prescribed.

(5) Subject to this Act and the regulations, the Board may regulate its own proceedings.

(6) Members of the Municipal Scaffolding Inspectors Board immediately prior to the commencement of this Act shall be members of the Board of Examiners and shall be deemed to have been appointed under sub-section (1) of section 14 for a term of five years at the commencement of this Act.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-section (1) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the following sub-section :—

- “ (1) There shall be a Board of Examiners appointed by the Governor in Council consisting of—
- (a) a person nominated by the Minister ;
 - (b) a person nominated by the Minister after consultation with such bodies as he considers represent contractors ;
 - (c) a person nominated by Victorian Trades Hall Council.”

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. WILTSHIRE.)

Ayes, 33.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Dunstan	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Lewis	
(Ballaarat North)	Mr. Stokes	(Portland)	Tellers.
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lind	Mr. Amos
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Fell
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Manson	Tellers.		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Maclellan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 4.—Clause 15, *as amended*—

(1) The Board shall from time to time hold or cause to be held examinations of such persons as desire to qualify themselves to be appointed inspectors and shall issue to every person who has passed the prescribed examination and has complied with the other conditions prescribed and as to whose general conduct and character the Board is satisfied a certificate of qualification as a scaffolding inspector.

(2) Except with the consent of the Minister given after considering a report of the Board a person shall not be appointed a municipal scaffolding inspector by the council of any municipality unless he is the holder of a certificate of qualification as a scaffolding inspector.

(3) The Board shall from time to time hold or cause to be held examinations or tests of such persons as desire to qualify as scaffolders in respect of any class or type of scaffolding and every such person shall, on passing the examination or test prescribed, be entitled to a certificate of competency as a scaffolder for the class or type of scaffolding in respect of which he has passed the examination or test.

(4) The Board may issue a certificate of qualification as a scaffolding inspector or a certificate of competency as a scaffolder for an appropriate class or type of scaffolding to a person who has not passed an examination or test but who has other prescribed qualifications.

(5) The Board shall specify in each certificate of competency as a scaffolder the period for which it shall be valid.

(6) The Board may at its discretion issue to any person who desires to qualify himself as a scaffolder a scaffolder's permit which shall be valid for a period of twelve months from the date of issue.

(7) In any proceedings under this Act the onus of proof that any person is the holder of a certificate of competency as a scaffolder or a scaffolder's permit shall be on the defendant.

(8) The Board after giving notice to any person who is the holder of a certificate of qualification as a scaffolding inspector may inquire into the conduct and character as well as the abilities of that person but shall not do so without giving to the person an opportunity of being heard.

(9) If at any inquiry by the Board a person who is the holder of such a certificate is found to have been guilty of any discreditable conduct or to be incapable of performing the duties of a scaffolding inspector the Board may—

- (a) admonish or reprimand him ;
- (b) require him to pay the costs of and incidental to the inquiry by the Board ;
- (c) require him to give an undertaking to abstain from some specific conduct ;
- (d) impose on him a fine not exceeding \$100 ;
- (e) suspend his certificate for a period not exceeding three years ; or
- (f) cancel his certificate.

(10) Any person who feels aggrieved by any determination of the Board pursuant to this section may within six months of the notification of the decision of the Board to him appeal therefrom to a Judge of the County Court.

(11) Any such appeal shall be by way of a re-hearing and such Judge shall inquire into and decide upon the appeal and for that purpose shall do all such matters and things relating thereto in the same manner and to the same extent as he is empowered to do in the course of his exercising the ordinary jurisdiction of the County Court and his decision shall be final and without appeal.

(12) The amount of any fine or costs imposed by a Board may be recovered in any court of competent jurisdiction as a debt due to the Crown.

—(Mr. Rafferty.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ Except with the consent of the Minister given after considering a report of the Board ” in sub-section (2), be omitted.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

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

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. WILTSHIRE.)

Ayes, 32.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Doyle	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Lewis	
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Suggett	(Portland)	Tellers.
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind	Mr. Amos
Mr. Hamer	(Balwyn)	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Fell
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Rafferty	Tellers.		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Maclellan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 5.—Clause 15.

Further amendment proposed—That sub-section (4) be omitted.

—(Mr. Simmonds.)

Question—That the sub-section proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Temporary Chairman—MR. WILTSHIRE.)

Ayes, 31.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Billing	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Birrell	(Bellarine)	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	(Warrnambool)	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Lewis	
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor	(Portland)	Tellers.
Mrs. Goble	(Balwyn)	Mr. Lind	Mr. Amos
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Fell
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McLaren	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Manson			
Mr. Rafferty	Tellers.		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Maclellan		
Mr. Rossiter			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

SESSION 1970-71.

No. 13.

DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

WEEK ENDED 28th APRIL, 1971.

TUESDAY, 27th APRIL, 1971.

No. 1.—AUDIT (RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS) BILL—Clause 3, *as amended*.

For section 38A of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following section :—

“ 38A. (1) Notwithstanding any Act or rule of law to the contrary an officer or employé of the State of Victoria or of a public authority shall be liable to repay to the State or public authority, as the case may be, any money, being money paid to him by the State or public authority to which he was not entitled, in this section called an overpayment.

(2) Without limiting or affecting the right of the State or the public authority to recover by any legal or other process an overpayment, the State or public authority (as the case may be) may recover the overpayment from the officer or employé by deduction or deductions from any amount due by the State or the public authority to that officer or employé.

(3) A deduction made pursuant to sub-section (2) from salary or wages due to the officer or employé shall not exceed one **tenth** of the salary or wages, before any deductions whether under this section or otherwise, to which the officer or employé is entitled.

(4) Where deductions are being made pursuant to this section from the salary or wages of an officer or an employé, the officer or employé may apply to the Treasurer for the weekly amount of such deductions to be reduced.

(5) The Treasurer may give such directions as he thinks fit as to the amount of deductions to be made from the salary or wages of an **officer or employé** who has made application under the last preceding sub-section.

(6) A certificate under the hand of the Auditor-General as to the amount of any overpayment to an officer or employé shall be *prima facie* evidence that the State or the public authority referred to in the certificate has paid the amount specified in the certificate to the officer or employé specified in the certificate and that that officer or employé was not entitled to the amount so specified.

(7) Where the Auditor-General has issued a certificate referred to in sub-section (6), the officer or employé shall be deemed for the purposes of this Act to have been surcharged with the amount specified in the certificate as the amount of the overpayment.

(8) Notwithstanding any of the foregoing provisions of this section an officer or employé may apply in writing to the Treasurer to be relieved from all or any of his liability with respect to the repayment of an overpayment and the Treasurer may at any time in his absolute discretion by writing under his hand relieve the officer or employé from all or any of such liability.

(9) This section applies to and in relation to overpayments whether made before on or after the commencement of the *Audit (Recovery of Overpayments) Act 1971*.”

—(Sir Henry Bolte.)

NOTE.—Bold type denotes insertion or substitution by amendment.

Question—That clause 3, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 43.		Noes, 21.
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Amos
Mr. Billing	Mr. Reese	Mr. Bornstein
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Reid	Mr. Clarey
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Curnow
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Doube
Mr. Broad	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Smith	Mr. Fell
Mr. Crellin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lind
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Evans	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Mutton
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Thompson	
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trethewey	
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trewin	
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wheeler	
Mr. Jona	Mr. Whiting	
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox	
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire	
Mr. McDonald		
(Rodney)		
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>	
Mr. Manson	Mr. Maclellan	
Mr. Mitchell	Mr. Taylor	
Mr. Moss	(Gippsland South)	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

WEDNESDAY (MORNING), 28TH APRIL, 1971.

NO. 2.—MOTOR CAR (DRIVING OFFENCES) BILL—Clause 7.

After section 80C of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sections :—

‘ 80D. (1) Where the question whether any person was or was not under the influence of intoxicating liquor or where the question as to the percentage of alcohol in the blood of any person at the time of an alleged offence is relevant—

- (a) upon any trial for manslaughter or for negligently causing grievous bodily harm arising out of the driving of a motor car ; or
- (b) upon any trial or hearing for an offence against sub-section (1) of section 318 of the *Crimes Act* 1958 ; or
- (c) upon any hearing for an offence against section 80A, section 80B, section 81A, or section 82 of this Act—

then, without affecting the admissibility of any evidence which might be given apart from the provisions of this section, evidence may be given of the taking of a sample of blood from that person by a legally qualified medical practitioner within two hours after the alleged offence, of the analysis of that sample of blood by a properly qualified analyst and of the percentage of alcohol expressed in grams per 100 millilitres of blood found by that analyst to be present in that sample of blood at the time of analysis.

(2) Where evidence of the taking and analysis of a sample of blood is given as aforesaid and accepted by the jury or court (as the case may be) then—

- (a) if the evidence is that the percentage of alcohol expressed in grams per 100 millilitres of blood of the person concerned was .05 per centum or less, that evidence shall be taken as *prima facie* evidence that that person was not at the time of the alleged offence under the influence of intoxicating liquor to such an extent as to be incapable of having proper control of a motor car ; and
- (b) if the evidence is that the percentage of alcohol expressed in grams per 100 millilitres of blood of that person was more than .05 per centum, that evidence shall be *prima facie* evidence of the quantity of alcohol in that person's blood at the time the sample was taken and shall be accepted as evidence, together with any other relevant and admissible evidence, in determining whether or not that person was under the influence of intoxicating liquor to such an extent as to be incapable of having proper control of a motor car at the time of the alleged offence.

(3) A certificate purporting to be signed by a person who purports to be a legally qualified medical practitioner in or to the effect of Schedule Six shall be admitted in evidence in any proceedings referred to in sub-section (1) as *prima facie* proof of the facts and matters therein contained.

(4) A certificate purporting to be signed by a person who purports to be an approved analyst in or to the effect of Schedule Eight as to the percentage of alcohol expressed in grams per 100 millilitres of blood found in any sample of blood analysed by such analyst shall be admitted in evidence in any proceedings referred to in sub-section (1) as *prima facie* proof of the facts and matters therein contained.

(5) No certificate given pursuant to this section shall be tendered in evidence without the consent of the accused unless a copy of such certificate is proved to have been personally served on the accused more than ten days before the day on which such certificate is tendered in evidence.

(6) An affidavit by the person who has personally served a copy of the certificate on the accused shall, as to the service of the copy admitted in evidence in any proceedings referred to in sub-section (1), be *prima facie* proof of the facts and matters therein deposed to.

(7) Where the accused has been served with a copy of a certificate given pursuant to this section he may not less than four days before the hearing of any proceedings arising out of the charge or, with the leave of the court, at any time by notice in writing served personally or by post on the officer in charge of the police station at which he was charged require the person who has given the certificate to attend at all subsequent proceedings for the purposes of cross-examination and such person shall attend accordingly.

(8) The court may as a condition of granting leave pursuant to the provisions of sub-section (7) order the accused to pay the costs of any adjournment of the proceedings caused by such leave being given.

(9) Where an accused has required any legally qualified medical practitioner or analyst to attend at the hearing for cross-examination the court shall, if the accused is convicted, in addition to any other penalty or costs awarded against the accused order the accused to pay the costs incurred by the prosecution in securing the attendance of such legally qualified medical practitioner or analyst.

(10) Where any legally qualified medical practitioner is requested to make an examination or to collect a sample of blood in connexion with any matter referred to in sub-section (1) and where the person to be examined or from whom a sample of blood is to be collected has expressed consent to such examination or collection no action shall lie against the legally qualified medical practitioner who acts in accordance with such consent notwithstanding that it subsequently appears that the person was in fact incapable by reason of his mental condition from effectively giving consent to the examination or collection.

(11) Save as provided in sub-section (9) of section 80F no such blood sample shall be taken and no evidence of the result of any analysis of such a sample shall be tendered unless the person from whom the blood has been collected has expressed his consent to the collection of the blood and the onus of proving such expression of consent shall be on the prosecution.

(12) The mere failure or refusal of a person to express consent shall not be used in evidence against him or referred to in any way against his interests in any proceedings.

(13) In this section—

(a) “properly qualified analyst” means—

(i) an approved analyst ; or

(ii) a person whom the presiding judge or the Magistrates’ Court considers qualified by examination training and experience to carry out the analysis and to express the opinion to which this section relates ;

(b) “approved analyst” means a person who has been approved by Order of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette* as a properly qualified analyst for the purposes of this section.

(14) The Governor in Council may make regulations—

(i) as to the methods and conditions to be observed by legally qualified medical practitioners in collecting blood samples ;

(ii) the methods to be used by analysts in determining the percentage of alcohol in a blood sample ;

(iii) the procedures to be adopted in transmitting samples of blood to an analyst for analysis ;

(iv) prescribing forms of certificates, labels, and other documents necessary or expedient for use under this section (and all such forms or forms to the like effect shall be sufficient in law) ;

(v) prescribing penalties not exceeding \$100 for any failure to comply with the provisions of any such regulations ;

(vi) generally, for the regulation and control of persons concerned in the taking delivering and analysis of blood samples ;

(vii) prescribing the fees to be paid to legally qualified medical practitioners for collecting samples of blood and for attendances in court for the purposes of this section.

80E. (1) A member of the police force may at any time require—

- (a) any person he finds driving a motor car or in charge of a motor car within the meaning of section 82 if such member has reasonable grounds based upon his personal observations for believing that the driver or person in charge has consumed intoxicating liquor within the last two preceding hours ; or
- (b) any person such member believes on reasonable grounds has within the last two preceding hours driven a motor car or been in charge of a motor car within the meaning of section 82 when it was involved in an accident upon a highway—

to undergo a preliminary breath test by a prescribed device for indicating speedily without disclosing the actual level of concentration whether the percentage of alcohol in that person's blood is greater than .05 per centum or is less than .05 per centum.

(2) Any person required by a member of the police force under the foregoing provisions of this section to undergo a preliminary breath test shall do so by exhaling into the device through the tube connected thereto but shall not be obliged so to do—

- (a) more than two hours after the driving or being in charge of the motor car ; and
- (b) except at or in the vicinity of the place where the driving or being in charge of the motor car occurred or at a police station or within the grounds or precincts thereof or, if such person has been taken from the place where such driving or being in charge occurred for medical treatment, at the place where such person is receiving medical treatment.

(3) Any person who, when required by a member of the police force to undergo a preliminary breath test pursuant to the provisions of sub-section (1) refuses or fails to undergo such test shall be guilty of an offence against this section.

(4) Any person guilty of an offence against this section may be apprehended without warrant by the member of the police force making the requirement and shall be liable in the case of a first offence to a penalty of not more than \$100 or in the case of a second or subsequent offence to a penalty of not more than \$200 or to imprisonment for a term of not more than one month.

(5) In addition to imposing a fine or a term of imprisonment a court convicting a person for an offence against this section shall, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Act or in any other Act cancel the licence of such person to drive a motor car and—

- (a) in the case of a first offence—disqualify him from obtaining a licence for not less than twelve months ; and
- (b) in the case of a second or subsequent offence—disqualify him from obtaining a licence for not less than two years.'

(Proposed sections 80F and 80G not printed.)

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ two hours ” in sub-section (1) of proposed section 80D be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ eight hours ”.

—(Mr. Wilkes.)

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

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 39.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Doyle	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	
(Ballarat North)	(Gippsland South)	(Dundas)	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Thompson	(Portland)	Mr. Bornstein
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lind	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McDonald			
(Rodney)			
Mr. McLaren	Tellers.		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reese	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—Clause 7.

Further amendment proposed—That the expression “.05” in paragraph (a) of sub-section (2) of proposed section 80D be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression “.08”.
—(Mr. Wilkes.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 39.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Doyle	(Balwyn)	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	
(Ballaarat North)	(Gippsland South)	(Dundas)	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(Gippsland East)	Mr. Thompson	(Portland)	Mr. Bornstein
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Trethewey	Mr. Lind	Mr. Fordham
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McDonald			
(Rodney)			
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Burgin		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Reese	(Bellarine)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 4.—Clause 7.

Further amendment proposed—That the words “consumed intoxicating liquor within the last two preceding hours” in sub-section (1) of proposed section 80E., be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “behaved in a manner which indicates that his ability to drive a motor car was impaired when he was so driving or in charge of the motor car”.

—(Mr. Wilkes.)

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

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 39.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)	Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	
(Ballaarat North)	(Balwyn)	(Dundas)	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
(Gippsland East)	(Gippsland South)	(Portland)	Mr. Amos
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lind	Mr. Doube
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wiltshire		
(Rodney)			
Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Birrell		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Reese			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 5.—Clause 7.

Further amendment proposed—That the expression “.05 per centum or is less than .05 per centum” in sub-section (1) of proposed section 80E, be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression “.08 per centum or is less than .08 per centum”.

—(Mr. Wilkes.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 39.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove
Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Clarey	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Edmunds	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Dixon	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fell	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
(Ballarat North)	(Balwyn)	Mr. Lewis	
Mr. Evans	Mr. Taylor	(Dundas)	
(Gippsland East)	(Gippsland South)	Mr. Lewis	Tellers.
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Templeton	(Portland)	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Lind	Mr. Kirkwood
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wilcox		
(Rodney)	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. McLaren			
Mr. Maclellan			
Mr. Rafferty	Tellers.		
Mr. Reese	Mr. Billing		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Doyle		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 6.—PIPELINES (AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 2.

The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows :—

(a) At the end of section 12 there shall be inserted the following sub-section :—

“(4) A permittee may by instrument in writing apply to the Minister for an alteration to or variation of part of the route of a pipeline authorized under the permit and the Minister may, if he is satisfied that the alteration or variation is reasonably necessary or expedient and does not substantially affect the authorized route as specified in the permit or the rights or interests of any person, by notice published in the *Government Gazette* alter or vary as specified in the notice such part of the route of the pipeline as is so specified, subject to such terms and conditions (if any) as the Minister considers necessary.”; and

(b) After section 26 there shall be inserted the following section :—

“26A. (1) Where under section 12 part of the authorized route of a pipeline is altered or varied the route of the pipeline as so altered or varied shall be deemed to be the authorized route for the purposes of the licence.

(2) The Minister may by notice in writing given to the licensee make such amendments or additions to or variations of standards specifications or conditions stated or included in the licence as are in the opinion of the Minister required in connexion with the alteration or variation of the route of the pipeline.”

—(Mr. Balfour.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “person,” in paragraph (a) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the expression “person and has at the expense of the permittee published in a daily newspaper circulating generally in Victoria notice of the application and that on the expiration of a period of not less than seven days after the publication of the notice he may grant or refuse the application.”

—(Mr. Wilton.)

(And the expression proposed to be omitted having been omitted)—

Further amendment proposed—That the words “and that on the expiration of a period of not less than seven days after the publication of the notice he may grant or refuse the application” in the words proposed to be inserted, be omitted.

—(Mr. Balfour.)

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

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 21.		Noes, 37.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Balfour	Mr. Reid
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Mutton	Mr. Billing	Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Curnow	Mr. Shilton	Mr. Birrell	Mr. Scanlan
Mr. Doube	Mr. Simmonds	Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith
Mr. Fell	Mr. Trezise	Mr. Broad	(Bellarine)
Mr. Fordham	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Burgin	Mr. Stephen
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Wilkes	Mr. Crellin	Mr. Suggett
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton	Mr. Doyle	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Lewis		Mr. Evans	(Balwyn)
(Dundas)		(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor
Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Evans	(Gippsland South)
(Portland)	Mr. Clarey	(Gippsland East)	Mr. Templeton
Mr. Lind	Mr. Edmunds	Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson
		Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey
		Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trewin
		Mr. Jona	Mr. Wheeler
		Mr. Loxton	Mr. Whiting
		Mr. McCabe	Mr. Wiltshire
		Mr. McDonald	
		(Rodney)	
		Mr. McLaren	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Dixon
		Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Reese

And so it passed in the negative.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH APRIL, 1971.

NO. 7.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL—Clause 4.

The Principal Act is hereby amended as follows :—

- (a) In sub-section (1) of section 167A, at the end of the interpretation of “ Period ” there shall be inserted the following expression :—

“ and, for the purpose of determining whether a municipal employé has been employed for any additional period of five years’ completed service after a period of fifteen years of service, includes any period of service of fifteen years in respect of which long service leave has been granted by the council.” ;

- (b) After sub-section (4) of section 181 there shall be inserted the following sub-sections :—

“(4A) Where a councillor has an indirect pecuniary interest in any contract, proposed contract or other matter and would not be treated as having such an interest but for the fact that he has a beneficial interest in shares of a company or other body, then, if the total nominal value of those shares does not exceed \$1,000 or one-hundredth of the total nominal value of the issued share capital of the company or body (whichever is the less), so much of sub-section (1) as precludes him from taking part in the consideration or discussion of, or voting on, any question with respect to the contract, proposed contract or other matter shall not apply to him.

(4B) Where the share capital of a company or other body is of more than one class, sub-section (4A) shall not apply if the total nominal value of all the shares of any one class in which he has a beneficial interest exceeds one-hundredth of the total nominal value of the issued share capital of that class of the company or other body.” ;

- (c) In sub-section (9B) of section 181 for the expression “ voting on, any ” there shall be substituted the expression—

“ voting on—

(a) any question whether the amount tendered for goods or services previously supplied or provided under any contract should be paid from the municipal fund or any other moneys belonging to or in the charge of the municipality ;

or

(b) any ” ;

- (d) For sub-paragraph (f) of paragraph (xxxi) of sub-section (1) of section 197 there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph :—

“(f) Regulating the keeping of animals birds reptiles and bees with power to limit the number of animals birds and reptiles kept on any property within any area within the municipal district set forth in the by-law and declared therein to be a populous or residential area and to prohibit the keeping of any specified kind of animal bird or reptile in such area ;”

(e) In paragraph (xxxii) of sub-section (1) of section 197 for the words "council thereof" there shall be substituted the following expression :—

"council thereof ; and authorizing officers of the council and members of the police force to remove and (if necessary) dispose of any letter, figure, device, poster, sign or advertisement unlawfully written, painted, printed, stencilled, placed or affixed upon any footpath, street or road without thereby entitling any person to compensation or rendering any person immune from prosecution for a breach of any by-law made under this paragraph." ;

(f) In sub-paragraph (b) of paragraph (xxxv) of sub-section (1) of section 197 for the expression "(other than quarrying or blasting operations)" there shall be substituted the expression "(other than blasting operations or any operations carried out in the course of carrying on any extractive industry within the meaning of the *Extractive Industries Act 1966*)" ; and

(g) In paragraph (xliiia) of sub-section (1) of section 197 for the words "or water skis" there shall be substituted the words "water skis or under-water breathing equipment".

—(Mr. Hamer.)

Amendment proposed—That paragraph (b) be omitted.

—(Mr. Kirkwood.)

Question—That the paragraph proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 39.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Amos	Mr. Mutton
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Smith	Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Shilton
Mr. Borthwick	(<i>Bellarine</i>)	Mr. Curnow	Mr. Simmonds
Mr. Broad	Mr. Smith	Mr. Doube	Mr. Trezise
Mr. Burgin	(<i>Warrnambool</i>)	Mr. Fell	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Floyd	Mr. Wilkes
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Suggett	Mr. Fordham	Mr. Wilton
Mr. Dunstan	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Holding	
Mr. Evans	(<i>Balwyn</i>)	Mr. Kirkwood	
(<i>Gippsland East</i>)	Mr. Taylor	Mr. Lewis	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mrs. Goble	(<i>Gippsland South</i>)	(<i>Dundas</i>)	Mr. Edmunds
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Templeton	Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Ginifer
Mr. Jona	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Loxton	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. McCabe	Mr. Trewin		
Mr. McDonald	Mr. Wheeler		
(<i>Rodney</i>)	Mr. Whiting		
Mr. Maclellan	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Manson	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Meagher			
Mr. Rafferty	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Reid	Mr. Evans		
Mr. Ross-Edwards	(<i>Ballaarat North</i>)		
Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Stephen		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

NO. 8.—PROTECTION OF ANIMALS (RODEOS) BILL—Clause 2.

After section 11 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :—

' 11A. (1) Any person who conducts a rodeo without holding a permit for the time being in force under this section enabling him so to do shall be guilty of an offence.

Penalty : \$500 or imprisonment for three months or both.

(2) Upon receiving an application in writing for approval to conduct a rodeo and upon payment of the prescribed fee the Minister may grant the application and issue a permit to the applicant if he is satisfied that the applicant is a fit and proper person to have the management and control of the rodeo and that he will exercise due care with respect to any animals taking part in the rodeo.

(3) Every such permit shall be in the prescribed form and shall be subject to such conditions, limitations and restrictions as are prescribed or as the Minister thinks fit and may at any time be revoked or varied by notice in writing signed by him and served personally or by post upon the holder thereof.

(4) The Governor in Council may make regulations for or with respect to—

(a) forms for the purposes of this section ;

(b) fees for the purposes of this section ;

(c) the conditions limitations and restrictions to which permits under this section shall be subject ; and

(d) generally all such matters and things as are authorized or required to be prescribed for carrying the purposes of this section into effect.

(5) For the purposes of this section "Rodeo" means any entertainment or amusement to which the public are admitted whether with or without payment and which includes an exhibition of or competition in—

- (a) buck-jumping or rough riding; or
(b) calf dogging.'

—(Mr. Smith, Warrnambool.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.
Committee divided.

(Chairman—SIR EDGAR TANNER.)

Ayes, 49.		Noes, 6.	
Mr. Amos	Mr. Rossiter	Mr. Broad	Mr. Whiting
Mr. Balfour	Mr. Scanlan	Mr. Evans	<i>Tellers.</i>
Sir Henry Bolte	Mr. Shilton	(Gippsland East)	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Bornstein	Mr. Simmonds		(Rodney)
Mr. Borthwick	Mr. Smith	Mr. Ross-Edwards	Mr. Trewin
Mr. Burgin	(Bellarine)		
Mr. Crellin	Mr. Smith		
Mr. Curnow	(Warrnambool)		
Mr. Doube	Mr. Stephen		
Mr. Doyle	Mr. Stokes		
Mr. Evans	Mr. Suggett		
(Ballarat North)	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Fell	(Balwyn)		
Mr. Floyd	Mr. Taylor		
Mr. Fordham	(Gippsland South)		
Mr. Ginifer	Mr. Templeton		
Mrs. Goble	Mr. Thompson		
Mr. Hamer	Mr. Trethewey		
Mr. Hayes	Mr. Trezise		
Mr. Holding	Mr. Wheeler		
Mr. Jona	Mr. Wilcox		
Mr. Kirkwood	Mr. Wilton		
Mr. Lovegrove	Mr. Wiltshire		
Mr. Loxton			
Mr. McCabe			
Mr. Meagher	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Mutton	Mr. Edmunds		
Mr. Rafferty	Mr. Lewis		
Mr. Reid	(Dundas)		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

1970

VICTORIA.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
JOINT SITTING
OF THE
HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA
TO CHOOSE TWO MEMBERS OF
THE PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA
TO BE
RESPECTIVELY RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT
TO THE
COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES
AND THE
COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY

6th OCTOBER, 1970.

*Held in accordance with the provisions of Section 15 of the Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965 (No. 7291)
and Section 15 of the Monash University Act 1958 (No. 6184).*

By Authority:

C. H. RIXON, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, MELBOURNE.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

JOINT SITTING

HELD IN THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

TUESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER, 1970.

The Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly having, pursuant to resolutions of the two Houses, assembled in the Legislative Assembly Chamber—

1. ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.—The Premier, the Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., moved—That the Honorable Vernon Christie, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, be appointed President of this Joint Sitting, which motion, being seconded by the Leader of the Opposition, Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Vernon Christie, M.P., having expressed his acknowledgments for the honour conferred upon him by the Joint Sitting, then took the Chair.

2. VACANCY IN COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES AND COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY.—The President called upon the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly to read section 15 of the *Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965*, viz. :—

“(1) Any casual vacancy in the office of an elected or appointed member of the Council shall be filled by the election or appointment of a person to fill the vacancy :

Provided that if any casual vacancy occurs within three months before the expiration of the term of office of an elected or appointed member the vacancy shall not be filled for the remainder of the term.

(2) The member so elected or appointed shall have the like qualification (if any) as the member whose office has become vacant.

(3) The election or appointment shall be made by the person or body of persons by whom or which the member whose office has become vacant was elected or appointed.

(4) A member elected or appointed to fill a casual vacancy shall subject to this Act be entitled to hold office during the residue of the term of the member whose place he fills.”

—and section 15 of the *Monash University Act 1958*—

“(1) Any casual vacancy in the office of elected or appointed member of the Council shall be filled by the election or appointment of a member to fill the vacancy.

(2) The member so elected or appointed shall have the like qualification (if any) as the member whose office has become vacant.

(3) The election or appointment shall be made by the person or body of persons by whom or which the member whose office has become vacant was elected or appointed.

(4) Except as is otherwise provided with respect to members appointed by co-option as being heads of affiliated institutions a member elected or appointed to fill a casual vacancy shall subject to this Act be entitled to hold office during the residue of the term of the member whose place he fills :

Provided that if any casual vacancy occurs within three months before the expiration of the term of office of an elected or appointed member the vacancy shall not be filled for the remainder of the term.”

Mr. President informed the House that section 7 of each Act provided that a Joint Sitting to recommend Members for appointment to the respective Councils shall be conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by Members present at the Sitting.

3. **RULES OF PROCEDURE.**—The Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., submitted the following rules of procedure for the consideration of Honorable Members, and moved that they be adopted as the rules of procedure of this Joint Sitting :—

1. On any debate arising the same shall be conducted according to Parliamentary usage.
2. A member, addressing himself to the President, shall propose a Member to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges or the Council of the Monash University (as the case may be) and any such proposal shall be duly seconded. When any Member is so proposed his proposer shall state that such Member is willing to be so recommended for appointment, if chosen.
3. If only one Member be proposed and seconded, the President shall declare—
“That has been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges or the Monash University (as the case may be).”
4. If more than one Member be proposed and seconded for a particular vacancy, the Member to be recommended for appointment shall be chosen by ballot in the following manner :—
5. The President shall announce the names of the Members proposed and shall cause each Member present to be provided with a ballot-paper initialled by the Clerks of the two Houses.
6. Upon such ballot-paper the Member receiving it shall write the name of the Member he wishes to be recommended for appointment ; and if any ballot-paper contains more than one name it shall be rejected. Having marked his ballot-paper as provided, the Member voting shall deposit it in a ballot-box provided for the purpose.
7. The President shall appoint three Members to be scrutineers, who, with the Clerks, shall ascertain the number of votes for each Member ; and the Member who shall be reported to have the greatest number of votes shall be deemed to be duly chosen to be recommended for appointment. In any case of doubt arising through two or more Members having an equality of votes, the scrutineers by drawing lots shall determine which of such Members shall be chosen to be recommended for appointment.
8. No informal vote shall be taken into account.
9. The President shall be entitled to a vote.
10. As soon as the ballot is concluded the President shall declare—“That has been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges or the Monash University (as the case may be).”
11. The records of the proceedings and the ballot-papers shall be retained by the Clerk of the Parliaments of the State of Victoria, who shall be the custodian thereof, and shall keep the ballot-papers safely for one year and thereafter destroy them.

Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., seconded the motion.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

4. **MEMBER PROPOSED AND CHOSEN TO BE RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES.**—The President announced that, the rules having been adopted, he was now prepared to receive proposals from Honorable Members with regard to a Member to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.

Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., proposed Cyril Thomas Edmunds, Esquire, M.P., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Edmunds was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P.

The President, having asked if there were any further proposals and there being no further proposals thereupon declared that Cyril Thomas Edmunds, Esquire, M.P., had been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.

5. **NOTIFICATION TO THE HONORABLE THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.**—The Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., moved—That the President inform the Honorable the Minister of Education that Cyril Thomas Edmunds, Esquire, M.P., has been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges which motion, being seconded by Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.

6. **MEMBER PROPOSED AND CHOSEN TO BE RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY.**—The President announced that he was now prepared to receive proposals from Honorable Members with regard to a Member to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University.

Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., proposed Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Fordham was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P.

The President, having asked if there were any further proposals and there being no further proposals, thereupon declared that Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., had been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University.

7. NOTIFICATION TO THE HONORABLE THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.—The Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., moved—That the President inform the Honorable the Minister of Education that Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., has been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University which motion, being seconded by Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.
8. VOTE OF THANKS TO THE PRESIDENT.—The Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., moved a vote of thanks to the President, which motion was seconded by Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., and carried unanimously.

The President, having returned thanks, declared the Joint Sitting closed.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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

1970.

VICTORIA.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

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JOINT SITTING

OF THE

HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA

TO CHOOSE THREE MEMBERS OF
THE PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA

TO BE

RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT

TO THE

COUNCIL OF THE LA TROBE UNIVERSITY

25TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

Held in accordance with the provisions of Section 7 of the La Trobe University Act 1964 (No. 7189).

By Authority:

C. H. RIXON, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, MELBOURNE.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
JOINT SITTING
HELD IN THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

WEDNESDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

The Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly having, pursuant to resolutions of the two Houses, assembled in the Legislative Assembly Chamber—

1. **ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.**—The Premier, the Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., moved—That the Honorable Raymond William Garrett, M.L.C., President of the Legislative Council, be appointed President of this Joint Sitting, which motion, being seconded by Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable Raymond William Garrett, M.L.C., having expressed his acknowledgments for the honour conferred upon him by the Joint Sitting, then took the Chair.
2. **COUNCIL OF THE LA TROBE UNIVERSITY.**—The President read the relevant provision of section 7 of the *La Trobe University Act 1964*, viz. :—
“The Council shall consist of not more than thirty-two members and shall be constituted as follows :—
(a) Nine members appointed by the Governor in Council of whom three shall be Members of the Parliament of Victoria recommended for appointment by a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by the Members present at the sitting ;”.
3. **RULES OF PROCEDURE.**—The Premier, the Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., submitted the following rules of procedure for the consideration of Honorable Members, and moved that they be adopted as the rules of procedure of this Joint Sitting :—
1. On any debate arising the same shall be conducted according to parliamentary usage.
2. A Member, addressing himself to the President, shall propose a Member to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University and such proposal shall be duly seconded. When any Member is so proposed his proposer shall state that such Member is willing to be so recommended for appointment, if chosen.
3. If only three Members be proposed and seconded, the President shall declare—“That have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University.”
4. If more than three Members be proposed and seconded, the Members to be recommended for appointment shall be chosen by ballot in the following manner :—
(a) The President shall announce the names of the Members proposed and shall cause each Member present to be provided with a ballot-paper initialled by the Clerks of the two Houses.
(b) Upon such ballot-paper the Member receiving it shall write the names of the three Members he wishes to be recommended for appointment ; and if any ballot-paper contains a larger number of names it shall be rejected. Having marked his ballot-paper as provided, the Member voting shall deposit it in a ballot-box provided for the purpose.
(c) The President shall appoint three Members to be scrutineers, who, with the Clerks, shall ascertain the number of votes for each Member ; and the three Members who shall be reported to have the greatest number of votes shall be deemed to be duly chosen to be recommended for appointment. In any case of doubt arising through two or more Members having an equality of votes, the scrutineers by drawing lots shall determine which of such Members shall be chosen to be recommended for appointment.
(d) No informal vote shall be taken into account.
(e) The President shall be entitled to a vote.
5. As soon as the ballot is concluded the President shall declare—“That have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University.”
6. The records of the proceedings and the ballot-papers shall be retained by the Clerk of the Parliaments of the State of Victoria, who shall be the custodian thereof, and shall keep the ballot-papers safely for one year and thereafter destroy them.

Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., seconded the motion.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

4. MEMBERS PROPOSED AND CHOSEN TO BE RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE COUNCIL OF THE LA TROBE UNIVERSITY.—The President announced that, the rules having been adopted, he was now prepared to receive proposals from Honorable Members with regard to the Members to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University.

The Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., proposed the Honorable William Vasey Houghton, M.L.C., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Houghton was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P.

Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., proposed the Honorable John William Galbally, Q.C., M.L.C., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Galbally was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by the Premier, the Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P.

Peter Ross-Edwards, Esquire, M.P., proposed Milton Stanley Whiting, Esquire, M.P., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Whiting was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by the Premier, the Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P.

The President, having asked if there were any further proposals and there being no further proposals, thereupon declared that the Honorable William Vasey Houghton, M.L.C., the Honorable John William Galbally, Q.C., M.L.C., and Milton Stanley Whiting, Esquire, M.P., had been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University.

5. NOTIFICATION TO THE HONORABLE THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.—The Premier, the Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., moved—That the President inform the Honorable the Minister of Education that the Honorable William Vasey Houghton, M.L.C., the Honorable John William Galbally, Q.C., M.L.C., and Milton Stanley Whiting, Esquire, M.P., have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the La Trobe University which motion, being seconded by Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.

6. VOTE OF THANKS TO THE PRESIDENT.—The Premier, the Honorable Sir Henry Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P., moved a vote of thanks to the President, which motion was seconded by Allan Clyde Holding, Esquire, M.P., and carried unanimously.

The President, having returned thanks, declared the Joint Sitting closed.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
*Clerk of the Parliaments
and Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

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

1970-71.

VICTORIA.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

JOINT SITTING

OF THE

HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA

TO CHOOSE THREE MEMBERS OF
THE PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA

TO BE

RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT

TO THE

COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES

7th APRIL, 1971.

Held in accordance with the provisions of Section 7 of the Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965 (No. 7291).

By Authority:

C. H. RIXON, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, MELBOURNE.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

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JOINT SITTING

HELD IN THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

WEDNESDAY, 7th APRIL, 1971.

The Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly having, pursuant to resolutions of the two Houses, assembled in the Legislative Assembly Chamber—

1. ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.—The Honorable G. O. Reid, M.P., Chief Secretary and Attorney-General, moved—That the Honorable Vernon Christie, M.P., Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, be appointed President of this Joint Sitting, which motion, being seconded by F. N. Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., Deputy-Leader of the Opposition, was resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Vernon Christie, M.P., having expressed his acknowledgements for the honour conferred upon him by the Joint Sitting, then took the Chair.

2. COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES.—The President read the relevant provision of section 7 of the *Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965*, viz. :—

“ The Council shall consist of not more than thirty-two members and shall be constituted as follows :—

- (a) Three members who shall be Members of the Parliament of Victoria who have been recommended for appointment by a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by the Members present at the sitting ;”.

3. RULES OF PROCEDURE.—The Honorable G. O. Reid, M.P., submitted the following rules of procedure for the consideration of Honorable Members, and moved that they be adopted as the rules of procedure of this Joint Sitting :—

1. On any debate arising the same shall be conducted according to parliamentary usage.

2. A Member, addressing himself to the President, shall propose a Member to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges and such proposal shall be duly seconded. When any Member is so proposed his proposer shall state that such Member is willing to be so recommended for appointment, if chosen.

3. If only three Members be proposed and seconded, the President shall declare—“ That have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges ”.

4. If more than three Members be proposed and seconded, the Members to be recommended for appointment shall be chosen by ballot in the following manner :—

5. The President shall announce the names of the Members proposed and shall cause each Member present to be provided with a ballot-paper initialled by the Clerks of the two Houses.

6. Upon such ballot-paper the Member receiving it shall write the names of the three Members he wishes to be recommended for appointment ; and if any ballot-paper contains a larger number of names it shall be rejected. Having marked his ballot-paper as provided, the Member voting shall deposit it in a ballot-box provided for the purpose.

7. The President shall appoint three Members to be scrutineers, who, with the Clerks, shall ascertain the number of votes for each Member ; and the three Members who shall be reported to have the greatest number of votes shall be deemed to be duly chosen to be recommended for appointment. In any case of doubt arising through two or more Members having an equality of votes, the scrutineers by drawing lots shall determine which of such Members shall be chosen to be recommended for appointment.

8. No informal vote shall be taken into account.

9. The President shall be entitled to a vote.

10. As soon as the ballot is concluded the President shall declare—"That have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges".

11. The records of the proceedings and the ballot-papers shall be retained by the Clerk of the Parliaments of the State of Victoria, who shall be the custodian thereof, and shall keep the ballot-papers safely for one year and thereafter destroy them.

F. N. Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., seconded the motion.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

4. MEMBERS PROPOSED AND CHOSEN TO BE RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE COUNCIL OF THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES.—The President announced that, the rules having been adopted, he was now prepared to receive proposals from Honorable Members with regard to the three Members to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.

The Honorable G. O. Reid, M.P., proposed Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D., M.P., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Taylor was willing to be recommended if chosen, which proposal was seconded by the Honorable W. A. Borthwick, M.P., Minister of Lands.

F. N. Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., proposed Cyril Thomas Edmunds, Esquire, M.P., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Edmunds was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by J. T. Wilton, Esquire, M.P.

Peter Ross-Edwards, Esquire, M.P., Leader of the Country Party, proposed Thomas Campion Trewin, Esquire, M.P., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Trewin was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by M. S. Whiting, Esquire, M.P.

The President, having asked if there were any further proposals and there being no further proposals, thereupon declared that Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D., M.P., Cyril Thomas Edmunds, Esquire, M.P., and Thomas Campion Trewin, Esquire, M.P., had been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges.

5. NOTIFICATION TO THE HONORABLE THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.—The Honorable G. O. Reid, M.P., moved—That the President inform the Honorable the Minister of Education that Alexander William Taylor, Esquire, E.D., M.P., Cyril Thomas Edmunds, Esquire, M.P., and Thomas Campion Trewin, Esquire, M.P., have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Victoria Institute of Colleges which motion, being seconded by F. N. Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.

6. VOTE OF THANKS TO THE PRESIDENT.—The Honorable G. O. Reid, M.P., moved a vote of thanks to the President, which motion was seconded by F. N. Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., and carried unanimously.

The President, having returned thanks, declared the Joint Sitting closed.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,

*Clerk of the Parliaments
and Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

I. N. McCARRON,

Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

