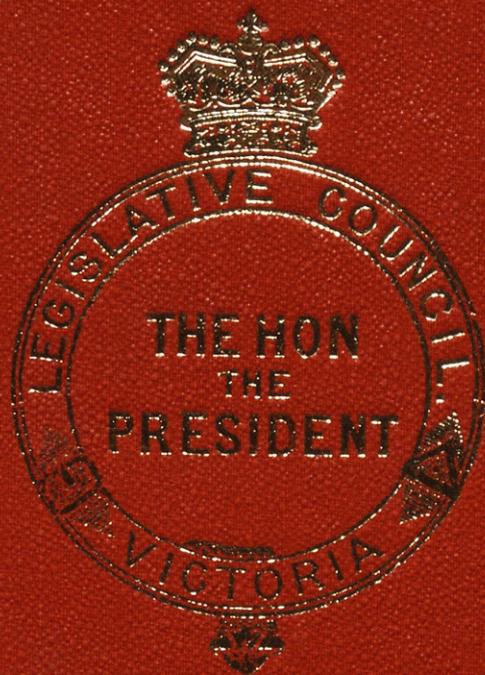


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No. 1.

TUESDAY, 31ST AUGUST, 1971.

1. The Council met pursuant to the Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor, bearing date the seventeenth day of August, 1971.
2. ABSENCE OF THE CLERK.—The absence of the Clerk owing to duties associated with the Seventeenth General Meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association having been announced to the House—

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the Clerk-Assistant do perform the duties of the Clerk of the Council during his absence, and do take the Chair at the Table.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

3. The above-mentioned Proclamation was read by the Acting-Clerk and is as follows :—

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

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS the Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until such day and hour as may be fixed by the President of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly respectively: Now I the Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue the said Parliament of Victoria until Tuesday, the thirty-first day of August, 1971, and I do hereby fix Tuesday, the thirty-first day of August, 1971, aforesaid, at the hour of half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the said Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne; And the Honorable the Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand and Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, the seventeenth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one, and in the twentieth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

(L.S.)

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. J. HAMER,

Acting Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

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

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

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

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

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

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

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

The Land Conservation Council has begun its task of studying the use of all public lands with a view to making recommendations as to the balanced future use of these resources. This is in accordance with the stated intention of the Government to set aside and permanently reserve at least five per cent. of the area of the State for national parks, wild life reserves and forest parks.

Following the amendment of the Town and Country Planning Act, Statements of Planning Policy have been approved in respect of the conservation of the Mornington Peninsula, the protection of the Dandenong Ranges and the protection of the beautiful Yarra Valley. These Statements of Policy provide a broad basis for overall resources and developmental planning by all public and private interests.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

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

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

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ROHAN DELACOMBE,
Governor of Victoria.

31st August, 1971.

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

The Legislative Assembly then withdrew.

[Sitting suspended from 2.58 p.m. until 4.53 p.m.]

5. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
6. PRIVILEGE BILL—STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to revise the Statute Law, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
7. HOUSE COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald be members of the House Committee.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
8. LIBRARY COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton be members of the Joint Committee to manage the Library.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
9. PRINTING COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne be members of the Printing Committee ; three to be the quorum.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
10. STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward be members of the Select Committee on the Standing Orders of the House ; three to be the quorum.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
11. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler, moved, by leave, That the Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich be members of the Statute Law Revision Committee, and that the said Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
12. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell be members of the Subordinate Legislation Committee, and that the said Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
13. NOTICE OF QUESTION—SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER NO. 77.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That so much of Standing Order No. 77 as requires a Member giving notice of a question to read it aloud to the House be suspended for the remainder of this Session.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
14. DAYS OF BUSINESS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in each week be the days on which the Council shall meet for the despatch of business during the present Session, and that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays be half-past Four o'clock, on Wednesdays Four o'clock, and on Thursdays Eleven o'clock ; that on Tuesday and Thursday in each week the transaction of Government business shall take precedence of all other business ; that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business ; and that no new business be taken after half-past Ten o'clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
15. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Crimes Act* 1958, the *Justices Act* 1958, and the *Social Welfare Act* 1970 with respect to Sentences of Imprisonment, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
16. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to establish the Right of Privacy, to make Consequential Amendments to the Law of Evidence, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
17. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Sewerage Districts Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

18. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make Provision with respect to Conditions in certain Crown Grants and to amend the *Closer Settlement Act* 1938 and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
19. EVIDENCE (DOCUMENTS) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Evidence Act* 1958 with respect to the Use of Documents as Evidence in Legal Proceedings, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
20. SCAFFOLDING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Scaffolding Act* 1971, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
21. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Wrongs Act* 1958 with respect to Industrial Accidents and for purposes connected therewith, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
22. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
23. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to abolish Capital Punishment, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
24. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Latrobe Valley Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
25. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Labour and Industry Act* 1958, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
26. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section 10 of the *Chiropodists Act* 1968, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
27. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to abolish certain Inhumane Punishments and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
28. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Vagrancy Act* 1966, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
29. TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.—The President laid upon the Table the following Warrant nominating the Temporary Chairmen of Committees :—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

VICTORIA.

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

The Honorable Archibald Keith Bradbury,
The Honorable William Gordon Fry,
The Honorable Kenneth Samuel Gross, and
The Honorable Alexander Wilson Knight—

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

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

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

30. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Supreme Court—Report of the Judges of the Supreme Court for the year 1970.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Education Act 1958—

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

Education Department (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (Amendment No. 23) (S.R. No. 107).

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

Exhibition Trustees—Report for the year 1970–71.

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

Explosives Act 1960—Orders in Council—

Classification of Explosives Amendment No. 2/1971 (S.R. No. 160).

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

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

Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Exemptions Nos. 1 and 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. Nos. 114 and 115) (two papers).

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

Game Act 1958—Proclamations—

Adding certain birds to the Third Schedule (S.R. No. 153).

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

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

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

Health Act 1958—

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Hospitals and Charities Act 1958—Hospitals and Charities (Public Bed Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 166).

Hospitals Superannuation Act 1965—Hospitals Superannuation (Board) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 171).

Housing Act 1958—

Housing (Rents and Rebates) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 84).

Housing (Standard of Habitation) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 120).

Institute of Applied Science—Report of the Trustees, together with statement of receipts and expenditure, for the year 1969–70.

Land Conservation Council—Proposals for investigations with respect to the use of public land (two papers).

Land Surveyors Act 1958—Land Surveyors (Title Surveys) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 168).

Library Council, National Museum and Institute of Applied Science—Reports of the Building Trustees, together with statements of receipts and expenditure, for the year 1969–70.

Litter Act 1964—Litter Infringement Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 123).

Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958—Local Authorities Superannuation Regulations 1971 (No. 10) (S.R. No. 116).

Local Government Act 1958—

- Private Street Construction (Notices) Amendment Regulations No. 4, 1971 (S.R. No. 164).
- Uniform Building (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 104).

Marine Act 1958—Proclamations—

- Amendment to Port Rule applicable to Westernport Harbor Services (Rates and Charges) (S.R. No. 108).
- Port Rule (Management of Slipways) 1971 (S.R. No. 83).

Marketable Securities Act 1970—Marketable Securities Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 147).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—

- Marketing Boards (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 137).
- Marketing of Primary Products (Polls and Elections) (Producers of Tobacco Leaf) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 126).
- Proclamation declaring that Eggs shall become the property of the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board for a further period of two years.

Medical Practitioners Act 1970—Medical Practitioners Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 152).

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958—

- By-law No. 105 (Pollution of Watercourses) (S.R. No. 118).
- By-law No. 106 (Water Supply) Amending By-law No. 81 (S.R. No. 131).
- Special By-law No. 4 (S.R. No. 132).

Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—

- Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendments Various No. 3/71) (S.R. No. 85).
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations 1957 (Amendment No. 1/71) (S.R. No. 157).

Mental Health Act 1959—

- Mental Health (Meal Reimbursement) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 130).
- Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (Nos. 4, 5 and 6) (S.R. Nos. 95, 112 and 156) (three papers).
- Mental Health (Mileage Rates) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 172).

Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board Superannuation (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 117).

Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958—

- First Mildura Irrigation Trust (Commissioners' Fees and Travelling Expenses) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 106).
- Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts (Election of Commissioners) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 136).

Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—

- Dairy Produce Board (Remuneration and Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 142).
- Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 154).

Milk Board Act 1958—Milk Board (Milk Shops—Specified Containers) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 122).

Milk Pasteurization Act 1958—Milk Pasteurization Committee (Remuneration and Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 139).

Motor Car Act 1958—

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

National Museum—Report of the Trustees, together with statement of receipts and expenditure, for the year 1969–70.

Nurses Act 1958—Nurses (Training) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 119).

Pipelines—Report of the Pipelines Commission for the year 1970–71.

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

Police Regulation Act 1958—

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

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

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

Public Service Act 1958—

- Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 109).
- Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations.
- Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 725 to 756, and Nos. 1 to 57) (eighty-nine papers).

- Public Trustee Act 1958—Public Trustee (Voluntary Patients) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 97).
- Public Works Committee Act 1958—Public Works Committee (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 127).
- Railways—Reports of the Railways Commissioners for the quarters ended 31st March, 1971 and 30th June, 1971 (two papers).
- Railways Act 1958—
 By-law—Increased charges for certain Railways Services (S.R. No. 173).
 Victorian Railways Commissioners amendment to Regulation No. 66, Clause 30 (S.R. No. 93).
- Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages Act 1959—General abstract of the number of births, still-births, deaths and marriages in Victoria during the year 1970.
- River Murray Commission—Report for the year 1969–70.
- Road Traffic Act 1958—
 Road Traffic (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 111).
 Road Traffic (“L” Plates) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 88).
 Road Traffic (Signals) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 89).
- Rural Finance and Settlement Commission Act 1961—Soldier Settlement (Section 106 Mortgages) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 121).
- Sale of Land Act 1962—Sale of Land Regulations 1971 (Arbitrator’s Salary and Travelling Expenses) (S.R. No. 146).
- Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 5) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 105).
- Securities Industry Act 1970—
 Securities Industry (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 102).
 Securities Industry (Exemption) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 125).
- Stamps Act 1958—
 Stamps (Exemptions) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 135).
 Stamps (Further Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 134).
- State Development Committee—Progress Report on the Disposal and/or Destruction of Garbage and Other Rubbish.
- State Development Committee Act 1958—State Development Committee (Allowances) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 128).
- State Electricity Commission Act 1958—Electrical Approvals Regulations—Proceedings of Electrical Approvals Board (Amendment) 1971 (S.R. No. 159).
- State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Provident Fund Amendment) General Orders 1971 (S.R. No. 86).
- Stock Medicines Act 1958—Stock Medicines Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 140).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—
 Supreme Court (Issue of Writs) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 100).
 Supreme Court (Removal of Actions) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 149).
 Supreme Court (Service of Writs) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 103).
- Supreme Court Act 1958—Companies Act 1961—Supreme Court (Companies) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 101).
- Teaching Service Act 1958—Regulations amended—
 Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations (six papers).
 Teaching Service (Governor in Council) Regulations (S.R. No. 155).
 Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations (six papers).
- Third Party Insurance—Report of the Premiums Committee for the year 1968–69. 9-70
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 Borough of Kyabram Planning Scheme 1963—Amendment No. 6, 1970.
 City of Bendigo Planning Scheme 1962—Amendment No. 9, 1971.
 City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965—Amendment No. 79, 1970.
 Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 20, 1970 (Shire of South Barwon).
 Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme—Amendments No. 7, with maps (twelve papers), and No. 25, with map (two papers).
 Morwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 33, 1970.
 Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955—Amendment No. 10, 1967 (Shire of Barrabool).
 Shire of Bulla Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 22, 1971.
 Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961—Amendments No. 30, 1969, Nos. 38, 41 and 42, 1970, and No. 48, 1971 (five papers).
 Shire of Werribee Planning Schemes 1963—Amendment No. 3, 1969.
 Shire of Yackandandah Planning Scheme 1965—Township of Yackandandah, and Townships of Kiewa and Tangambalanga (two papers).
- Victorian Inland Meat Authority—Report for the year 1969–70.

Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Victorian Inland Meat Authority Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 138).

Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 7) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 113).

West Gate Bridge Royal Commission Act 1970—Report upon Failure of West Gate Bridge.

Wheat Marketing Act 1969—Wheat Marketing (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 145).

31. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Report of the Royal Commission into the Failure of the West Gate Bridge be taken into consideration on the next day of meeting.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

The Honorable Haddon Storey moved, That the Council agree to the following Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech :—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY—

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

—which motion was seconded by the Honorable C. A. M. Hider.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

36. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

37. SUPPLY (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) (No. 2) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of Eight million nine hundred and seventy-one thousand four hundred and twenty-three dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

38. SUMMARY OFFENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section 24 and Section 26 of the *Summary Offences Act 1966*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

39. PAPER.—The Honorable Murray Byrne presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Report of the Board of Inquiry into Allegations of Corruption in the Police Force in connection
with Illegal Abortion Practices in the State of Victoria.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Report be taken into consideration on the next day
of meeting.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

40. EVIDENCE (DOCUMENTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been
read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

41. SUMMARY OFFENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill
having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 1.

TUESDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) How much Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works revenue has been spent on special road projects since their inception.
 - (b) At what locations have these moneys been spent.
 - (c) What is the order of priorities for future projects.
2. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) When will plans and contract documents be finalized and tenders called for the Collingwood education centre.
 - (b) Will all the buildings be erected at one time or in stages, and, in the event that they are to be erected in stages—(i) what portions of the complex is it envisaged will be built in the first stage ; and (ii) when will later stages be built and, if the Minister cannot give firm dates, will he give his unequivocal assurance that the following stages will be constructed within one year of the completion of the first stage.
3. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) When was a decision announced to establish a decentralized or regional office of the Education Department in Bendigo.
 - (b) What area is this office intended to serve.
 - (c) What premises have been acquired for this purpose and what premises are at present so occupied.
 - (d) How many departmental staff are employed in this office and what are their respective designations and functions.
 - (e) What financial allocation has been made to this office, and for what purposes.
4. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What percentage of its motor car insurance business does the State Motor Car Insurance Office transact with people living outside the Port Phillip District.
 - (b) How many motor claim cases involving the State Motor Car Insurance Office were heard in country or provincial courts during each of the past two calendar years.
 - (c) In how many of these cases were the services of country solicitors engaged by the State Motor Car Insurance Office.
 - (d) In the event that the services of country solicitors have not been engaged, will the Government give consideration to changing its policy in relation thereto.
5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What amount of revenue has been collected in registration and licensing fees from professional fishermen in the past two years.
 - (b) What amount of this money has been spent in enforcing regulations and in providing equipment for such enforcement during the past two years.
6. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Department of Agriculture taken any steps towards the introduction into Victoria of the sale of fat cattle by weight and grade ; if not, has the Department made any investigations into or issued any reports upon this method of selling and, in the event that it has, what are the published or unpublished results.

7. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- When is the land owned by the Housing Commission east of 229–253 Hoddle-street, Collingwood high-rise flats to be acquired by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for the widening of Hoddle-street.
 - What plans does the Housing Commission have for re-locating the car park now adjacent to the high-rise flats.
 - Is the Minister of Housing aware of the Collingwood Council's declared policy that the playing area west of 229–253 Hoddle-street, Collingwood should not be sacrificed for re-location of the car park without provision of comparable alternative open space.
8. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What representations were made which persuaded the Government to introduce daylight saving.
 - What other relevant factors were taken into consideration.
9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many police are stationed at each of the following police stations at present :—Williamstown, Altona, Newport, Laverton, Yarraville, Maidstone, Sunshine, St. Albans, Werribee, Footscray, Maribyrnong and Kingsville.
 - What were the strengths of these same stations twelve months and two years ago, respectively.
10. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- What were the Victorian Railways Commissioners' freight rates per ton between Melbourne and Boort for wheat and superphosphate (in bags and in bulk), respectively, in the respective years 1961, 1966 and 1971 (to date).
 - Is any increase in these rates contemplated.
11. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of the Maribyrnong, St. Albans, Sunshine, Werribee, Altona, Laverton, Footscray, Maidstone, Newport, Yarraville, Kingsville and Williamstown police stations, what number of police, stating the number of uniformed and C.I.B. personnel, respectively, have been detailed to work at the Royal Melbourne Showgrounds during the Royal Agricultural Show.
12. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- What lines of action has the River Murray Commission suggested to the Victorian Government regarding the implementation of the River Murray Commission's Murray Valley Salinity Investigation Report of September, 1970.
 - What action has the Minister of Water Supply taken towards implementing this report.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- SCAFFOLDING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
- SUMMARY OFFENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
- SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).*
- EVIDENCE (DOCUMENTS) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*
- MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
- LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

1. The Hon. G. J. NICOL : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to regulate control and restrict the Collection Storage and Dissemination of personal Information and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
2. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
4. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
6. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
7. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
8. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
9. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, on the 1st instant, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Supply (Supplementary Estimates) Act (No. 2).
3. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
Report of the Board of Inquiry into certain Aspects of the State Teaching Service.
State Electricity Commission—Report dated 27th May, 1971 on the proposed extension to the State Generating System at Newport.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table.
4. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY.—The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the Report of the Board of Inquiry into certain Aspects of the State Teaching Service be taken into consideration on the next day of meeting.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
5. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Brunswick and Laverton—Certificates of the Minister of Education (two papers).
Education Act 1958—Teaching Service Act 1958—Education Department (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (Amendment No. 24) (S.R. No. 175).
Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Milk and Dairy Supervision (Milk Depot) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 177).
Milk Board—Statement of accounts for the year 1969–70.
Mines Department—Report for the year 1970.
National Parks Act 1970—National Parks (Committees of Management) Travelling Allowances Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 176).
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 58 to 63) (six papers).
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
City of Ararat Planning Scheme 1953—Amendment No. 10, 1969.
Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme—Amendment No. 16, with maps (three papers).
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
7. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

8. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
9. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, by leave, That the proposals contained in this Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
10. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
11. SCAFFOLDING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
12. SUMMARY OFFENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The Deputy-President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable K. S. Gross having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
13. SEWERAGE DISTRICTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
14. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 10 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable G. J. Nicol moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
15. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to declare the Office of Chief Commissioner of Police to be vacant, to make provision with respect to Appointment of a Chief Commissioner of Police and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
16. SUPPLY (OCTOBER TO DECEMBER) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of One hundred and eighty-five million nine hundred and ninety-six thousand eight hundred dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

17. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Parts III. and V. of the ‘ Groundwater Act 1969’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 2.

TUESDAY, 14TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What representations were made which persuaded the Government to introduce daylight saving.
 - (b) What other relevant factors were taken into consideration.
- *2. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What amount is to be spent on repairs to the annexe of the Warrnambool Technical School.
 - (b) What is the estimated additional cost of conducting the school at three locations as against the desired one.
 - (c) How much will it cost to provide school buses in this situation.
 - (d) What additional administration cost will be necessary.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What testing of underground water streams and aquifers has been carried out in the western suburbs during the past three years, stating—(i) the results of these tests ; (ii) the level of pollution encountered ; (iii) the main pollutants ; (iv) the action being taken to stop such pollution ; and (v) what prosecutions are to be carried out against any offenders detected.
- *4. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) Will the Government increase the amount of ten cents a day currently paid in school conveyance allowances by the Education Department.
 - (b) What steps are being taken to correct undue delays in payment of this small amount.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Have any talks been held with Government or semi-Government authorities and private representatives over the future of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Sewerage Farm at Werribee.
 - (b) What has been the extent of the discussions (if any).
 - (c) What are the future proposals for the farm area.
- *6. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Does the Government intend to abolish pay-roll tax for industry in country areas outside a 60-mile radius from Melbourne.
 - (b) Will water trusts and sewerage authorities be exempt from pay-roll tax.
- *7. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What has been the result of the pine plantation trial plots in the Moyhu forest area.
 - (b) In the event that the trial plots are successful, has the Forests Commission any plans for developing the area ; if so, what is the programme.
- *8. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many applications have been received for assistance under the rural reconstruction scheme for debt reconstruction and farm build-up, respectively.
 - (b) How many applications have been approved in each category.
 - (c) Are comparable statistics available from other States.

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- *9. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) What is the total financial allocation by the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission to river improvement trusts for the 1971-72 financial year, stating what the allocation to each trust will be.
 - (b) Will a special allocation be made to the seven trusts which suffered severe damage from flooding in January and February of this year.
- *10. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Have tenders been called for the re-building of the Collingwood High School ; if so, when does the Government intend to start re-building.
- *11. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will the report of the inquiry into municipal finance be available for consideration by municipal councils when estimates for the next financial year are made.
- *12. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) Did the opposition of the Public Service Association block the Government's plans to legislate for the appointment of school teaching aides.
 - (b) What were the detailed grounds on which the Association opposed the appointment of such aides.
 - (c) Will the Minister of Education lay on the table of the Library the files containing the correspondence and/or negotiations between the Education Department and the Association concerning school teaching aides.
- *13. The Hon. O. G. JENKINS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Is it the policy of the Railways Commissioners of Victoria, New South Wales and Queensland to implement a direct through-service on a daily basis from Melbourne to Brisbane.
 - (b) Have the Victorian Railways Commissioners had any discussions in the past twelve months with the other States with a view to obviating the long delay in Sydney and the inconvenience of changing trains in that city.
- *14. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many police personnel are stationed at Richmond, Collingwood and Fitzroy police stations, respectively.
- *15. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What amount of revenue has been received by the Government by way of royalties earned from the production of natural gas and crude oil, respectively, during each of the past six months.
- *16. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) What route has been selected by the Government or the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for the main link-road between the northern end of the Tullamarine freeway and the Hume highway.
 - (b) To what standard will this link-road be built.
 - (c) When will this link-road be started and completed, respectively.
- *17. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What number of individual loans have been made under the Farm Forestry Loan Scheme during each financial year since its inception.
 - (b) What total amount of loan money was advanced each financial year under the scheme.
- *18. The Hon. W. M. CAMPBELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will he inquire with a view to informing the House whether the South Melbourne City Council has received any communication from any Commonwealth Government department in respect of any re-building programme on the Department of Defence site located in St. Kilda-road, South Melbourne ; if so—(i) what are the total floor space proposed, the type of building, and the number of floors ; (ii) what is the anticipated number of employees to be housed in the proposed building ; and (iii) what parking facilities are to be provided for employees, and are these facilities to be external or internal.
- *19. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will the Minister of Education give favourable consideration to continuing the maintenance of the Mysia Primary School, and converting it into a departmentally-administered camping headquarters for school children from other areas, and particularly from Victorian cities.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. SUPPLY (OCTOBER TO DECEMBER) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
- *2. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
- *3. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
4. EVIDENCE (DOCUMENTS) BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
5. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
6. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
7. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
8. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
9. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt)*.

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1. The Hon. G. J. NICOL : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to regulate control and restrict the Collection Storage and Dissemination of personal Information and for other purposes.

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- *10. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.

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LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 3.

WEDNESDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What representations were made which persuaded the Government to introduce daylight saving.
 - (b) What other relevant factors were taken into consideration.
2. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Does the Government intend to abolish pay-roll tax for industry in country areas outside a 60-mile radius from Melbourne.
 - (b) Will water trusts and sewerage authorities be exempt from pay-roll tax.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) Will he consider the appointment of an engineer or health inspector to the Environment Protection Council.
 - (b) Will he make provision to subsidize councils which incur expenditure in connexion with the *Environment Protection Act 1970*.
 - (c) Will he make provision for councils to have a right of objection or appeal so far as the use of council drains is concerned.
- *4. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many police are stationed at each police station in the Doutta Galla Province.
 - (b) What was the strength of these stations twelve months and two years ago, respectively.
 - (c) How many and what stations (if any) have been closed over the past two years.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will he supply a copy of the report by engineers of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission and the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works on the proposed take-over of the Werribee water and sewerage authorities' operations ; if not, why.
- *6. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Government any proposals for either reconstruction of country businesses or retraining for rural employees whose livelihood has been jeopardized by the rural crisis.
- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What action has been taken or will be taken to have Werribee's water supply augmented as quickly as possible.
 - (b) Has any ministerial action been taken to have an improved water service supplied to the area quickly ; if not, why.
- *8. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What is the proposed intake of students at each high school within the Doutta Galla Province for the 1972 school year.
- *9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What amount of increase in sewage outfall has taken place ~~place~~ on the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Sewerage Farm at Werribee in the past ten years.
 - (b) What is the position with respect to the farm's capacity to absorb same.
 - (c) Has any overflow occurred from the farm's system into Port Phillip Bay ; if so—(i) when ; and (ii) with what results.

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- *10. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will provision be made for financial relief for country hotel and motel proprietors who suffer economic hardship as a result of the imposition of an accommodation tax.
- *11. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What were the works which have been carried out by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works in the tidal drain situated in Millers-road, Altona, and for what purposes were such works carried out.
- *12. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What is the reason for the timber milling industry not being classified as an approved decentralized industry.
- *13. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) What is causing the delay in the construction of the grade separation at Millers-road, Altona.
 - (b) When will work recommence on this project.
- *14. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—In view of the inadequate water supply system now serving the town of Manangatang—(i) what plan for improvement has been decided upon by the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission ; and (ii) when will work aimed at improving the water supply commence.
- *15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What is the priority for building the Altona North Special School.
 - (b) Is it proposed the school will be built ; if so, when.
- *16. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government.
- (a) What was the cost of road reconstruction in Queen-street, Warragul.
 - (b) What is the estimated cost of works being carried out on the railway bridge on Princes-highway, Warragul.
 - (c) When is it proposed to construct the Princes-highway by-pass at Warragul.
- *17. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has any allocation been made this financial year for the building of the new police station at Prahran ; if so, when will tenders be called.
- *18. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Tourism—For the current year (to date) how much money has been spent out of the Tourist Fund on—(i) pamphlets and brochures selling towns, areas and tourist resorts ; and (ii) consumer advertising (press, radio and television) within the State of Victoria and in all other States of Australia, respectively.
- *19. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) How many places for student teachers were unfilled this year at the Bendigo Teachers College.
 - (b) If these unfilled places were for students doing the two-year certificate course, why were three-year diploma students not accepted.
 - (c) How many qualified diploma student applicants were rejected.
 - (d) On what dates were the various groups of two-year students notified of their acceptance into the college.
- *20. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has he received submissions from dairy farmer organizations seeking legislation to control entry into the dairying industry.
- *21. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What amount of money was received by the Treasury from fractions and unpaid dividends, respectively, from all totalizer operations from 1st August, 1970, to 31st July, 1971.
- *22. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) When will plans be completed for the proposed multi-purpose hall at the Rainbow High School.
 - (b) When are tenders expected to be called.
- *23. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Are the books of River Improvement Trusts subject to annual audit ; if not, why.
- *24. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is he aware of the widespread public dissatisfaction at the apparent inadequate liaison between the Public Works Department and the Education Department ; if so, what action is being taken to expedite the operations of the two Departments.
- *25. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the rapid increase of egg production and the steep rise in surplus eggs—(i) has the Government given consideration to this problem in the form of licensing or quotas for the industry ; and (ii) has this matter been raised at the Australian Agriculture Council ; if so, what action has been proposed.
- *26. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many licensed clubs have made application for licences to conduct Calcutta Sweepstakes on the Caulfield and Melbourne Cups this year, giving the names of the clubs and their locations.

- *27. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—In view of problems confronting private diverters along the River Murray below Nyah, will the Government initiate a parliamentary enquiry into all matters pertaining to those private diverters in Victoria, who divert from the River Murray below Nyah, with particular reference to—(i) the Rivers and Streams Fund ; (ii) administrative and supervision charges and activities ; (iii) the relative rates of diverters compared with other water users ; (iv) the methods of issuing licences ; and (v) the particular circumstances of River Murray private diverters.
- *28. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What is the over-all plan for traffic lights on the newly-built esplanade between Point Ormond and St. Kilda-street.
- *29. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the poor condition of the Beulah Primary School residence, when will the Education Department provide an alternative residence in the town.
- *30. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—With the suggested introduction of daylight saving, has any approach been made to the Honorable the Chief Secretary by the racing authorities to conduct twilight meetings in Victoria.
- *31. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—When is it now anticipated that work will commence on the Cowderoy-street drain which runs into Port Phillip Bay at West St. Kilda.
- *32. The Hon. O. G. JENKINS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the Housing Commission any vacant houses or flats in Victoria ; if so—(i) where are they situated ; (ii) how long have they been vacant ; and (iii) what efforts have been made to secure tenants.
- *33. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Does the Government concur with the view attributed to Dr. D. J. Oldmeadow, the Chief Medical Officer of the Mental Health Authority, that if persons were not discharged as a calculated risk, there would not be enough beds in our institutions to house them ; if so, how many inmates have been discharged, as a calculated risk, over the past three years.
- *34. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What number of promotions took effect in the Education Department during the past financial year, and what extra finance was involved in meeting the increase in salaries brought about by promotions.
- *35. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will the Minister of Education lay on the Table of the Library the file relating to the proposed replacement of the public address system at Numurkah Primary School, No. 2134.
- *36. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Further to Question No. 4 asked in this House on the 7th instant, what percentages of compulsory third-party insurance claims heard in country courts were in magistrates courts, the County Court and the Supreme Court, respectively.
- *37. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has a decision been made to build a new primary school at Quambatook ; if so—(i) when will tenders be called ; (ii) what is the estimated date of completion ; and (iii) will the site plans and specifications be made available to the school committee.
- *38. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) How many places were available at each of the secondary teachers colleges this year.
 - (b) How many of these places are unfilled.
 - (c) How many secondary teacher students have been in training in 1969, 1970 and 1971, respectively.
 - (d) How many qualified applicants for secondary teacher training were rejected this year.
- *39. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) How many assembly halls were built at secondary schools in 1970, and how many are to be built in 1971.
 - (b) Is Echuca High School on the list for 1971 ; if not, when is it anticipated that an assembly hall will be built at this school.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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- *11. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
- *2. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
- *3. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
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8. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt)*.

TUESDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
2. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.

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MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 3.

TUESDAY, 14TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Grant of Leases in respect of certain Land at Moonee Ponds in the City of Essendon and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Agricultural Colleges Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. PAPER.—The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, by leave, That there be laid before this House the Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to sub-section (1) of section 178 of the *Companies Act 1961* to investigate and report on the circumstances in which any person acquired or disposed of or became entitled to acquire or dispose of any shares in The Geelong Gas Company during the period 1st February, 1971, to 16th April, 1971.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The said Report was thereupon presented by the Honorable A. J. Hunt and ordered to lie on the Table.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Report be taken into consideration on the next day of meeting.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
5. 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 Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loans Nos. 87 and 88) Regulations 1971 (S.R. Nos. 181 and 182).
 - Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Act 1958—Notice and statement regarding proposal to abandon an Electric Tramway in Brunswick-road, Holden-street, Pilkington-street and Barkly-street, in the Cities of Brunswick and Fitzroy.
 - Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Loan No. 19) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 180).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 178 of the Police Service Board.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 64 and 65) (two papers).
 - Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act 1958—
 - Soil Conservation (Group Conservation Areas) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 178).
 - Soil Conservation (Notices and Appeals) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 179).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - City of Moe Planning Scheme 1966—Amendment No. 28, 1970.
 - Shire of Lillydale Planning Scheme 1958—Amendment No. 17, 1970.

6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
7. SUPPLY (OCTOBER TO DECEMBER) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
8. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton, for the Honorable A. W. Knight, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. EVIDENCE (DOCUMENTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
11. SUPPLY (OCTOBER TO DECEMBER) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
And the Council having continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock—

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- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
12. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Commonwealth Places (Administration of Laws) Act 1970’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
And then the Council, at twenty-six minutes past Twelve o’clock in the morning, adjourned until this day.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
 - Education Act 1958—Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1971, No. 6 (S.R. No. 186).
 - Housing Act 1958—Housing (Parking of Vehicles) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 183).
 - Land Act 1958—Land Act (Survey Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 184).
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 7) (S.R. No. 188).
 - National Parks Act 1970—National Parks (Fees, Tolls and Charges) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 185).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 66 to 68) (three papers).
 - Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Freeways) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 187).
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
4. PRIVACY (CONTROL OF PERSONAL INFORMATION) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable G. J. Nicol, leave was given to bring in a Bill to regulate control and restrict the Collection Storage and Dissemination of personal Information and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
6. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
7. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable H. Storey moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
9. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
10. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable R. J. Eddy moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
11. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 10 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable O. G. Jenkins moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

12. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 28th instant.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at twenty-three minutes past Six o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 28th instant.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has any allocation been made this financial year for the building of the new police station at Prahran ; if so, when will tenders be called.
2. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What is the over-all plan for traffic lights on the newly-built esplanade between Point Ormond and St. Kilda-street.
3. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What number of promotions took effect in the Education Department during the past financial year, and what extra finance was involved in meeting the increase in salaries brought about by promotions.
4. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many places were available at each of the secondary teachers colleges this year.
 - (b) How many of these places are unfilled.
 - (c) How many secondary teacher students have been in training in 1969, 1970 and 1971, respectively.
 - (d) How many qualified applicants for secondary teacher training were rejected this year.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What is the present enrolment of pupils in Forms V. and VI. in each high school within the Dousta Galla Province.
 - (b) In respect of the Maribyrnong, Moreland, Flemington, Collingwood and Niddrie high schools, and the Pascoe Vale and Flemington girls high schools—(i) what are the enrolments in Forms V. and VI. ; (ii) what are the anticipated intakes for the 1972 school year ; and (iii) what vacancies will exist at the close of 1971.
 - (c) Does it now appear that problems may exist in accommodating all the pupils offering for Form I. when the schools re-open in 1972 ; if so, what plans are being made to deal with the problems.
- *6. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—How much money was found to be held in accounts by the Werribee Waterworks Trust and which was not acted on, or known to be held in account by members of the Trust.
- *7. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many Housing Commission dwellings have been completed to the 31st August, 1971.
 - (b) How many dwellings have been offered for sale.
 - (c) How many lone-person units has the Commission completed.
 - (d) How many applications are pending for Commission accommodation in home units and lone-person units, respectively.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What was the total cost of building the Upper Thomson quarters by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.

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

- *9. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- What has been the intake of pupils at Form III. level at the University High School in each of the past five years, showing by what method they were selected and from what areas they were drawn.
 - What intake is planned for 1972.
- *10. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In respect of the special allocations of \$18 million approved from the Works and Services Account of the Budget for the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, at what locations will these moneys be spent and for what purposes will they be used.
- *11. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- What has been the incidence of sheep stealing in Victoria during 1971 (to date) and for each of the past five years.
 - What is the value or estimated value of stock losses from such thefts.
 - During each of the past five years and during 1971 (to date)—(i) what percentage of sheep stealing cases have been solved ; and (ii) how many convictions have been recorded.
 - Are identifying ear-marks registered in Victoria ; if not, does the Government propose to introduce a system of registration.
- *12. The Hon J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- What staff (indicating the respective classifications in which they were employed) were permanently attached to the Division of State Development and/or were engaged in assisting the decentralization of industry in rural areas as at 30th June in each of the years 1950, 1960 and 1970.
 - What allocations of money were made available to the Division in the financial years 1949–50, 1959–60, and 1969–70.
- *13. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—When will the report of the enquiry on transport conducted under Sir Henry Bland be available to Honorable Members.
- *14. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What have been the annual allocations made by the Government to assist the activities of the Victoria Promotion Committee in each financial year (to date) since the Committee was set up.
 - Have any reports been made available for the information of Honorable Members on the activities of the Committee, itemizing its assistance to the establishment of industries in Victoria, particularly any that have been established in rural areas.
 - Does the Committee function in conjunction with the Department of State Development ; if so, how are their activities co-ordinated.
- *15. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—As municipalities are proposed to be exempt from pay-roll tax, is it the intention of the Government to exempt the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board from pay-roll tax also ; if not, why.
- *16. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- What are the current enrolments at all technical schools within the Dousta Galla Province.
 - What are the current enrolments at Niddrie, Collingwood, Keon Park and Footscray technical schools.
 - Which of the above schools are co-educational, and is it planned to extend co-educational facilities to any of the others in the coming year.
 - What is the anticipated intake of pupils at the schools for the 1972 educational year.
 - Are any difficulties becoming obvious at this stage in ensuring that all pupils offering will obtain admission for 1972 ; if so, what relief is being planned.
- *17. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Tourism—What is the overall advertising appropriation from the Tourist Fund for the next twelve months.
- *18. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- What moneys have been allocated by the Government to be paid into the Victoria Promotion Trust Fund in each of the financial years since its establishment.
 - What was the reason for the establishment of this fund, and are any balance sheets available for inspection.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
2. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
3. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
4. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
5. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
6. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
7. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
8. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
9. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy)*.
10. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. H. Storey)*.
2. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
4. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
6. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
7. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt)*.
8. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
9. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
11. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
- *12. PRIVACY (CONTROL OF PERSONAL INFORMATION) BILL—(*Hon. G. J. Nicol*)—Second reading.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What is the reason for the delay in building the caretaker's residence at the Footscray High School.
 - (b) Why was the successful tenderer not allowed to proceed with the building of the residence.
 - (c) When will the residence be built and will tenders be called again ; if so, when.
- *2 The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What was the result of the 1970 survey conducted by the then Inspector of Schools (Mr. Hobbs) on the desired establishment of a high school at Goroke.
 - (b) Why has the Government decided to discontinue classes above Form II. at the Goroke Consolidated School from the beginning of 1972 when 92 per cent. of district parents want the school to remain to at least Form IV. level.
- *3. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) What was the total cost of construction of the Evelyn Wilson Geriatric Hospital at Sale.
 - (b) What was the cost of furnishings and equipment, respectively.
 - (c) How was the project financed and what amount (if any) was raised locally.
 - (d) How many inmates are in residence.
 - (e) How many are at present employed.
 - (f) What was the date of commencement of construction, and when was it finished.
- *4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What amplification work has been carried out by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works on the water mains to Werribee.
- *5. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Government accept the Commonwealth matching grants for capital works of the Mental Health Authority ; if not, what are the problems that make it impossible to do so.
- *6. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) How many enquiries have been received by the Department of State Development in 1971 from secondary industries wishing to establish in country or provincial centres.
 - (b) How many of these enquiries have been referred to development committees at Ballarat, Bendigo, Latrobe Valley, Portland and Wodonga, respectively.
- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In which gas franchise area is the Newport power station situated.

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

- *8. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Has the estimated cost of the construction of the Dartmouth reservoir been reviewed since enabling legislation was passed by the South Australian Parliament ; if so, what was the original estimated cost and what is the present estimated cost.
- *9. The Hon. H. M. HAMILTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What was the total value of goods, other than motor cars and cash, reported stolen in each of the years 1969, 1970 and 1971, and what was the value of stolen goods recovered in each such year.
- *10. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) What amount of finance has been made available by the Treasury to the Rural Finance and Settlement Commission for—(i) improvement of farm water supplies for stock and domestic purposes ; (ii) farm water supplies for irrigation ; and (iii) soil conservation and erosion control works.
 - (b) Have any loans been made and, in the event that they have, for what purpose and what is the amount of finance in each case.
- *11. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What number of apprentices and tradesmen, respectively, are employed by Departments under his control.
- *12. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the fact that stock in such low condition that they would not survive a long rail journey could be moved from the Tambo Valley and other areas to the Wangaratta-Myrtleford districts and to other areas where no direct rail link exists, will the Government grant a road transport freight subsidy for livestock which have to be moved from the Tambo Valley and other areas for agistment.
- *13. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When will the Government commence stage 2 in the development of the Portland Technical School.
- *14. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the necessity for farmers throughout many areas of Victoria to rely upon the meat industry as an important source of income, will the Government make available a subsidy scheme for the construction of fodder storages in order to encourage farmers to conserve fodder and so alleviate the effects of dry seasons ; if not, why.
- *15. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What is the name of each secondary teachers college in Victoria.
 - (b) How many student places are available at each of these colleges.
 - (c) How many student places are now unfilled at each of these colleges.
- *16. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Under prepared Amendment No. 23 of the Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme, has the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works changed its planning by giving notice to owners of properties on the Eastern side of Punt-road from the freeway to Routs-lane, Richmond with a view of acquiring part or the whole of their premises.
 - (b) What does the Board propose to do with the 1955 plan for the Western side opposite this area by which portion of Yarra Park was to be taken for road-widening purposes.
 - (c) Have any objections been lodged with the Board from people affected in this area.
- *17. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What action has been taken by the Government to strengthen that section of the *Crimes Act* 1958 dealing with the stealing of sheep and cattle.
- *18. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Who are " officers " for the purposes of the *Local Government Act* 1958.
 - (b) Has any action been taken to define who are officers ; if so, when, and with what result.
- *19. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) How many applications have been received by the Department of Crown Lands and Survey in 1970 and 1971 for the alienation of Crown land at Bendigo for the purpose of establishing secondary industries.
 - (b) How many applications have been approved, and how many are still pending.
 - (c) What is the time lapse between receipt of applications and the approval of the alienation.
- *20. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What is the reason for the delay in finishing and re-instating the site works at the Footscray High School.
 - (b) What is the estimated cost of such site works.
 - (c) When is it proposed that such site works will be commenced and completed.
 - (d) Why are the Western suburban schools not given the same treatment as other schools for site works.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. H. Storey).*
2. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. GIFT DUTY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *2. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *3. STAMPS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
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5. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).*
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8. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
9. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).*
10. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt).*

TUESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

- *1. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*

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HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 5.

TUESDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, on the 21st. instant, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
Supply (October to December) Act.
3. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Sections 5 and 56 of the *Poisons Act 1962*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section 3 of and the First Schedule to the *Hire-Purchase Act 1959*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. 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 (Amendment) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 190).
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Mernda—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Fisheries Act 1968—Commercial Fishing Licences (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 205).
 - Hospitals and Charities Act 1958—Hospitals and Charities (Personal Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 202).
 - Hospitals Superannuation Act 1965—Hospitals Superannuation (Board) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 201).
 - Land Conservation Council—Report for the year 1970–71.
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 203).
 - Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board (Contributions) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 204).
 - Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Signal Lamps—Use for Warning) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 195).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 69 to 73) (five papers).
 - Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemptions Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12) Regulations 1971 (S.R. Nos. 194, 193, 196, 192, 197, 198 and 199) (seven papers).
 - State Savings Bank—Reports, statements, returns, &c., for the year 1970–71.
 - Taxation—Analysis of operations of Land Tax for the assessment year 1970, and Probate Duty for the year 1970–71.

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961—Amendment No. 25, 1969.

Transport Regulation Act 1958—Commercial Goods Vehicles Act 1958—Transport Consolidated (Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 200).

Workers Compensation Act 1958—Workers Compensation (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 191).

6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
7. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable R. J. Eddy, moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
8. POLICE REGULATION (CHIEF COMMISSIONER) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
9. GROUNDWATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
10. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
11. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 10 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. K. Bradbury moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until next day of meeting.
12. GIFT DUTY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to provide for the Imposition, Assessment and Collection of a duty on certain gifts, to amend the ' Stamps Act 1958 ' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
13. STAMPS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the ' Stamps Act 1958 ' and for Purposes connected therewith*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

14. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the Council, at forty-one minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 6.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, by leave, That there be laid before this House the Report of the Inspector appointed pursuant to Division 4 of Part VI. of the *Companies Act* 1961 to investigate the affairs of East Australian Insurance Company Limited and M.B.A. (Credits) Pty. Ltd.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The said Report was thereupon presented by the Honorable A. J. Hunt and 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 Acting-Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Moe Planning Scheme 1966—Amendment No. 27, 1970.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
5. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable V. T. Hauser moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and negatived.
Debate continued.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, by leave, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 5 to 12 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
8. GIFT DUTY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

9. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
10. STAMPS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
11. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 10 *ante*), having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
12. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What was the total cost of construction of the Evelyn Wilson Geriatric Hospital at Sale.
 - (b) What was the cost of furnishings and equipment, respectively.
 - (c) How was the project financed, and what amount (if any) was raised locally.
 - (d) How many inmates are in residence.
 - (e) How many are at present employed.
 - (f) What was the date of commencement of construction, and when was it finished.
2. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the necessity for farmers throughout many areas of Victoria to rely upon the meat industry as an important source of income, will the Government make available a subsidy scheme for the construction of fodder storages in order to encourage farmers to conserve fodder and so alleviate the effects of dry seasons ; if not, why.
3. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What is the name of each secondary teachers college in Victoria.
 - (b) How many student places are available at each of these colleges.
 - (c) How many student places are now unfilled at each of these colleges.
4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Who are "officers" for the purposes of the *Local Government Act 1958*.
 - (b) Has any action been taken to define who are officers ; if so, when, and with what result.
5. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many applications have been received by the Department of Crown Lands and Survey in 1970 and 1971 for the alienation of Crown land at Bendigo for the purpose of establishing secondary industries.
 - (b) How many applications have been approved, and how many are still pending.
 - (c) What is the time lapse between receipt of applications and the approval of the alienation.
- *6. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has any final decision been made by the State Electricity Commission on the future use of the Paisley briquette depot ; if so, what are the proposals.
- *7. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) How many mobile dental clinics visit schools in Victoria.
 - (b) How many children are treated annually.
 - (c) At approximately what intervals are schools visited.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has any further consideration been given to building a technical school in the Werribee area ; if so, what consideration has been given, and when will such a school be established.

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

- *9. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many members of the Victoria Police Force were on duty at the Melbourne Cricket Ground on the 4th, 11th, 18th, and 25th September, 1971, respectively.
- *10. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 (a) What amount of char has been produced at the Morwell plant since it began operations.
 (b) How much char has been exported, and to what countries.
- *11. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Tourism—In what media will the \$192,275 tourism appropriation be spent over the next twelve months, specifying the amounts and State-by-State allocations.
- *12. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is work expected to commence on the proposed Altona North police station ; if so, when.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
2. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
3. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
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10. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt).*

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
2. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
3. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt).*
6. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
7. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
8. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
10. PRIVACY (CONTROL OF PERSONAL INFORMATION) BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. V. T. Hauser*).
2. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate*.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. GIFT DUTY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).

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PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 7.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many applications have been received by the Department of Crown Lands and Survey in 1970 and 1971 for the alienation of Crown land at Bendigo for the purpose of establishing secondary industries.
 - (b) How many applications have been approved, and how many are still pending.
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3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What amount of char has been produced at the Morwell plant since it began operations.
 - (b) How much char has been exported, and to what countries.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Have any prosecutions been launched under section 82B of the *Motor Car Act* 1958 ; if so, how many were successful.
- *5. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Is it the policy of the Government to withdraw passenger trains from country lines if the passenger load is below 33 per cent. of the capacity.
 - (b) Is the policy the same for metropolitan areas and country areas.
- *6. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What proposals (if any) has the Melbourne Harbor Trust for building shipping facilities on the area of land south of North-road, Newport.
 - (b) Will the proposals have any effect on the proposed power station at Newport.
- *7. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What revenue was provided from Tattersall Consultations for hospitals and charitable institutions in 1970-71.
- *8. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) At what stage are the plans for the complete Collingwood education centre (primary, secondary, adult open class-rooms, &c.) at Vere and Cromwell-streets, Collingwood.
 - (b) Why have final plans been delayed so long.
 - (c) Is it envisaged that there will be any change in the plans as exhibited in a special showing at the Public Works Department while the Minister was overseas ; if so, why.
 - (d) When will tenders be called.
 - (e) Is it planned to build the centre in its entirety, or only in part.
 - (f) What are the target dates for completion of the various stages.
 - (g) When will tenders be let.
 - (h) When is it anticipated that construction work will start.
 - (i) Is finance to be made available progressively over the next three years to complete the centre ; if so, what is the appropriation for—(i) stage 1 ; and (ii) subsequent stages.
 - (j) What are the Education Department's plans for interim accommodation for the Collingwood High School for the years 1972, 1973 and 1974, if necessary, with regard to site, buildings, amenities and toilet blocks, respectively.
 - (k) What transport will be provided at Government expense.
 - (l) What alternative accommodation will be provided for Cromwell-street Primary School No. 2462 as construction of the centre progresses, taking into account the large number of extra children due for enrolment.

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- *9. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will the Minister of Education lay on the table of the Library all files and papers relating to the girls technical school or wing and assembly hall at Traralgon and the new secondary school to be built in Guthridge-parade, Sale.
- *10. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Since the implementation by the Victorian Railways Commissioners of a revised time-table affecting passenger rail services between Melbourne and Dimboola and between Murtoa and Hopetoun—(i) what number of passengers have arrived at and departed from each station between Melbourne and Dimboola ; (ii) what number of passengers have arrived at and departed from each station serviced by the rail motor running between Murtoa and Hopetoun ; and (iii) what were the corresponding figures for passenger loadings at each station referred to in (i) and (ii) during the same period last year.
- *11. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has he given instructions that no new guttering or spouting on school buildings shall be painted ; if so, when ; if not, why.
- *12. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 (a) In view of the fact that the estimated cost of Dartmouth Reservoir is now \$64 million, when will the review of the project take place as provided for in item 5 (2) of the Schedule to the *River Murray Waters (Dartmouth Reservoir) Act 1970*.
 (b) In this review, will the Government be supporting the early construction of the reservoir.
- *13. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What action is being taken to provide adequate patrols to protect the abalone fishing industry in the Mallacoota area from the activities of illegal operators.
- *14. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) How many prosecutions have been launched under section 31B of the *Motor Car Act 1958*.
 (b) What number of these were successful.
- *15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 (a) Have the senior officers of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission finished their reports on the Werribee water supply situation ; if not, when is it proposed that such reports will be furnished.
 (b) Will the Minister of Water Supply make copies of the report available to Honorable Members representing the area.
- *16. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many teachers conduct classes for speech and language development for non-English speaking migrant children in all primary schools in Fitzroy, Richmond and Collingwood, naming the school in each instance.
- *17. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What plans has the Government formulated to deal with the likelihood of a locust plague in Northern Victoria.
- *18. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will he lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the present parlous conditions of the Pyramid Hill police office.
- *19. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) In what areas of Victoria is dairying being carried on without Department of Agriculture supervision.
 (b) What areas are not under the supervision of any authority.
 (c) Will the Government bring under Department of Agriculture supervision all dairy farm premises in which milk or cream is produced for sale for human consumption.
- *20. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) Has a decision been made concerning the sealing of playground areas at the Numurkah Primary School ; if so, when will this work be carried out.
 (b) Has a decision been made concerning the external painting and maintenance at this school ; if so, when will this work be carried out.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
2. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. J. Hunt*).
3. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. V. T. Hauser*).
4. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
5. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
6. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
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11. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate*.
12. PRIVACY (CONTROL OF PERSONAL INFORMATION) BILL—(*Hon. G. J. Nicol*)—Second reading.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. THE HON. G. L. CHANDLER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1958*.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).
2. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. D. G. Elliot*).
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5. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Eddy*).
6. STAMPS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Tripovich*).
7. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Eddy*).
8. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).
9. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. D. G. Elliot*).
10. GIFT DUTY BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).
11. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. D. E. Kent*).
12. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. J. Hunt*).

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SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 7.

TUESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
Police Regulation (Chief Commissioner) Act.
Groundwater (Amendment) Act.
3. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER NO. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak to the subject of “ The chaotic indecision, traffic paralysis and disruption caused by the Government’s failures and vacillation in planning metropolitan transport ” ; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
G. J. O’Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
H. Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

4. **PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to impose a Tax upon Employers in respect of certain Wages, to provide for the Assessment and Collection of the Tax, and for Purposes connected therewith* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Automotive Machining Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 209).

Apprenticeship (Cooking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 210).

Dairy Products—Report of the Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 30th June, 1971.

Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Melton and Watsonia—Certificates of the Minister of Education (two papers).

Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958—Geelong Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations (Amendment No. 1/71) (S.R. No. 215).

Grain Elevators Board—Report for the year ended 31st October, 1970.

Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Council of Legal Education—Rules amended (S.R. No. 212).

Liquor Control Act 1968—Liquor Control (King River Canteen) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 207).

National Museum—Report of the Council for the year 1970–71.

Police Regulation Act 1958—

Police (Authorized Strength No. 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 211).

Police (Wearing of Medals) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 208).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (No. 74).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

Morwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 37, 1970.

Shire of Lillydale Planning Scheme 1958—Amendment No. 16, 1970.

Water Act 1958—Water (Lake Eildon Recreational Area) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 213).

Wild Flowers and Native Plants Protection Act 1958—Wild Flowers and Native Plants Protection Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 214).

Zoological Gardens Act 1967—Zoological Gardens Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 206).

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

7. **PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

8. **ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at Three o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 8.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER, 1971.

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

2. **FILMS BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Films and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
- Anti-Cancer Council—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 75 to 79) (five papers).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Morwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 36, 1970.
 - Victoria Institute of Colleges—Report of the Council, together with statement of income and expenditure and Statutes approved by the Governor in Council, for the year 1970.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
5. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable W. M. Campbell moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 2 to 10 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
7. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read— The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
8. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, by leave, That the proposals contained in clause 4 of this Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report. Debate ensued. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 12, be postponed until later this day.
10. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1958*, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
11. PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time, after debate, and passed. Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
12. FILMS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
14. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative. The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 8.

TUESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has any final decision been made by the State Electricity Commission on the future use of the Paisley briquette depot ; if so, what are the proposals.
2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What amount of char has been produced at the Morwell plant since it began operations.
 - (b) How much char has been exported, and to what countries.
3. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) At what stage are the plans for the complete Collingwood education centre (primary, secondary, adult open class-rooms, &c.) at Vere and Cromwell streets, Collingwood.
 - (b) Why have final plans been delayed so long.
 - (c) Is it envisaged that there will be any change in the plans as exhibited in a special showing at the Public Works Department while the Minister was overseas ; if so, why.
 - (d) When will tenders be called.
 - (e) Is it planned to build the centre in its entirety, or only in part.
 - (f) What are the target dates for completion of the various stages.
 - (g) When will tenders be let.
 - (h) When is it anticipated that construction work will start.
 - (i) Is finance to be made available progressively over the next three years to complete the centre ; if so, what is the appropriation for—(i) stage 1 ; and (ii) subsequent stages.
 - (j) What are the Education Department's plans for interim accommodation for the Collingwood High School for the years 1972, 1973 and 1974, if necessary, with regard to site, buildings, amenities and toilet blocks, respectively.
 - (k) What transport will be provided at Government expense.
 - (l) What alternative accommodation will be provided for Cromwell-street Primary School No. 2462 as construction of the centre progresses, taking into account the large number of extra children due for enrolment.
4. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Since the implementation by the Railways Commissioners of a revised time-table affecting passenger rail services between Melbourne and Dimboola and between Murtoa and Hopetoun—(i) what number of passengers have arrived at and departed from each station between Melbourne and Dimboola ; (ii) what number of passengers have arrived at and departed from each station serviced by the rail motor running between Murtoa and Hopetoun ; and (iii) what were the corresponding figures for passenger loadings at each station referred to in (i) and (ii) during the same period last year.
- *5. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Will the Government make land at Simpson available to Murray Goulburn Co-operative Co. Ltd. to erect a store and depot ; if not, why.
- *6. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In view of the press announcement by the Honorable the Acting-Premier of the 16th September, 1971, that the Government was accepting the Commonwealth Government's offer of a dollar for each dollar of State grants for nursing homes—(i) has the Government made a formal acceptance to the Commonwealth ; if not, when will it do so ; and (ii) will this Commonwealth finance be additional to the Hospitals and Charities Commission's present loan grants.
- *7. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is it the intention of the Housing Commission to notify owners of shops in the Berry-street area of Church-street, Richmond, that it will be acquiring their premises within one month ; if so, has the Richmond City Council been notified of the Commission's intention.

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

- *8. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What is the present situation with the Housing Commission regarding the area in South Melbourne bounded by Pickles and Dorcas streets and City and Nelson roads.
- *9. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What amounts, stated as percentages of the turnover tax, have been received by each country racing club from the Totalizator Agency Board for each of the past five racing seasons.
 - (b) What payments have been made to each country racing club from the Race-courses Development Fund, including payments (if any) made to racing clubs confined to Saturday dates, for each of the past five racing seasons.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. G. L. CHANDLER : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Issue of Composite Licences for the purposes of Section 15 of the *Stock Diseases Act 1968*.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
2. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
3. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
4. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
5. STAMPS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. COMMONWEALTH PLACES (ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
7. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
8. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
9. GIFT DUTY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
10. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
- *11. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
- *12. FILMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
13. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. J. Hunt).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. J. Hunt).
2. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. V. T. Hauser).
3. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
5. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
6. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
7. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
8. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
10. PRIVACY (CONTROL OF PERSONAL INFORMATION) BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading.
11. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. W. M. Campbell*).

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 9.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1971.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. F. S. GRIMWADE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- How many applications for farm build-up and farm reconstruction, under the rural reconstruction scheme, has the Rural Finance and Settlement Commission received to date.
 - What is the current position regarding the processing of and action taken regarding these applications.
 - What is the percentage of requests for assistance for farm build-up of total requests in terms of numbers and the amount of money involved.
 - Does this percentage make the Commonwealth requirements for lending impossible to meet ; if so, what action has been taken to rectify the situation.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- What proposals are there to reclaim or clean up that area of tidal land bounded by Hyde-street to the West, Stoney Creek to the South and the Yarra River to the East.
 - What authority is responsible for the area's control.
- *3. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has the Local Government Department received from the Shire of Woorayl an application for a grant for toilet and other facilities to serve the basketball courts at Leongatha ; if so—(i) on what date was the application received ; (ii) was consideration given to granting a priority to the application ; and (iii) when is it anticipated that a grant will be available for such works.
- *4. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many pupils, stating from what schools, have been admitted to the University High School at Form IV. level and above during the school years 1969, 1970 and 1971 (to date).
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Under what departmental control is that area of land East of the Melbourne-Williamstown railway line and bounded by Hyde-street.
 - What plans are there for its beautification and use.
- *6. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is the Minister aware that the Spastic Childrens Society of Victoria Inc. anticipates a deficit of \$300,000 in addition to a bank overdraft of \$300,000 for the current year ; if so, why has the Government endangered the carrying on of the magnificent work of the Society by lowering the 1970-71 grant from \$100,000 to \$50,000.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Following the provision of the Commonwealth library block to State secondary schools, what arrangements are normally made to adequately staff them where no library facilities existed previously.
- *8. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Has the Melbourne Greyhound Racing Association, the Sandown Greyhound Racing Co., or the Association of Victorian Country Greyhound Racing Clubs made any request to the Honorable the Chief Secretary for representation on the Totalizator Agency Board ; if so, has he given any consideration to a member representing each body, as racing clubs are represented.
- *9. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has a survey of poverty been taken in the metropolitan area ; if so, what are the relevant figures ascertained applicable to the municipalities in the Doutta Galla Province.

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

- *10. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) Who are the directors and shareholders of Australian Marinas (Australasia) Pty. Ltd.
 (b) What arrangements have been entered into between Australian Marinas (Australasia) Pty. Ltd. and the St. Kilda City Council.
 (c) At what stage are discussions between the Council and the Minister of Lands concerning the building of a hotel-motel on the marina foreshore between Brooks Jetty and Point Ormond, St. Kilda.
- *11. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 (a) What volumes of water have been reserved for private diversion from various sections of the River Murray.
 (b) What volumes of water have been taken up by private diverters in each case.
- *12. The Hon. W. G. FRY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 (a) Has he any information concerning the proposed green wedge areas in the metropolitan area.
 (b) Has he any information as to when the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works amendment to the Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme concerning these areas, and other matters, will go on exhibition.
- *13. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—How many properties have been acquired by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works in the area between Vere and Gipps streets, Collingwood, for the purpose of constructing a road.
- *14. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the decision announced in March this year by the Railways Department that finance had been allocated for the installation of flashing lights at the Allan-street and Albion-street crossings in Kyabram been reviewed ; if so, what is the current situation.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading.
 2. PRIVACY (CONTROL OF PERSONAL INFORMATION) BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading.
 3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
 4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
 5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt).*
 6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. V. T. Hauser).*
 7. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. W. M. Campbell).*
 8. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
 9. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
 10. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
 11. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
 12. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
 13. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
 2. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
 3. FILMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
 4. VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
 5. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
 6. GIFT DUTY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
 7. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt).*

TUESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. PUBLIC WORKS AND STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
- *2. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
- *3. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. H. A. Thomas)*.
- *4. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
- *5. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 9.

TUESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM THE DEPUTY FOR HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from the Honorable the Chief Justice, as Deputy for His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, on the 8th instant, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Pay-roll Tax Act.
3. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to promote the greater Use of Daylight in certain Months of the Year and to provide for matters incidental thereto*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to increase the Aggregate Liability for the Granting of Indemnities under the ‘Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. PUBLIC WORKS AND STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make Provision for and with respect to the Protection of Witnesses before the Public Works Committee and the State Development Committee, to amend the *Public Works Committee Act 1958*, and the *State Development Committee Act 1958* and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. J. Nicol, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make Provision with respect to the Storage and Distribution of Personal Information, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
8. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
Co-operation Act 1958—Co-operative Societies (General) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 216).
Dried Fruits—Statements of accounts of the Dried Fruits Board for the year 1970.
Friendly Societies—Report of the Registrar for the period 1st July, 1967 to 30th June, 1970.
Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust—Accounts and statements for the year 1970–71.
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 80 to 83) (four papers).

Science Museum—Report for the year 1970–71.

Surveys—Report upon the progress of surveys within Victoria under the Commonwealth National Mapping Scheme, and upon co-ordination of surveys, for the year 1970–71.

Town and Country Planning—Report of the Board for the year 1969–70.

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961—Amendment No. 15, 1970.

9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
10. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to enable the Issue of Composite Licences for the purposes of Section 15 of the *Stock Diseases Act* 1968, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
11. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. CHIROPODISTS (REGISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was a read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
14. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was a read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
15. LATROBE VALLEY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was a read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
16. MOONEE PONDS (QUEENS PARK) LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

20. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable H. A. Thomas moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

21. PUBLIC WORKS AND STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

22. HIRE-PURCHASE (FORM) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
H. Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
G. J. O'Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

23. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
24. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize certain Pre-Post Betting on the Melbourne Cup, to amend the ‘Lotteries Gaming and Betting Act 1966’ and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
25. ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at Three o’clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the Council, at twenty minutes past Ten o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow at Three o’clock.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 10.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Ringwood East—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
Liquor Control Commission—Report and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY :—
Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 1, be postponed until the next day of meeting.
4. PRIVACY (CONTROL OF PERSONAL INFORMATION) BILL—DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read—
The Honorable G. J. Nicol moved, That the said Order be discharged.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.
5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 3, be postponed until later this day.
6. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable W. M. Campbell, for the Honorable S. E. Gleeson, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

7. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable M. A. Clarke moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

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

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

9. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (EQUAL PAY) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 26.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
H. Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 8 to 13 inclusive, be postponed until the next day of meeting.

11. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 10 *ante*), having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable F. J. Granter, for the Honorable F. S. Grimwade, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

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

12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 3 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

14. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read—

The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, as an amendment, That the words "except in relation to the payment of fees" be added to the question.

Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich.

Noes, 22.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
H. Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

Question—That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

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

15. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act relating to Policies of Accident Insurance in respect of Members of certain Authorities*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

16. MERCY PRIVATE HOSPITAL (GUARANTEE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to authorize the Treasurer of Victoria to guarantee Repayment of certain Moneys proposed to be borrowed by the Sisters of Mercy Property Association and for other Purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

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

17. BUILDING SOCIETIES (SPECIAL ADVANCES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to increase the Maximum Amount relating to Special Advances under the 'Building Societies Act 1958'*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 10.

TUESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many pupils, stating from what schools, have been admitted to the University High School at Form IV. level and above during the school years 1969, 1970 and 1971 (to date).
2. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has a survey of poverty been taken in the metropolitan area ; if so, what are the relevant figures ascertained applicable to the municipalities in the Dousta Galla Province.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What are the estimated amounts of known brown coal deposits in the Latrobe Valley.
- *4. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What funds have been expended on buildings and equipment at the Kyneton High School and Kyneton Primary School, respectively, during the past seven years.
- *5. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—As the intake for the Lalor Park Primary School No. 5003 was 276 in 1970 and the proposed enrolment for 1972 is 690, what provision has the Education Department made to accommodate pupils at the school in 1972.
- *6. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What provision is made by the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board to relieve pensioners of the costs of fire services where the said pensioners are unable to carry a fire insurance policy.
- *7. The Hon. H. R. WARD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What has been the incidence reported to police of vandalism, larceny, assault and drunk and disorderly, at Mornington, Mt. Martha, Dromana, Rosebud, Rye, Sorrento and Hastings, in 1969, 1970 and 1971 (to date), stating, in each case, the number of arrests made and the number of convictions recorded.
 - (b) What is the present staffing at each police station on the Mornington Peninsula.
 - (c) In respect of the Mornington, Rosebud, Sorrento, Hastings and Rye police stations—(i) what staff would be required to have these stations open (with a policeman at the station) 24 hours a day ; (ii) what would be the cost of manning these stations 24 hours a day ; (iii) what extensions for accommodation are proposed for each of these stations in 1971–72 and 1972–73, respectively ; (iv) what extra staff was provided above the usual complement for the Christmas holiday period in 1969 and 1970, respectively ; and (v) what extra staff will be provided above the usual complement for the Christmas holiday period in 1971.
- *8. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—How many properties have been acquired by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works in the area bounded by Wellington, Vere, Campbell and Gipps streets, Collingwood, for road construction purposes.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate (Hon. F. S. Grimwade).*

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *2. BUILDING SOCIETIES (SPECIAL ADVANCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *3. MERCY PRIVATE HOSPITAL (GUARANTEE) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
4. CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).
5. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
6. PUBLIC WORKS AND STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
7. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).
8. FILMS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
9. GIFT DUTY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
10. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. H. A. Thomas).
11. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
12. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
13. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
14. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading.
2. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
3. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. M. A. Clarke).
4. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. V. T. Hauser).
5. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
6. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
7. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
8. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
9. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
10. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).

WEDNESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 11.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1971.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many Commonwealth library blocks, indicating the location of each, have been added to secondary schools in the Doutta Galla Province.
 - Are these blocks in full operation ; if so, how many books are available at each and what staff, additional to the normal staff have been provided.
- *2. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many properties have been purchased by the Housing Commission in the City of Richmond from 1st July, 1968, to date, stating the purchase price and location in each instance.
- *3. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
- Why has the Government delayed provision of a capital grant of \$26,400 to the Mulleraterong centre at Hamilton, which urgently needs a separate self-contained wing for the care of the intellectually handicapped, when the need was acknowledged by officers of the Mental Deficiencies Training Services, and the Mental Health Authority approved the plan prior to submission to the Commission of Public Health in December, 1970.
 - How long does it take for the Treasury to act following recommendations of this nature.
 - Is it true that, following applications to the Mental Health Authority for \$1,250,000, of the \$300,000 granted \$280,000 will be absorbed by two metropolitan centres.
 - When will the Government make the Mulleraterong grant available.
- *4. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many vacancies for teachers (and for what subjects) exist at each of the high schools in the Doutta Galla Province and when is it likely that all will be filled.
 - Why are schools in Northern suburbs at a disadvantage compared with schools in the Southern suburbs.
 - Why are teachers loath to include Northern suburbs in their list of priorities.
 - What action is proposed to ensure that the needs of pupils in the Northern suburbs are properly considered and catered for.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- At what depth will the W.A.G. pipeline be laid under the Yarra River at Spotswood.
 - How does this depth compare with the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works sewer main in Hobsons Bay which crosses the Yarra River North of the said pipeline route.
- *6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In the financial years 1969–70 and 1970–71, what revenue was received from—(i) bookmakers' turnover tax ; (ii) licence fees of bookmakers ; (iii) bookmakers' course agents licence fees ; and (iv) bookmakers' clerks registration fees.

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

- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Concerning the Government's announced policy support for the employment by the Education Department of ancillary staff to release teachers for teaching duties, when is the amending legislation to be introduced, and what has caused the delay.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What progress (if any) is being made towards the establishment of a port development and marine council.
 (b) Who will comprise such a council.
 (c) How many meetings have been held on the establishment of the said council.
- *9. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What requests have been made to the Commonwealth Government for assistance either in the provision of finance or facilities in the teaching of English to migrant children at schools in the Doutta Galla Province.
 (b) What were the results of these requests stating, in each case, the name of the school.
- *10. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) On whose authority are the gutterings and spoutings on the new assembly hall at the Shepparton High School now being painted.
 (b) Was this painting specifically requested by the school advisory council.
- *11. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Tourism—Has a grant been approved by him for the construction of a boat ramp at Port Welshpool ; if so—(i) when is it programmed to be constructed ; and (ii) when is it expected to be completed.
- *12. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What sums have been, or will be, allocated for the construction of new buildings at each of the Education Department's primary teachers colleges during the years 1970, 1971 and 1972, respectively, specifying which amounts have been provided by the State and Commonwealth Governments, respectively.
- *13. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Following the letting during the week ended 12th October, 1971, of a contract to complete a section of fencing at the site for the Broadmeadows senior high school, what is the current plan for development of this school, and when will it be in operation.
- *14. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What are the reasons for the delay in securing officer and other accommodation in Bendigo for the proposed regional director of education and his staff.
 (b) For how many staff is office space required.
- *15. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What effect has the compulsory wearing of car seat belts had upon the road toll in regard to—(i) deaths ; (ii) serious injuries ; and (iii) other injuries.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

1. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR—MOTION FOR—*Resumption of debate (Hon. F. S. Grimwade).*

General Business.

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1. INFORMATION STORAGE BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading.
2. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
3. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).*
4. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. M. A. Clarke).*
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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
- *2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading.
- *3. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
- *4. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading.
5. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
6. DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. H. A. Thomas)*.
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10. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
11. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
- *12. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
- *13. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
- *14. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
15. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt)*.

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER.

Question.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many departmental reports, indicating the departments concerned, are outstanding for the years 1968–69, 1969–70 and 1970–71, respectively.
 - (b) What action has been taken to obtain reports in the cases of those outstanding for the years 1968–69 and 1969–70.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. BUILDING SOCIETIES (SPECIAL ADVANCES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
- *2. JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
- *3. EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
- *4. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
- *5. SUNDAY ENTERTAINMENT (CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
- *6. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 11.

TUESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
Moonee Ponds (Queens Park) Land Act.
Commonwealth Places (Administration of Laws) Act.
Stamps Act.
3. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to change the Ranks held by certain Members of the Police Force of Victoria, to amend the ‘ Police Regulation Act 1958 ’, to make consequential amendments to other Acts and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Apprenticeship Act 1958 ’ and to repeal certain Provisions of the ‘ Employers and Employés Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. SUNDAY ENTERTAINMENT (CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 5 of the ‘ Sunday Entertainment Act 1967 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Part III. of the ‘ Coal Mines Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the Rate of Compensation of Jurors and the Fees for Civil Juries under the ‘ Juries Act 1967 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
8. MAGISTRATES’ COURTS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act with respect to the Holding and Constitution of Magistrates’ Courts the Appointment Powers Duties and Protection of Stipendiary Magistrates Justices and Clerks of Magistrates’ Courts and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
 On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

9. **STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act relating to the Salaries Allowances and Fees of certain Public Officers and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
10. **EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend Section Fourteen of the ‘Exhibition Act 1957’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
11. **STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make Provision with respect to the Scheme for the Extension of the State Electricity Generating System by the Establishment of a Power Station at Newport*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
12. **GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable Murray Byrne, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
13. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Local Government Act 1958*, the *County Court Act 1958* and the *Local Government (Further Amendment) Act 1971* and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
14. **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 Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 86) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 219).
Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Exemption No. 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 217).
Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—The Oats Marketing Board (Exemption) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 218).
Pay-roll Tax Act 1971—Pay-roll Tax Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 221).
Poisons Act 1962—Drugs of Addiction and Restricted Substances Regulations 1971 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 223).
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 84 to 86) (three papers).
Supreme Court Act 1958—
Solicitors’ Remuneration Order 1971 (S.R. No. 220).
Supreme Court (Costs) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 222).
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
Borough of Kyabram Planning Scheme 1963—Amendment No. 7, 1971.
Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 27, 1971 (Shire of South Barwon).
Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme—Amendment No. 22, with maps (three papers).
Shire of Croydon Planning Scheme 1961—Amendment No. 13, 1968.
15. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
16. **WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
17. **BUILDING SOCIETIES (SPECIAL ADVANCES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

18. **MERCY PRIVATE HOSPITAL (GUARANTEE) BILL.**—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The Deputy-President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable K. S. Gross having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
19. **JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
20. **COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
21. **STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
22. **EXHIBITION (BORROWING POWERS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
23. **APPRENTICESHIP (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
24. **SUNDAY ENTERTAINMENT (CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton, for the Honorable D. G. Elliot, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
25. **POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
26. **CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable A. W. Knight having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

27. **POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
28. **PUBLIC WORKS AND STATE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
29. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7, be postponed until later this day.
30. **FILMS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment, and desiring their concurrence therein.
31. **ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Granting of Leases of certain Land in the City of Essendon permanently reserved as a Site for Public Recreation, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
32. **ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at half-past Three o'clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the Council, at forty-eight minutes past Ten o'clock, adjourned until to-morrow at half-past Three o'clock.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 12.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Public Authorities (Contributions) Act 1966 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

3. MONASH UNIVERSITY COUNCIL.—The President announced the receipt of the following communication from the Honorable the Minister of Education :—

Minister of Education,
Treasury Place,
Melbourne,
19th October, 1971.

Dear Mr. President,

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

The term of office of the Members appointed pursuant to this provision—The Honorable Raymond William Garrett, A.F.C., A.E.A., M.L.C., The Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., and Robert Clive Fordham, M.P.—expires on the 11th December, 1971 and I should be grateful if you could arrange a joint sitting of the Members of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly to recommend three members for appointment to the University Council for the four-year term from the 12th December, 1971.

I have addressed a similar letter to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly.

Yours truly,

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

The Hon. R. W. Garrett, A.F.C., A.E.A., M.L.C.,
President of the Legislative Council,
Parliament House,
MELBOURNE, 3002.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That this House meet the Legislative Assembly for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them with the foregoing resolution and requesting them to name the place and time of such meeting.

4. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS (EMPLOYMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents Act 1965* with respect to Persons who may be Employed by Licence Holders, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable Murray Byrne, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. JUSTICES (CIVIL PROCEEDINGS) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend Section 68 and Section 101 of the *Justices Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. VETERINARY SURGEONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Veterinary Surgeons Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
8. HARBOR BOARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable Murray Byrne, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Harbor Boards Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
10. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. J. Nicol moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, General Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until later this day.

12. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of the Orders of the Day, General Business, be postponed until later this day.
14. VETERINARY SURGEONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until later this day.
16. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
18. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS (EMPLOYMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
19. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable R. J. Eddy moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
20. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
21. JUSTICES (CIVIL PROCEEDINGS) BILL.—The Order of Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
22. 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 later this day.
23. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable R. J. Eddy moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

24. ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 10 *ante*), having been read—

Debate resumed.

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

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

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

25. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to revoke the Crown Grant of certain Land and the Permanent Reservations of certain Lands and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

27. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES (INDEMNITIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 12.

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many departmental reports, indicating the departments concerned, are outstanding for the years 1968–69, 1969–70 and 1970–71, respectively.
 - (b) What action has been taken to obtain reports in the cases of those outstanding for the years 1968–69 and 1969–70.
2. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many vacancies for teachers (and for what subjects) exist at each of the high schools in the Doutta Galla Province, and when is it likely that all will be filled.
 - (b) Why are schools in Northern suburbs at a disadvantage compared with schools in the Southern suburbs.
 - (c) Why are teachers loath to include Northern suburbs in their lists of priorities.
 - (d) What action is proposed to ensure that the needs of pupils in the Northern suburbs are properly considered and catered for.
3. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What sums have been, or will be, allocated for the construction of new buildings at each of the Education Department's primary teachers colleges during each of the years 1970, 1971 and 1972, specifying which amounts have been provided by the State and Commonwealth Governments, respectively.
- *4. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the need for accommodation of pupils at many technical schools and colleges of advanced education, how many secondary and tertiary schools and colleges in Victoria provide hostels or accommodation for students staying, in each case, the school or college and the number of students that can be accommodated.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—How many registered child-minding centres are in the Melbourne Province giving, in respect of each centre—(i) the location ; and (ii) the names of those conducting the centre.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. TRİPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Have any advertising hoardings been removed from metropolitan railway stations since 1st July, 1970 ; if so—(i) what stations were involved ; (ii) why were the hoardings removed ; and (iii) on whose authority.
 - (b) Did any advertising contracts offering this year have to be reduced because of the lack of hoarding space ; if so, how much space, measured in large and/or small hoardings, was involved.
- *7. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) Will the Education Department take steps to enable the secondary classifiers to staff high schools on anticipated rather than confirmed enrolments.
 - (b) Why are confirmed enrolments used for future staffing plans.

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

- *8. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will the Minister for Social Welfare lay on the table of the Library the findings published under the title “People in Poverty—A Melbourne Survey”.
- *9. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the need for improved permanent accommodation at the Swan Hill High School—(i) what are the Education Department’s plans for new and permanent buildings other than portable class-rooms ; and (ii) when will such a building programme be undertaken.
- *10. The Hon. G. J. O’CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—In respect of the years 1969–70 and 1970–71, what maintenance funds have been made available from the Hospitals and Charities Fund to the St. Vincent’s, Royal Melbourne, Prince Henry’s and Alfred public hospitals, respectively.
- *11. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 (a) Is the advertising section of the Railways Department operating at a profit.
 (b) Is there scope to extend the functions of this section to exploit profitably the advertising opportunities offering ; if so, are plans in hand to do this.
- *12. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) How many senior teacher positions in high schools are unfilled for 1972.
 (b) At which schools are these positions unfilled.
 (c) What does the Education Department plan to do about this problem.
- *13. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What is the population of the Shire of Whittlesea.
 (b) How many police are stationed at police stations within the Shire, naming the stations and the strength at each.
 (c) Has the Police Department any plans for the erection of extra stations within the Shire.
- *14. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What are the current stocking and staffing arrangements at Commonwealth-financed libraries built and now functioning at metropolitan secondary schools.
 (b) Are the staff appointed additional to those allocated to teaching duties at the schools ; if so, what will be their classifications and respective rates of pay.
- *15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What are the current rates of wharfage charged at the ports of Geelong, Melbourne, Portland, and Westernport, and how do they compare with wharfage charges in other States.
- *16. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What increased costs have necessitated the current increases in Housing Commission rents.
 (b) What are the respective comparative totals in each of the past five financial years.
 (c) What have been the increases in rents of pensioners occupying Darby and Joan units and lone-person units over the past five financial years.
 (d) What additional revenue is anticipated in the next financial year as a result of rent increases.
- *17. The Hon. G. J. O’CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What is the location of each of the 258 properties purchased by the Housing Commission in the City of Richmond since 1st July, 1968.
- *18. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—As it is planned to place a large block on site at Fitzroy High School to permit removal of temporary accommodation, when is it anticipated that this will be completed.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
- *2. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
3. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading.
- *4. HARBOR BOARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
5. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
6. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
7. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
8. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
9. BUILDING SOCIETIES (SPECIAL ADVANCES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
10. WATER AUTHORITIES ACCIDENT INSURANCE BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
11. JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
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General Business.

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2. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson)*.
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WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(*Hon. G. J. Nicol*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. W. Knight*).
2. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL—(*from Assembly*—*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Eddy*).

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 13.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—In respect of the years 1969–70 and 1970–71, what maintenance funds have been made available from the Hospitals and Charities Fund to the St. Vincent's, Royal Melbourne, Prince Henry's and Alfred public hospitals, respectively.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is it proposed to close Cocoroc Primary School No. 3230 ; if so—(i) why ; and (ii) when.
- *3. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the Housing Commission negotiated for the purchase of any properties in Hodgson-terrace and Berry-street, Richmond ; if so, in how many cases.
- *4. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What are the comparative rates of workers compensation operating in Victoria, South Australia and the Commonwealth.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will he hear representatives of the Williamstown City Council on the proposal of the Melbourne Harbor Trust to build shipping facilities in the City of Williamstown on that part of land South of North-road, Newport.
- *6. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is a second Education Department residence to be constructed in Omeo this financial year ; if not, will the Minister of Education inspect the housing conditions of the staff of the Omeo Higher Elementary School.
- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the Melbourne Harbor Trust any alternative plans to those stated in answer to Question No. 6 asked in this House on 6th October, 1971 ; if so, what are the alternative plans.
- *8. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will he prevail upon the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works to release the mapping of conservation criteria submitted by the Conservation Council of Victoria to the Board in January, 1971, so that the information in the submission can be used by educational bodies and others interested in conservation.
- *9. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What is the period of time that the Glenroy Co-educational Technical School has had no female vice-principal.
 - (b) As the school will have a Form VI. for the first time next year, when can it expect its full quota of administrative staff.
 - (c) As a senior male teacher is acting female vice-principal, when does the Education Department expect to fill this position with a female.

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

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

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- *1. LAND TAX BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
2. HARBOR BOARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
- *3. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
- *4. COMPANIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading.
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- *6. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading.
- *7. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
8. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—To be further considered in Committee.
9. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
10. GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
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General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
2. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(*Hon. G. J. Nicol*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson)*.
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TUESDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. J. O'Connell*).
2. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. A. W. Knight*).

TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 14.

THURSDAY, 28TH OCTOBER, 1971.

ORDER OF THE DAY (to take precedence) :—

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
2. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
3. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS (EMPLOYMENT) BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
4. JUSTICES (CIVIL PROCEEDINGS) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
5. COMPANIES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*
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TUESDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What were the results of a public opinion survey carried out by the Melbourne City Council on the future of the Queen Victoria market site.
 - (b) What questions were asked during this survey and what were the results of each.
- *2. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What have been the annual grants made by the Hospitals and Charities Commission to the Victorian Diabetic Association in each of the years 1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70 and 1970-71.
- *3. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What were the results of tests carried out on the use of reflective number plates.
 - (b) Will the Honorable the Chief Secretary lay the relevant files on the table of the Library.
- *4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How much land in Werribee does the Housing Commission own.
 - (b) What are the main reasons for the delay in houses being built in the area.
 - (c) How many homes could be built on the land.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has the board of inquiry investigating the suggested amalgamation of Port Melbourne and South Melbourne finished its deliberations ; if so—(i) when ; and (ii) has he been informed of the recommendations of the board and, in the event that he has, when will he be making these available to Honorable Members.
- *6. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Will he give details of roads closed to the public (to date) by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works in the Upper Yarra catchment area.
 - (b) Are these roads closed to foot traffic as well as vehicular traffic ; if so, will he consider re-opening these scenic roads to bushwalkers and any other pedestrians interested, provided certain hygiene precautions are undertaken.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
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7. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.

WEDNESDAY, 3RD NOVEMBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. H. Storey*).

WEDNESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(*Hon. G. J. Nicol*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. C. A. M. Hider*).

TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).

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No. 13.

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
 - Mercy Private Hospital (Guarantee) Act.*
 - Daylight Saving Act.*
 - Co-operative Housing Societies (Indemnities) Act.*
 - Films Act.*
3. ABORIGINAL LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the Aboriginal Lands Act 1970, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
4. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the Water Act 1958 with respect to Water Rights and Drainage Rating and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
5. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to incorporate the Lutheran Church of Australia Victorian District and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
6. LAND TAX BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to declare the Rates of Land Tax for the Year ending on the 31st Day of December, 1972, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. FILMS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made in such Bill by the Council.
8. MONASH UNIVERSITY COUNCIL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly acquainting the Council that they have agreed to meet the Council for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University, and, as requested by the Council, naming the Assembly Chamber at a quarter-past Six o'clock on Tuesday, 26th October, 1971, as the place and time of such meeting.

9. **ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Four o'clock, that on Wednesday in each week Private Members' business shall take precedence of Government business, and that no new business be taken after half-past Ten o'clock be suspended until the end of December next, and that until the end of December next the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be Four o'clock and on Wednesdays Two o'clock and that Government business shall take precedence of all other business.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

10. **REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable J. W. Galbally, leave was given to bring in a Bill to reduce to Eighteen Years the Voting Age in respect of Elections for the Legislative Council and for the Legislative Assembly, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

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

Co-operative Housing Societies—Report of the Registrar for the year 1969–70.

Co-operative Societies—Report of the Registrar for the year 1969–70.

Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Meetings and Expenses of Members Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 228).

Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Glen Waverley—Certificate of the Minister of Education.

Health Act 1958—Night-soil and Sewage (Contamination of Land) Amendment Regulations 1971 No. 2 (S.R. No. 224).

Liquor Control Act 1968—Liquor Control (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 227).

Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—Proclamation declaring that Oats shall become the property of the Oats Marketing Board for a period of two years.

Melbourne University—Report of the Council, together with Statutes and Regulations allowed by His Excellency the Governor, for the year 1970 (eleven papers).

Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Transfer and Roadworthiness Amendment Nos. 2 and 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. Nos. 230 and 226).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (No. 87).

Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 13) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 229).

Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958—Vermin and Noxious Weeds Destruction Board (Appointed Members' Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 225).

12. **VEGETATION AND VINE DISEASES (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same without amendment.

13. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor and Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.

14. **REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

15. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

16. **MONASH UNIVERSITY COUNCIL.**—The President announced that the time had arrived for this House to meet the Assembly in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University.

Accordingly, the Council then proceeded to the Assembly Chamber, and having returned—

The President reported that this House had met the Assembly this day in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of sitting and voting together to choose three Members of the Parliament of Victoria to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University and that the Honorable Graham John Nicol, M.L.C., Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., and the Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., had been duly chosen to be recommended for appointment.

17. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—

Debate resumed.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be adjourned for four weeks.

Debate ensued.

Question put—The Council divided.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 18.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
H. Storey,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

The Hon. J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be adjourned for three weeks.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

18. COMPANIES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to make Provision with respect to the 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 desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

Insert the following New Clause to follow Clause 8 :—

‘ A. In sub-section (3) of section 8 of the *Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958* for the words “ salary as is ” there shall be substituted the words “ salary and allowances as are ”.’

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

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

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

21. LOTTERIES GAMING AND BETTING (PRE-POST BETTING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

22. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Evidence Act 1958’, make Provision with respect to Privileges and Immunities in relation to Inquiries by Boards and Commissions and for other Purposes and to amend the ‘Coal Mines Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

23. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 14.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to increase certain Fees and Penalties in the ‘Health Act 1958’, the ‘Cemeteries Act 1958’ and the ‘Clean Air Act 1958’, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, had made the suggested amendment and desire the concurrence of the Council therein.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
4. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (No. 88).
5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.
6. LAND TAX BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. HARBOR BOARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. COMPANIES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 5 to 7 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
11. STATUTORY SALARIES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, without amendment.
12. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Lotteries Gaming and Betting (Pre-Post Betting) Act.
Vegetation and Vine Diseases (Amendment) Act.
13. ABORIGINAL LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable D. G. Elliot, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. STOCK DISEASES (COMPOSITE LICENCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

18. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 12 to 27 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

19. **REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable H. Storey, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

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

Debate resumed.

The Honorable C. A. M. Hider moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 10th November next.

21. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—

Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day, General Business, No. 3, be postponed until later this day.

Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 4, be postponed until the next day of meeting.

Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 5, be postponed until later this day.

22. **ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

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

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

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

23. **ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 10 *ante*), having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable W. G. Fry moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

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

24. **GEELONG HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment.

On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill was re-committed to a Committee of the whole in respect of clause 10 ; the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 15.

THURSDAY, 28TH OCTOBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Labour and Industry Act 1958’ in relation to Shop Trading Hours, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
3. **NEWHAVEN LAND BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Granting of Leases of certain Land in the Township of Newhaven, Parish of Phillip Island* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. **STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to State Forests* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
5. **STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.**—The Honorable J. M. Tripovich brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the proposals contained in the Statute Law Revision Bill, together with Minutes of Evidence, an Appendix, and an Extract from the Proceedings of the Committee.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report, Appendix, and Extract from the Proceedings of the Committee to be printed.
6. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of the Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the motion for the Address-in-Reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

8. **HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

9. **ADDRESS-IN-REPLY TO SPEECH OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Council agree to the Address to His Excellency the Governor in reply to His Excellency's Opening Speech (for Address see page 10 *ante*), having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

10. **NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the ' National Parks Act 1970 ' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

11. **ADJOURNMENT.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 9th November next.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-nine minutes past Three o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 9th November next.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 15.

TUESDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What were the results of a public opinion survey carried out by the Melbourne City Council on the future of the Queen Victoria market site.
 - (b) What questions were asked during this survey and what were the results of each.
2. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What have been the annual grants made by the Hospitals and Charities Commission to the Victorian Diabetic Association in each of the years 1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70 and 1970-71.
3. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What were the results of tests carried out on the use of reflective number plates.
 - (b) Will the Honorable the Chief Secretary lay the relevant files on the table of the Library.
4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How much land in Werribee does the Housing Commission own.
 - (b) What are the main reasons for the delay in houses being built in the area.
 - (c) How many homes could be built on the land.
5. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has the board of inquiry investigating the suggested amalgamation of Port Melbourne and South Melbourne finished its deliberations ; if so—(i) when ; and (ii) has he been informed of the recommendations of the board and, in the event that he has, when will he be making these available to Honorable Members.
6. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Will he give details of roads closed to the public (to date) by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works in the Upper Yarra catchment area.
 - (b) Are these roads closed to foot traffic as well as vehicular traffic ; if so, will he consider re-opening these scenic roads to bushwalkers and any other pedestrians interested, provided certain hygiene precautions are undertaken.
- *7. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What is the staff allocation for the Clean Air Division of the Department of Health.
 - (b) What are the duties of all members of the Division.

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
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3. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading.
- *4. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading.
5. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS (EMPLOYMENT) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
6. JUSTICES (CIVIL PROCEEDINGS) BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
7. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. J. Hunt)*.
8. PORTLAND HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
9. HARBOR BOARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
10. LAND TAX BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
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2. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
3. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. S. E. Gleeson*).
4. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Tripovich*).
5. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).
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10. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
11. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).

 WEDNESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER.
General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(*Hon. G. J. Nicol*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. C. A. M. Hider*).

 TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER.
Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex-officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 16.

WEDNESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- Is the Department of Health aware of the health problems caused by the product caradate 30 in the steel moulding industry.
 - What action is being taken by the Department to check on the effects of this product on workers in the industry.
 - Has any action been taken to stop the use of this product in the industry.
- *2. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- Has the Department of Agriculture investigated the use of smoke pots by orchardists in the Goulburn Valley during periods of frost.
 - Has waste oil burnt in these appliances caused pollution in nearby towns ; if so, will he take action to ensure that soot-free distillate oil only is used in the smoke pots.
- *3. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the need for improved teacher housing in the township of Manangatang, when will renovations be carried out or a new residence supplied for the teachers at the Manangatang Consolidated School.
- *4. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Now that daylight saving has been introduced, is it the intention of the Government to increase the allocation of mid-week race meetings to the Victoria Amateur Turf Club at Sandown Park racecourse.
- *5. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- Who are the members of the Teacher Housing Authority.
 - What number of applications for new teacher residences have been received by the Authority.
 - How many such residences have been approved by the Authority for building or purchase.
 - What number of residences have been completed or are under construction, and what are their individual locations.
 - What other action has been taken by the Authority since its inception to improve teacher housing in Victoria.
 - What is the approximate delay for a new or improved residence from the time of application to completion.
- *6. The Hon. V. T. HAUSER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- What has been the total financial allocation to the Mental Health Authority in each of the years 1963-64, 1964-65, 1965-66, 1966-67, 1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70, 1970-71, and 1971-72.
 - In each of these years what has been the total expenditure by the Authority on services for the mentally retarded, giving details of amounts spent on—(i) day training centres ; (ii) residential training centres ; and (iii) outpatient services.

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

- *7. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will the Minister of Education give urgent consideration to an immediate increase to direct grants to high school advisory councils in view of the steep rises in nearly all costs since the grants were fixed in July, 1970, and particularly the increases in telephone and postal charges and labour costs since the grants were reviewed in March-April, 1971.
- *8. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will he lay on the table of the Library the map and plan of the new suggested route for the F2 freeway.
- *9. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) When does he anticipate that site works at Campbellfield Heights Primary School will be completed.
 (b) When it is anticipated that the oval at the school will be fully graded and grassed.
- *10. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What Government departments (if any) deduct hospital benefit payments from the salaries or wages of employees.
- *11. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Has the Government any intention of amending the *Racing Act* 1958 or the *Lotteries Gaming and Betting Act* 1966 to provide for a treble or a thrice.
- *12. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) What number of applications have been received by the Rural Finance and Settlement Commission for assistance under the Rural Reconstruction Scheme for—(i) debt reconstruction ; (ii) farm build-up ; and (iii) retraining.
 (b) What number of applicants have been assisted and how much finance has been allocated under each of the above headings.
 (c) What steps have been taken by the Government to gain increased finance for rural reconstruction from the Commonwealth Government.
 (d) Will the Government take action to have the finance at present available for distribution used for the most pressing need, that of debt reconstruction.
- *13. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When was the annual report of the Library Council of Victoria for the year ended 30th June, 1970 (presented to this House on 9th November, 1971), received by the Honorable the Chief Secretary.
- *14. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the need for air services to country areas, what action has been taken by the Government in consultation with the Commonwealth Government to—(i) obtain permission for Trans-Australia Airlines to operate intra-state within Victoria ; and (ii) introduce a subsidy scheme to enable air services to the country areas to run economically.

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TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER.

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- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.
- MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.
- PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.
- ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.
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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 16.

TUESDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, on the 3rd instant, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Amendment) Act.
Statutory Salaries Act.
Newhaven Land Act.
3. WHEAT MARKETING BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Wheat Marketing Act* 1969 and for Purposes connected therewith, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. DOOR TO DOOR SALES BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Door to Door Sales and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—
 Library Council—Report for the year 1969–70.
 Ordered to lie on the Table.
 The following Papers, pursuant to the directions, of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
 Aboriginal Affairs Act 1967—Aboriginal Affairs (Allowances and Fees Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 234).
 Country Fire Authority Act 1958—Country Fire Authority (Loan No. 89) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 236).
 Education Act 1958—
 Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1971, No. 7 (S.R. No. 235).
 Resumption of land at Boronia—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 Environment Protection Act 1970—Environment Protection Council (Fees and Allowances) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 238).
 Forests Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.
 Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (Relating to Weighbridge Charges) No. 46A (S.R. No. 232).
 Marine Act 1958—Port Phillip Pilot Sick and Superannuation Fund (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 231).
 Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—The Oats Marketing Board Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 233).
 Melbourne Underground Rail Loop Authority—Report for the period ended 30th June, 1971.

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 89 to 98) (ten papers).

Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 15) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 239).

Social Welfare Department—Report for the year 1970–71.

State Development Act 1970—State Development (National Parks Advisory Committee) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 237).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 29, 1971 (Shire of South Barwon).

6. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 and 3, be postponed until later this day.
8. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
9. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be not adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5, be postponed until later this day.
11. JUSTICES (CIVIL PROCEEDINGS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
12. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
13. WHEAT MARKETING BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
14. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 and 9, be postponed until later this day.
15. LAND TAX BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read— Debate resumed. The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, as an amendment, That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ this Bill be withdrawn and a new Bill introduced with a view to declaring the rates of land tax payable by owners of land within the Port Phillip Area as defined in the *Electoral Provinces and Districts Act 1965* and exempting owners of other land from the payment of land tax—(a) where such land is used or is incidental to the use of that land by an approved decentralized industry ; (b) where such land is used for the purpose of primary production, by a primary producer whose principal or, sole source of income (not being less than 80 per cent.) is derived from primary production.”

Debate ensued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
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S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
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Noes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich.

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

Debate on main question continued.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Honorable I. A. Swinburne moved, as an amendment, That all the words after "That" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words "this Bill be withdrawn and a new Bill introduced declaring the rates of land tax payable by owners of land within the Port Phillip Area as defined in the *Electoral Provinces and Districts Act 1965* and exempting owners of other land from the payment of land tax."

Debate ensued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 26.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
W. G. Fry,
J. W. Galbally,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton (*Teller*),
O. G. Jenkins,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
G. J. Nicol,
G. J. O'Connell,
Haddon Storey,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
B. P. Dunn,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne.

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

Question—That the Bill be now read a third time—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Bill passed.

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

16. FARM PRODUCE MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS (EMPLOYMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

19. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 11 and 12, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

22. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to increase Penalties for certain Traffic Infringements* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,

Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 17.

WEDNESDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 99 to 104) (six papers).
 - Tramways—Report and statement of accounts of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board for the year 1970–71.
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
4. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
5. DOOR TO DOOR SALES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
6. COMPANIES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time, after debate, and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 5, be postponed until later this day.
8. JURIES (COMPENSATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
9. COAL MINES (PENSIONS INCREASE) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

13. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Granting of a Lease of certain Land at Buninyong permanently reserved as a Site for Public Recreation, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

14. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Grain Elevators Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Debate resumed.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and negatived.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

Clause 4, sub-clause (1), line 7, after “ corporation ” insert “ not being a listed corporation ”.

Clause 4, sub-clause (1), page 4, line 4, after “ property ” insert—

“ Listed corporation ” means a corporation any of the shares in which are quoted on a stock exchange and any corporation which is by virtue of sub-section (5) of section 6 of the *Companies Act 1961* deemed to be related to a corporation any of the shares of which are quoted on a stock exchange and in none of the shares of which a natural person has a beneficial interest.’

Clause 4, page 6, sub-clause (6), lines 33 and 34, omit “ unless the Commissioner is satisfied it is not rendered ” and insert “ if the Commissioner has reasonable grounds for believing that it was allowed to become ”.

Clause 4, page 8, sub-clause (11), line 37, after “ diminished ” insert “ and the total property or the value of the total property of another person is or may be increased ”.

Clause 4, page 10, sub-clause (14), paragraph (a), line 31, after “ years ” insert “ (other than any such disposition made before the commencement of this Act) ”.

Clause 4, page 11, sub-clause (18), line 38, omit “ seven ” and insert “ five ”.

Clause 5, paragraph (b), sub-paragraph (i), page 13, lines 1 and 2, omit “ (whether wholly or partly before the commencement of this Act or not) ” and insert “ (other than the value of any gift made before the 1st day of September, 1971) ”.

Clause 7, sub-clause (2), omit this sub-clause.

Clause 7, page 14, sub-clause (5), omit this sub-clause.

Clause 11, sub-clause (2), line 39, omit ‘ day specified under section 19 to be the “ prescribed day ” ’ and insert “ commencement of this Act ”.

Clause 14, sub-clause (1), page 18, omit paragraph (e) and insert the following paragraphs :—

‘ (e) any gift—

(i) to or wholly for the benefit of an institution organization or body of persons whether corporate or unincorporate not formed or carried on for the profit of any individual ; or

(ii) for charitable purposes ;

(ea) any gift effected by or under an instrument which is exempt from duty under exemptions (2) to (7) both inclusive under the heading “ IX. Settlement or Gift, Deed of ”—in the Third Schedule to the *Stamps Act* 1968.’

Clause 14, sub-clause (1), page 18, line 12, omit paragraph (g) and insert the following :—

“ (g) any gift where—

(i) the value of the gift together with all other gifts made by the same donor to the same donee, whether at the same time, within eighteen months previously (other than the value of any gift made before the 1st day of September, 1971) or within eighteen months subsequently, does not exceed in the aggregate \$200 and that the gift is made as part of the normal expenditure of the donor ;

(ii) the gift is made for or towards the maintenance of the wife, husband, child or other person dependent on the donor or for or towards the education or apprenticeship of a child or other person dependent on the donor and is not excessive in amount having regard to the legal or moral obligations of the donor to afford the maintenance, education or apprenticeship ;

(iii) the gift was made solely for *bona fide* commercial purposes ; or

(iv) the gift was not calculated by the donor to increase the total property or the value of the total property of any other person—but this sub-paragraph does not apply if the donor is deemed to be the donor by the operation of sub-section (11) of section 4.”

Clause 14, sub-clause (1), page 18, paragraph (h), line 32, omit “ \$500 ” and insert “ \$1,200 ”.

Clause 18, sub-clause (1), line 41, after “ property ” insert “ made after the commencement of this Act ”.

Clause 18, sub-clause (1), page 20, lines 4 and 5, omit “ or upon the commencement of this Act, whichever is the later ”.

Clause 19, sub-clause (1), lines 21 and 22, omit “ whether that period is partly before and partly after, or is wholly after, the commencement of this Act ” and insert “ but does not include that part of a period which is before the 1st day of September, 1971 ; ”.

Clause 19, sub-clause (2), paragraphs (c) and (d), omit paragraphs (c) and (d) and insert the following paragraphs :—

“ () where the gift was made in Australia and—

(i) it is of a benefit or advantage referred to in section 18—within one month after that gift is actually made ; or

(ii) in any other case—within one month after making the gift ; or

() where the gift was made outside Australia and—

(i) it is of a benefit or advantage referred to in section 18—within two months after that gift is actually made ; or

(ii) in any other case—within two months after the making of the gift—”.

Clause 19, sub-clause (5), omit this sub-clause and insert the following sub-clause :—

‘ () In this section “ gift ” does not include any gift in respect of which gift duty is, by the operation of paragraphs (a) (b) (d) (ea) (f) (h) or (i) of sub-section (1) of section 14, not payable.’

Clause 20, page 22, sub-clause (3), omit this sub-clause.

Clause 28, page 24, sub-clause (2), omit this sub-clause.

Clause 35, sub-clause (3), after “ decision ” insert “ and of the grounds upon which his decision was made ”.

Clause 41, line 5, after “ requires ” insert “ for the purposes of this Act ”.

Clause 43, sub-clause (1), line 34, omit “ double the amount ” and insert “ an amount equal to the amount ”.

Clause 45, line 22, after “ attend ” insert “ at a reasonable time ”.

Clause 45, line 25, after “ him ” insert “ for the purposes of this Act ”.

Clause 45, line 27, after “ him ” insert “ for the purposes of this Act ”.

Clause 47, sub-clause (1), paragraph (b), line 11, after “ conclusive evidence ” insert “ in proceedings by or against the Commissioner ”.

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

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

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

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

The Honorable R. J. Eddy, for the Honorable D. E. Kent, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

17. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to the Remuneration of Judges of the Supreme Court, County Court and Lands Tribunal* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

18. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

19. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,

Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 17.

TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. V. T. HAUSER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What has been the total financial allocation to the Mental Health Authority in each of the years 1963–64, 1964–65, 1965–66, 1966–67, 1967–68, 1968–69, 1969–70, 1970–71, and 1971–72.
 - (b) In each of these years what has been the total expenditure by the Authority on services for the mentally retarded, giving details of amounts spent on—(i) day training centres ; (ii) residential training centres ; and (iii) outpatient services.
2. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What Government departments (if any) deduct hospital benefit payments from the salaries or wages of employees.
- *3. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Who are the present members of the Dog Racing Control Board.
- *4. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What is the authorized and actual strength, respectively, of prison officers stationed at Fairlea Female Prison.
 - (b) What are the classifications, rates of pay, and conditions of employment for prison officers at the Prison.
 - (c) How many prisoners were at the Prison at 31st October, 1971, stating the number of long-term prisoners and the sentences they were serving.
- *5. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—On what dates were the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth annual reports of the Registrar of Co-operative Housing Societies for the years 1968–69 and 1969–70, respectively—(i) received by the Minister ; and (ii) tabled in Parliament.
- *6. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is the Government going to afford any relief for people affected by the recent floods, especially in areas where people have had to vacate their homes.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. TRIOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Have the Railways Commissioners authorized the drawing up of tender forms with the view of letting by tender advertising work now being done by the Advertising Division of the Railways Department ; if so, who authorized this action and why.
 - (b) Have any private advertising firms made tentative approaches to the Minister and/or to the Commissioners or their respective administrative officers displaying interest in obtaining such a tender ; if so—(i) who were the firms concerned ; and (ii) has any agreement been reached.

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

- *8. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) How many dentists are registered in Victoria.
 - (b) How many dentists have graduated in each of the past three years.
 - (c) How many dental students are in training, and at what stages.
 - (d) How many new dentists are expected to register in the next three years.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
3. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
4. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
5. ABORIGINAL LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
6. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
7. DOOR TO DOOR SALES BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
8. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).
9. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
10. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
11. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
12. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
13. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
14. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
15. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
16. WHEAT MARKETING BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).
17. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- *18. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
19. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
20. GIFT DUTY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Haddon Storey).
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.

10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—
To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).

WEDNESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. D. E. Kent*).
- *2. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. R. J. Eddy*).

G. N. H. GROSE,
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ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

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SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 18.

WEDNESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Have plans been finalized in connexion with the widening of the east side of Punt-road between Rout and Gough streets, Richmond ; if so, have such plans been approved and, in the event that they have, were the residents in the area affected served with notices of acquisition prior to the approval of the plans.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What action (if any) has the Commission of Public Health taken to stop the smells emanating from the meatworks digesters situated on the north side of Geelong-road, Brooklyn.
- *3. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What funds have been credited to the Trotting Division of the Race-courses Development Fund since its inception.
 - (b) What clubs have received moneys, stating the amount in each case.
 - (c) What clubs have been guaranteed funds, and over what periods.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- *2. BROTHERHOOD OF ST. LAURENCE (INCORPORATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *3. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- 4. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- 5. DOOR TO DOOR SALES BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 6. WHEAT MARKETING BILL—(Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).
- 7. GIFT DUTY BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—To be further considered in Committee.
- 8. ABORIGINAL LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 9. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- 10. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).
- 11. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- 12. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).

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13. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
14. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
15. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
16. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
17. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
18. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).
19. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
20. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
21. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
22. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
23. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
24. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Haddon Storey).
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- *13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 19.

THURSDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
- *2. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading.
3. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
4. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*
5. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).*
6. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).*
7. POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
8. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).*
9. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).*
10. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
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17. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
18. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*

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13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER.

Questions.

1. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Have plans been finalized in connexion with the widening of the east side of Punt-road between Rout and Gough streets, Richmond ; if so, have such plans been approved and, in the event that they have, were the residents in the area affected served with notices of acquisition prior to the approval of the plans.
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- *3. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many children are at present enrolled in State primary schools in Thomastown, Lalor and Epping.
 - (b) How many class-rooms at present accommodate them and how many children are in each room.
 - (c) What is the total enrolment at each of the schools for 1971.
 - (d) What plans are in hand for extending accommodation to cope with increased enrolments.
- *4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Have the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission officers completed their report on the proposals of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works regarding the Werribee water supply ; if so, will the Minister make copies of the report available to Honorable Members ; if not, when is it expected that the report will be available.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. BROTHERHOOD OF ST. LAURENCE (INCORPORATION) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. J. O'Connell*).
2. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. W. Galbally*).

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—
Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

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SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 18.

TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
 - Land Tax Act.*
 - Water Authorities Accident Insurance Act.*
 - Building Societies (Special Advances) Act.*
 - Juries (Compensation) Act.*
 - Coal Mines (Pensions Increase) Act.*
 - Exhibition (Borrowing Powers) Act.*
 - Sunday Entertainment (Cinematograph Films) Act.*
 - Apprenticeship (Amendment) Act.*
3. BROTHERHOOD OF ST. LAURENCE (INCORPORATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to dissolve St. Laurence Trust Proprietary Limited and St. Laurence Industries Pty. Limited, to establish a Body Corporate to be called the Brotherhood of St. Laurence, to vest certain Properties in such Body Corporate, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
4. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Instruments Act 1958’, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to ratify and approve an Agreement relating to certain Lands used for the Purposes of the Flinders Street Railway Station and certain other Lands used for Railway Purposes, and make other Provision in connexion with the said Agreement*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—Agreeing to the amendments made by the Council in the following Bills :—
 - Companies Bill.
 - Apprenticeship (Amendment) Bill.

7. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
 Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Radio Trade) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 240).
 Education—Report of the Council of Public Education for the year 1969–70.
 Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 105 to 107) (three papers).
 National Fitness Council—General report of activities, together with account of receipts and expenditure and balance-sheet, for the year 1970–71.
 National Gallery—Report of the Trustees for the year 1965–66.
 State Electricity Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.
 Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Moe Planning Scheme 1966—Amendment No. 26, 1970.
8. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION.—The Honorable A. J. Hunt, by leave, made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the development of Western Port.
 The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the Statement be taken into consideration on the next day of meeting.
 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
10. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
 Debate resumed.
 Question—put.
 The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 G. L. Chandler,
 V. O. Dickie,
 W. G. Fry,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade,
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 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins (*Teller*),
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 Haddon Storey (*Teller*),
 H. R. Ward.

Noes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 M. A. Clarke,
 B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
 R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot,
 J. W. Galbally,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight,
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell,
 G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Tripovich.

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

House in Committee.

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

WEDNESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

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

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

11. GIFT DUTY BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made some of the amendments suggested by the Council, and have made another of the said amendments with a modification, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,

Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 19.

WEDNESDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
 - Public Service Board—Report for the year 1970–71.
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Town of Stawell Planning Scheme 1963—Amendment No. 2, 1971.
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
4. WHEAT MARKETING BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
5. GIFT DUTY BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendments suggested by the Council which were made by the Assembly and an amendment suggested by the Council as modified and made by the Assembly, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill, including the amendments suggested by the Council and made by the Assembly and the amendment suggested by the Council and made by the Assembly with a modification, without amendment.
6. DOOR TO DOOR SALES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The Deputy-President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
7. WHEAT MARKETING BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the Deputy-President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable A. W. Knight having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
8. ABORIGINAL LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business; NO. 9, be postponed until later this day.

10. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN DISTRICT INCORPORATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
11. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Division 2. of Part VI. of the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958’ with respect to Preliminary Breath Tests and Breath Tests and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
12. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Railways Act 1958’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
13. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
14. BROTHERHOOD OF ST. LAURENCE (INCORPORATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable G. J. O’Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
16. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
17. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That the House do now adjourn.
- Debate ensued.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 20.

THURSDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PRESENTATION OF ADDRESS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The President reported that, accompanied by Honorable Members, he had, this day, waited upon His Excellency the Governor and had presented to him the Address of the Legislative Council, adopted on the 28th October last, in reply to His Excellency the Governor’s Speech at the Opening of Parliament, and that His Excellency the Governor had been pleased to make the following reply :—

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL :

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

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

3. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Landlord and Tenant Act 1958’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

4. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Land Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.

5. MEAT INDUSTRY COMMITTEE—LIVESTOCK SELLING.—The Honorable S. E. Gleeson brought up the Progress Report from the Meat Industry Committee upon Livestock Selling, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

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

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

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (Sheet Metal Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 242).

Apprenticeship (Tile Laying Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 241).

Audit Act 1958—Public Accounts and Stores (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 245).

Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Milk and Dairy Supervision (Further Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 243).

Workers Compensation Act 1958—Workers Compensation Board (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 244).

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 later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

Clause 4, omit this clause.

Title, omit “, County Court and Lands Tribunal ” and insert “ and County Court ”.

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

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

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

10. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 8 to 10 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

12. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. R. Mansell, for the Honorable R. W. May, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
13. RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
14. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (NEWPORT POWER STATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable A. K. Bradbury having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
15. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.
16. STATUTE LAW REVISION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same without amendment.
17. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make certain amendments in such Bill, have made the suggested amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.
18. JUDGES SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of the Members of the Legislative Council and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill, including the amendments made by the Assembly which were suggested by the Council, without amendment.
19. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day

No. 20.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Have plans been finalized in connexion with the widening of the east side of Punt-road between Rout and Gough streets, Richmond ; if so, have such plans been approved and, in the event that they have, were the residents in the area affected served with notices of acquisition prior to the approval of the plans.
2. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What funds have been credited to the Trotting Division of the Race-courses Development Fund since its inception.
 - (b) What clubs have received moneys, stating the amount in each case.
 - (c) What clubs have been guaranteed funds, and over what periods.
3. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many children are at present enrolled in State primary schools in Thomastown, Lalor and Epping.
 - (b) How many class-rooms at present accommodate them and how many children are in each room.
 - (c) What is the total enrolment at each of the schools for 1971.
 - (d) What plans are in hand for extending accommodation to cope with increased enrolments.
4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Have the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission officers completed their report on the proposals of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works regarding the Werribee water supply ; if so, will the Minister make copies of the report available to Honorable Members ; if not, when is it expected that the report will be available.
- *5. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) Has the Department of Health investigated the burning of waste oil in smoke pots by orchardists in the Goulburn Valley during periods of frost.
 - (b) Will the Department take action to control pollution from such smoke pots.
- *6. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What is the current pupil enrolment at each of the State primary, secondary, and technical schools within the Doutta Galla Province.
 - (b) In respect of each such school, what is—(i) the total number of teaching staff exclusive of those on special or extended leave ; and (ii) the total number of rooms provided for regular use as class-rooms.
- *7. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What is the annual cost of maintaining the railway turntable at Quambatook.
 - (b) What is the estimated cost of removing the turntable.
 - (c) Will removal involve the additional cost of an access road to the railway workers camp ; if so, how much will this cost.

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL—(*Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
- *2. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading.
3. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
4. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
5. WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
6. ESSENDON (RECREATION GROUND) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy)*.
7. BROTHERHOOD OF ST. LAURENCE (INCORPORATION) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
8. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
9. STATE FORESTS WORKS AND SERVICES BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. W. May)*.
10. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
11. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
12. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent)*.
13. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy)*.
14. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell)*.
15. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
16. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
17. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(*Hon. G. J. Nicol*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. C. A. M. Hider)*.
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Haddon Storey)*.
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson)*.
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—
Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 21.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the need for painting works to be undertaken at the Swan Hill Technical School—(i) when will tenders be called ; and (ii) what is the estimated time of commencement.
- *2. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What action does the Government intend to take concerning the inadequate water supply at present available at the Warrnambool East Primary School.
 (b) Is the Government aware that the supply is completely inadequate for the drinking and sanitation requirements of the school children and that fire-fighting water is non-existent.
- *3. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In each of the past six years—(i) how many hives of bees were registered ; (ii) what was the amount of registration fees paid ; (iii) how many commercial and non-commercial apiarists, respectively, were registered ; and (iv) how many cases of diseased hives were detected or reported.
- *4. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the inadequate water supply to the Yaapect Primary School and the fact that tenders were invited and accepted for the replacement of existing mains—(i) when will work on the project commence ; and (ii) what is the estimated time of completion.
- *5. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What are the conditions under which grants are made to racing clubs for developments.
 (b) Are clubs required to have prior approval of plans and specifications of proposed works.
 (c) Are such works subject to supervision and final approval ; if so, which department carries out such supervision.
- *6. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) Has he or the Government been requested by any grower organization to agree to a review of all basic wheat quotas in the State.
 (b) Is there an amount of wheat unaccounted for in the Victorian wheat system due to mistaken allocation of wheat quotas in certain instances at the introduction of quotas ; if so, what is the amount.
 (c) What amount of wheat was delivered into Victoria from South Australia and New South Wales during each year of the six-year averaging period ending in season 1968–69 upon which quotas were based.
- *7. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Further to Question No. 6 asked in this House on 9th November, 1971—(i) is it the intention of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works to close off other areas or roads in the Thomson River catchment area ; (ii) is he aware that a considerable portion of the Baw Baw plateau, a magnificent area of wilderness, falls within the catchment area ; (iii) in view of the Board's action in the Upper Yarra Valley, will bush walkers be excluded from this area also ; and (iv) does the Government intend to close off further areas of mountain country to the public, despite increasing demands for open space.
- *8. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When do the Education and Public Works Departments intend to do the renovating and painting which is so badly needed at the Burnley (No. 2853) and Richmond North (No. 2798) primary schools.

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- *9. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Tourism—Will he make money available for installing 30 power points at Port Fairy caravan park to promote tourism ; if not, why.
- *10. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) When is it proposed to call tenders for the additional section of the Leongatha Technical School provided for in the original plan.
 (b) Has consideration been given to a re-routing of the Welshpool-Leongatha school bus via Hazel Park to serve pupils residing along that route and attending the school ; if so, what was the decision.
- *11. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has approval been given for a grant to complete the Warrnambool Technical College in Caramut-road ; if so, when will the college be completed.
- *12. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What area of land (if any) has been set aside within the Shire of Werribee for a centre for the mentally retarded, stating the location and size of any such land.
- *13. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 (a) Does water from Donnelly's Weir flow into the Maroondah aqueduct.
 (b) Is the public permitted access to this weir ; if so, what precautions (if any) are taken to protect this water from human contamination.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

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

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *3. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
4. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
6. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—To be committed.
7. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
8. ROAD TRAFFIC (PENALTIES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
9. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
10. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).*
11. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
12. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).*
13. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
14. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
15. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).*
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Haddon Storey).*
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.

4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson)*.
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy)*.
2. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

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CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

- HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.
- LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.
- MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.
- PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.
- ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.
- STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.
- SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 22.

THURSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *2. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *3. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
4. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
5. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
6. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
7. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
8. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
9. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).
10. YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).
11. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
12. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Haddon Storey).
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

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

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER.

Questions.

1. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What are the conditions under which grants are made to racing clubs for developments.
 - (b) Are clubs required to have prior approval of plans and specifications of proposed works.
 - (c) Are such works subject to supervision and final approval ; if so, which department carries out such supervision.
2. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has he or the Government been requested by any grower organization to agree to a review of all basic wheat quotas in the State.
 - (b) Is there an amount of wheat unaccounted for in the Victorian wheat system due to mistaken allocation of wheat quotas in certain instances at the introduction of quotas ; if so, what is the amount.
 - (c) What amount of wheat was delivered into Victoria from South Australia and New South Wales during each year of the six-year averaging period ending in season 1968–69 upon which quotas were based.
3. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When do the Education and Public Works Departments intend to do the renovating and painting which is so badly needed at the Burnley (No. 2853) and Richmond North (No. 2798) primary schools.
4. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In each of the past six years—(i) how many hives of bees were registered ; (ii) what was the amount of registration fees paid ; (iii) how many commercial and non-commercial apiarists, respectively, were registered ; and (iv) how many cases of diseased hives were detected or reported.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Owing to the problem of the unusual growth of seaweed adjacent to the Altona beach, which causes a great accumulation on the beach with resultant stench and paint problems to house-owners in the area, will the Government provide extra financial assistance by way of a beach cleaning subsidy to the Altona City Council to help in easing the problem.
- *6. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—With the planning of a three-storey twelve-room building in the school grounds of the Fitzroy High School—(i) when is it envisaged that these works will commence ; (ii) how many portable class-rooms will be provided while the works are in progress ; and (iii) when is it anticipated that the re-painting of the interior of the main building will be carried out.
- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What action (if any) has or is being taken to stop the pollution of Stony Creek east of the Williamstown railway line.
 - (b) Have any prosecutions been launched or proceeded with against offenders.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Is the use of plastic flowers as memorials on graves prohibited at the New Melbourne Cemetery, Fawkner ; if so, why.
- *9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How does the Minister of Education reconcile the answers given to Questions Nos. 1 and 20 asked in this House on 29th September, 1971, with the answers given in a letter dated 8th October, 1971, to the Honorable Member for Sunshine.
- *10. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What action has been taken against the chemical company responsible for the obnoxious stench occurring in Altona on Friday, 19th November, 1971, which caused the principal of the Altona High School to dismiss the students from school for the rest of the day.
 - (b) Will the Environment Protection Authority or the Clean Air Section of the Department of Health take action to ensure that there is no repetition of the offence.
- *11. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—As the enrolment at the Fitzroy High School entitles the school to a third office assistant and a recommendation was made by the principal to the Education Department, when is it anticipated that a third office assistant will be appointed to this school.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
2. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

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SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 21.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor, informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the under-mentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Labour and Industry (Shop Trading Hours) Act.*
 - Gift Duty Act.*
 - Aboriginal Lands (Amendment) Act.*
 - Lutheran Church of Australia Victorian District Incorporation Act.*
 - Police Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Act.*
 - Railways (Amendment) Act.*
 - Statute Law Revision Act.*
 - State Electricity Commission (Newport Power Station) Act.*
 - Judges Salaries and Allowances Act.*
 - Magistrates' Courts Act.*
3. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Housing Act 1958’ and the ‘Co-operative Housing Societies Act 1958’*, and for other purposes” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958’* and for other purposes” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. MAGISTRATES' COURTS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made in such Bill by the Council.

6. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
- Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works—Statement of accounts, together with particulars of rates made, for the year 1970–71.
 - Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners—Balance-sheet and statement of accounts for the year 1969.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 108 to 113) (six papers).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Barrabool Planning Scheme 1966—Amendment No. 3, 1970.
 - City of Camberwell Planning Scheme 1954—Amendment No. 39, 1971.
 - Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962—Amendment No. 24, 1970.
 - Shire of Rochester (Wharparilla) Planning Scheme.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
8. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
9. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable R. J. Eddy moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
10. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again. Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
11. COMPANIES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Message from His Excellency the Governor, pursuant to the provisions of Section XXXVI. of The Constitution Act, recommending the following amendment which His Excellency desires to be made in this Bill, and acquainting the Council that the Assembly have agreed to such amendment, and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein :—
- Clause 19, paragraph (b), omit “(4)” and insert “(2)”.
- On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Council agreed to the amendment recommended by His Excellency the Governor and ordered that a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them therewith.
12. YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make Provision with respect to the Surrender to Her Majesty of certain Land in the Township of Yarragon and the Grant to the Corporation of the Shire of Narracan of certain other Land in that Township*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
13. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time. The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole on the next day of meeting. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

17. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 22.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. DENTISTS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to re-enact and amend the Law relating to Dentists and the Practice of Dentistry and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

3. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the Council shall meet for the despatch of business on Friday next, and that Eleven o'clock shall be the hour of meeting.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

4. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER NO. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak to the subject of “The dire threat to our parklands, the Yarra Valley and open areas, and the Government’s obstinate failure to preserve our heritage”; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O’Connell,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

Noes, 26.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.

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

Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Boronia—Certificate of the Minister of Education.

Railways—Report of the Railways Commissioners for the year 1970–71.

6. YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

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

7. MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

8. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “An Act to amend the ‘Labour and Industry Act 1958’” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 3 to 5 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

10. EVIDENCE (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

11. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, and had amended the title thereof, which amended title is as follows :—“ *An Act to increase certain Fees and Penalties in the ‘ Health Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Clean Air Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ”, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

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

12. PUBLIC AUTHORITIES (CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 26.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O’Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

15. GRAIN ELEVATORS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
16. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 9 and 10, be postponed until later this day.
17. FLINDERS STREET STATION AREA REDEVELOPMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
18. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Racing Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Lotteries Gaming and Betting Act 1966 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
19. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 23.

THURSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Land Act 1958 ’ and to make Provision with respect to Leases and Licences* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (No. 114).
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962—Amendment No. 29, 1970.
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 later this day.

5. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
6. BUNINYONG (RECREATION RESERVE) LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
7. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
8. MOTOR CAR (BREATH TESTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
9. HEALTH SERVICES (FEES AND PENALTIES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendments made in such Bill by the Council.
10. GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to provide a Rebate of Gift Duty in respect of certain Gifts of Stock Plant and Land used for Primary Production, to vary the Rates of Gift Duty and to amend the ‘ Gift Duty Act 1971 ’ and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
11. DENTISTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable K. S. Gross having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.

14. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.
15. **MELBOURNE HARBOR TRUST (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The Deputy-President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
16. **REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable K. S. Gross having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
17. **YARRAGON LANDS EXCHANGE BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable K. S. Gross having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
18. **LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable R. J. Eddy moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
19. **ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next at Two o'clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirteen minutes past Five o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next at Two o'clock.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 23.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What are the conditions under which grants are made to racing clubs for developments.
 - (b) Are clubs required to have prior approval of plans and specifications of proposed works.
 - (c) Are such works subject to supervision and final approval ; if so, which department carries out such supervision.
2. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Has he or the Government been requested by any grower organization to agree to a review of all basic wheat quotas in the State.
 - (b) Is there an amount of wheat unaccounted for in the Victorian wheat system due to mistaken allocation of wheat quotas in certain instances at the introduction of quotas ; if so, what is the amount.
 - (c) What amount of wheat was delivered into Victoria from South Australia and New South Wales during each year of the six-year averaging period ending in season 1968-69 upon which quotas were based.
3. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When do the Education and Public Works Departments intend to do the renovating and painting which is so badly needed at the Burnley (No. 2853) and Richmond North (No. 2798) primary schools.
4. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In each of the past six years—(i) how many hives of bees were registered ; (ii) what was the amount of registration fees paid ; (iii) how many commercial and non-commercial apiarists, respectively, were registered ; and (iv) how many cases of diseased hives were detected or reported.
5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Owing to the problem of the unusual growth of seaweed adjacent to the Altona beach, which causes a great accumulation on the beach with resultant stench and paint problems to house-owners in the area, will the Government provide extra financial assistance by way of a beach cleaning subsidy to the Altona City Council to help in easing the problem.
6. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—With the planning of a three-storey twelve-room building in the school grounds of the Fitzroy High School—(i) when is it envisaged that these works will commence ; (ii) how many portable class-rooms will be provided while the works are in progress ; and (iii) when is it anticipated that the re-painting of the interior of the main building will be carried out.
7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What action (if any) has or is being taken to stop the pollution of Stony Creek east of the Williamstown railway line.
 - (b) Have any prosecutions been launched or proceeded with against offenders.
8. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Is the use of plastic flowers as memorials on graves prohibited at the New Melbourne Cemetery, Fawkner ; if so, why.
9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How does the Minister of Education reconcile the answers given to Questions Nos. 1 and 20 asked in this House on 29th September, 1971, with the answers given in a letter dated 8th October, 1971, to the Honorable Member for Sunshine.

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10. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) What action has been taken against the chemical company responsible for the obnoxious stench occurring in Altona on Friday, 19th November, 1971, which caused the principal of the Altona High School to dismiss the students from school for the rest of the day.
 - (b) Will the Environment Protection Authority or the Clean Air Section of the Department of Health take action to ensure that there is no repetition of the offence.
11. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—As the enrolment at the Fitzroy High School entitles the school to a third office assistant and a recommendation was made by the principal to the Education Department, when is it anticipated that a third office assistant will be appointed to this school.
- *12. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the poor condition of exterior paintwork at the Swan Hill Primary School (No. 1142), and as the school first requested that painting be carried out in 1965 in order to be prepared for the school's centenary in March, 1972—(i) when will tenders be called for the exterior painting at the school ; and (ii) when will work commence.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—To be further considered in Committee.
2. HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
3. RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
4. LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
5. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- *6. GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *7. LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
8. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
9. LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGEES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Haddon Storey).
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

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TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

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MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

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ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 24.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What are the conditions under which grants are made to racing clubs for developments.
 - (b) Are clubs required to have prior approval of plans and specifications of proposed works.
 - (c) Are such works subject to supervision and final approval ; if so, which department carries out such supervision.
2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Owing to the problem of the unusual growth of seaweed adjacent to the Altona beach, which causes a great accumulation on the beach with resultant stench and paint problems to house-owners in the area, will the Government provide extra financial assistance by way of a beach cleaning subsidy to the Altona City Council to help in easing the problem.
- *3. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What funds were available to the Country Roads Board during the years 1969–70, 1970–71, and are available in 1971–72, in each division of the State and in the Port Phillip District.
 - (b) What was the work force in these years in each such area.
 - (c) How many men have been dismissed by the Board in each such area since 30th June, 1971.
- *4. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the fact that no Public Works Department inspector is at present based at Warracknabeal—(i) what are the Department's future plans for the Warracknabeal office ; and (ii) will it remain open with an inspector and staff, or will it be closed and the area served by an officer from another area.
- *5. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Is it the Government's intention to lease unselected land in the Heytesbury Settlement ; if so, to whom, and under what conditions.
- *6. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When is it anticipated that the promised re-painting of Glenroy Primary School (No. 3118) will be carried out.
- *7. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) How many housing societies have been formed in Portland.
 - (b) Is the Government aware of a further need in Portland owing to the population increase during the past five years.
 - (c) What does the Government intend to do about this matter.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of the Broadmeadows, Hadfield, Fawkner, Glenroy, Oak Park, Strathmore, Essendon, Buckley Park, Maribyrnong, Niddrie, Flemington, Flemington Girls, Brunswick, Princes Hill, University and Fitzroy high schools, and the Broadmeadows, Broadmeadows West, Fawkner, Glenroy, Essendon and Brunswick technical schools—(i) what number of prospective pupils are offering for 1972 intake at Form I. level ; (ii) what number of Form I. pupils have been allotted entry for the 1972 school year ; (iii) what was the maximum total attendance for 1971, and what is the total anticipated for 1972 ; and (iv) is there any indication of serious overcrowding at any of the schools ; if so, what action is proposed.
- *9. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Land Conservation Council started its investigation in Western Victoria ; if so, when does it expect to deliver its report.

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*10. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—

- (a) What was the value last financial year of the retail sales by the State Electricity Commission of electrical appliances and equipment to its employees and the general public, respectively.
- (b) What was the cost to the Commission of installation subsidies paid in relation to the above goods.
- (c) When is it proposed that the Commission will bring Victorian wiring regulations of 1961 and amendments of 1967 into conformity with rules formulated by the Standards Association of Australia.
- (d) Does the Commission agree with the ruling given by its Chief Electrical Inspector and circulated relating to ratings for switches and fuses used to control loads of constant maximum demand in excess of two hours.
- (e) Have electrical equipment and parts which have been approved by the State Electricity Commission Approvals Board been rejected as unsatisfactory by the State Electricity Commission Inspection Branch ; if so, does the Commission recompense the contractors for the loss sustained in replacing the rejected items.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. F. J. Granter).
2. GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *3. STAMPS (GIFTS AND SETTLEMENTS) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *4. SUPPLY (FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
5. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
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13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

THURSDAY, 2ND DECEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

- *1. EASTERN FREEWAY LANDS BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

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PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 25.

THURSDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1971.

Questions.

1. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What funds were available to the Country Roads Board during the years 1969–70, 1970–71, and are available in 1971–72, in each division of the State and in the Port Phillip District.
 - (b) What was the work force in these years in each such area.
 - (c) How many men have been dismissed by the Board in each such area since 30th June, 1971.
- *2. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What police personnel stationed at Ascot Vale, Moonee Ponds, Essendon, Glenroy, Broadmeadows, Keilor, Brunswick and Fawkner police stations are available for normal police duties.
 - (b) Are additional police provided to these stations for normal police duties during any period of the week.
3. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What was the value last financial year of the retail sales by the State Electricity Commission of electrical appliances and equipment to its employees and the general public, respectively.
 - (b) What was the cost to the Commission of installation subsidies paid in relation to the above goods.
 - (c) When is it proposed that the Commission will bring Victorian wiring regulations of 1961 and amendments of 1967 into conformity with rules formulated by the Standards Association of Australia.
 - (d) Does the Commission agree with the ruling given by its Chief Electrical Inspector and circulated relating to ratings for switches and fuses used to control loads of constant maximum demand in excess of two hours.
 - (e) Have electrical equipment and parts which have been approved by the State Electricity Commission Approvals Board been rejected as unsatisfactory by the State Electricity Commission Inspection Branch ; if so, does the Commission recompense the contractors for the loss sustained in replacing the rejected items.
- *4. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Have all the properties listed for acquisition by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for the construction of the eastern freeway been acquired ; if not, which properties are still subject to negotiation.
 - (b) What was the total number of homes, flats, and factories demolished.
 - (c) What is the total amount of compensation paid for these acquisitions.
- *5. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—How many premises are not sewered in the metropolitan area, stating the municipalities concerned.

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

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *3. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- *4. EASTERN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- *5. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. C. A. Mitchell).
6. EASTERN FREEWAY LANDS BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
7. SUPPLY (FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
8. DENTISTS BILL.—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
9. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL.—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL.—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Haddon Storey).
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL.—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL.—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL.—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL.—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 24.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. STAMPS (GIFTS AND SETTLEMENTS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Stamps Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Duty payable on Deeds of Settlement or Gift, to amend Section 10 of the ‘ Stamps Act 1971 ’ and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. EASTERN FREEWAY LANDS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to certain Lands in the Cities of Northcote, Kew and Camberwell* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—ARREST ON PRIVATE PROPERTY.—The Honorable J. M. Tripovich brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon the Arrest of Drunken Persons on Private Property, together with Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report to be printed.
5. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
 - Constitution Act Amendment Act 1958—Part IX.—
 - Statements of appointments and alterations of classification in the Departments of the Legislative Council, the Legislative Assembly, the Library, the Reporting Staff of the Victorian Parliamentary Debates, and the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee (five papers).
 - Statements of persons temporarily employed in the Departments of the Legislative Council, the Legislative Assembly, the Library, the Reporting Staff of the Victorian Parliamentary Debates, and the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly House Committee (five papers).
 - Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Templestowe—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
 - Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board—Report for the pool year ended 3rd July, 1971.
 - Estate Agents Act 1958—Estate Agents (Commission Amendment) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 256).
 - Films Act 1971—Films Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 253).
 - Forests Act 1958—Forests (Part I.—Fire Protection) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 250).
 - Health Act 1958—
 - Animal Food (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (No. 2) (S.R. No. 252).
 - Meat Transport Vehicles (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 247) .
 - Local Authorities Superannuation Act 1958—Local Authorities Superannuation Regulations 1971 (No. 11) (S.R. No. 248).
 - Local Government Act 1958—Local Government (Subdivision and Consolidation Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 246).
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1971 (No. 8) (S.R. No. 254).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Police (Authorized Strength No. 4) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 249).

Soil Conservation Authority—Report for the year 1970–71.

Superannuation Act 1958—Superannuation (Reserve Units) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 251).

Survey Co-ordination Act 1958—Place Names Committee (Members' Travelling Expenses) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 255).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

Barrabool Planning Scheme 1966—Amendment No. 10, 1971.

Lara Planning Scheme 1961—Amendment No. 6, 1971.

Victorian Inland Meat Authority—Report for the year ended 25th June, 1971.

6. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
7. **HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
8. **MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.**—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—
- Companies Act.*
Water (Amendment) Act.
Essendon (Recreation Ground) Land Act.
Brotherhood of St. Laurence (Incorporation) Act.
State Forests Works and Services Act.
Evidence (Boards and Commissions) Act.
Public Authorities (Contributions) (Amendment) Act.
Road Traffic (Penalties) Act.
Grain Elevators (Amendment) Act.
Flinders Street Station Area Redevelopment Act.
Buninyong (Recreation Reserve) Land Act.
Health Services (Fees and Penalties) Act.
Motor Car (Breath Tests) Act.
Instruments (Amendment) Act.
Melbourne Harbor Trust (Amendment) Act.
Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Act.
Yarragon Lands Exchange Act.
9. **SUPPLY (FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of Five million one hundred and five thousand three hundred and eighteen dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
10. **NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments, and desiring their concurrence therein.
11. **RACING (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment, and desiring their concurrence therein.

12. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.
13. **GIFT DUTY (RATES AND REBATES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
14. **LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
15. **SUPPLY (FINAL SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
16. **EASTERN FREEWAY LANDS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
17. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.
18. **LAND (SURRENDERS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
19. **LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
20. **STAMPS (GIFTS AND SETTLEMENTS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
21. **LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable H. R. Ward, for the Honorable F. J. Granter, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.

22. ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at Eleven o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 25.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. APPROPRIATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply a Sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the Service of the Year ending on the Thirtieth Day of June One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-two and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this and the last preceding Session of Parliament* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize Expenditure on Public Works and Services and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—PREROGATIVE WRITS.—The Honorable J. M. Tripovich brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon Prerogative Writs, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report and Appendix to be printed.
5. ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE—SPEED LIMITS.—The Honorable W. G. Fry brought up a Report from the Road Safety Committee upon Absolute Speed Limits, prima facie Speed Limits and Speed Zones, together with Extracts from the Proceedings of the Committee, Appendices, and Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table and the Report, Extracts from the Proceedings of the Committee and Appendices to be printed.
6. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE—HOUSING STANDARDS.—The Honorable K. S. Gross brought up a Report from the Subordinate Legislation Committee upon the Housing (Standard of Habitation) Regulations 1971, together with Minutes of Evidence.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
7. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Acting-Clerk :—
Health—Report of the Commission of Public Health for the year 1970–71.
Hospitals Superannuation Board—Report for the year 1970–71.
Housing Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.
8. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The Order of the day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

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

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.
 The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 M. A. Clarke,
 V. O. Dickie,
 B. P. Dunn,
 W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade,
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton,
 V. T. Hauser,
 C. A. M. Hider,
 W. V. Houghton,
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
 G. J. Nicol,
 Haddon Storey,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.
 The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot,
 D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
 A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
 G. J. O'Connell,
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Tripovich,
 J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

10. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—Agreeing to the amendments made by the Council in the following Bills :—

National Parks (Amendment) Bill.

Racing (Amendment) Bill.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

13. APPROPRIATION BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable A. W. Knight having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
14. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act 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 desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
15. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize Expenditure on Works and Services and other Purposes relating to Railways* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
16. EASTERN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize the Construction of a Line of Railway to connect the Railway from Melbourne to Clifton Hill with East Doncaster, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
17. PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable C. A. Mitchell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
18. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958 ’ and to repeal the ‘ Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1942 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
19. ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until to-morrow at Ten o’clock.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the Council at forty minutes past Seven o’clock, adjourned until to-morrow at Ten o’clock.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 26.

THURSDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1971.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to make Provision for the Registration of Teachers in State Schools, for the Establishment of Divisional Registration Boards and a Teacher Registration Council and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. BEES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to regulate the Keeping of Bees, to prevent the Spread of Disease amongst Bees and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

4. STATUTE LAW REVISION COMMITTEE—PRELIMINARY HEARINGS.—The Honorable J. M. Tripovich brought up a Report from the Statute Law Revision Committee upon Alternative Procedures in Preliminary Hearings, together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.

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

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

Consumer Protection Act 1970—Consumer Protection (Consumer Affairs Council Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 257).

Dandenong Valley Authority—Report and statement of accounts for the year ended 30th September, 1970.

Friendly Societies and Benefit Associations—Report of the Government Statist for the year 1968–69.

Lands—Report of the Department of Crown Lands and Survey for the year 1970–71.

Marine Act 1958—Amendment to Port Rule applicable to Westernport Harbor Services (Rates and Charges) (S.R. No. 258).

Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 115 to 117) (three papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment 'A', 1971.

Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962—Amendment No. 31, 1970.

6. EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the considerations of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

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

Debate resumed.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, as an amendment, That all the words after "That" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof "in view of the admissions made by the Honorable the Minister for Local Government to the effect that—

(i) freeway construction work already carried out in the Yarra Bend Park was illegal; and

(ii) such work should not have occurred within the Park without the permission of Parliament as sought in the Bill—

this House refuses to read this Bill a second time".

Debate ensued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. S. Grimwade (*Teller*),
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

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

House in Committee.

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

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

9. EASTERN RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
10. WATER SUPPLY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell, for the Honorable A. W. Knight, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
11. MILK AND DAIRY SUPERVISION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O'Connell, for the Honorable D. E. Kent, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
12. RAILWAY WORKS AND SERVICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
13. BEES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton, for the Honorable D. G. Elliot, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

17. EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend Sub-section (5) of Section 2 of the 'Educational Grants Act 1967' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

18. EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

Debate resumed.

The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, as an amendment, That all the words after "That" be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words "this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until the Bill has been referred to the Public Works Committee for examination and report and the Committee has reported thereon."

Debate ensued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 24.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
G. J. O'Connell,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 24.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider (*Teller*),
W. V. Houghton (*Teller*),
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
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I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

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

House in Committee.

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

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

21. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment—

- Wheat Marketing Bill.
- Public Works and State Development Committees Bill.
- Agricultural Colleges (Amendment) Bill.
- Chiropodists (Registration) Bill.
- Portland Harbor Trust (Amendment) Bill.
- Harbor Boards (Amendment) Bill.
- Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) Bill.
- Scaffolding (Amendment) Bill.
- Stock Diseases (Composite Licences) Bill.
- Justices (Civil Proceedings) Bill.
- Closer Settlement Bill.
- Summary Offences (Amendment) Bill.
- Sewerage Districts (Amendment) Bill.
- Evidence (Documents) Bill.
- Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts (Amendment) Bill.

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

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

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

Clause 10, lines 14–27, omit the words and expressions on these lines and insert—

“ 110. (1) Where any refuse rubbish earth or other matter or any dangerous inflammable corrosive or offensive liquid is put or is allowed to fall or flow into any part of the port the person who put that refuse rubbish earth matter or liquid into any part of the port or allowed it to fall or flow into any part of the port shall be guilty of an offence against this Act.

Penalty : \$5,000.

(2) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in section 106 where any refuse rubbish earth or other matter or any dangerous inflammable corrosive or offensive liquid is put or is allowed to fall or flow from a vessel into any part of the port and the offender cannot after inquiry and search be found the master of the vessel shall be deemed to be guilty of the offence and shall be liable to the penalty provided under sub-section (1).”

On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Council agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly and ordered that a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them therewith.

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

Hospitals and Charities Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.

Transport Regulation Board—Report for the year 1970–71.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

25. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment—

- Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents (Employment) Bill.
- Latrobe Valley (Amendment) Bill.
- Land (Surrenders) Bill.

26. EDUCATIONAL GRANTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, as an amendment, That all the words after “ That ” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof the words “ this Bill be withdrawn and redrafted to provide for the establishment of a Needs Commission to examine and determine the needs of schools and students in Government and non-Government primary schools and to recommend to the Government of Victoria on a continuous public basis, the level of expenditure necessary to meet the requirements of Victoria’s primary school children on the basis of needs and priorities, educational experimentation and regionalization.”

Debate ensued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
G. J. O'Connell,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

27. MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—Agreeing to the Poisons (Amendment) Bill without amendment.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

29. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—

Agreeing to the Hire-Purchase (Form) Bill without amendment.

Agreeing to the amendment made by the Council in the Eastern Railway Construction Bill.

30. EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

32. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- And then the Council, at nineteen minutes past Eleven o'clock, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 26.

TUESDAY, 29TH FEBRUARY, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What funds were available to the Country Roads Board during the years 1969–70, 1970–71, and are available in 1971–72, in each division of the State and in the Port Phillip District.
 - (b) What was the work force in these years in each such area.
 - (c) How many men have been dismissed by the Board in each such area since 30th June, 1971.
2. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Have all the properties listed for acquisition by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for the construction of the eastern freeway been acquired ; if not, which properties are still subject to negotiation.
 - (b) What was the total number of homes, flats, and factories demolished.
 - (c) What is the total amount of compensation paid for these acquisitions.
3. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—How many premises are not sewered in the metropolitan area, stating the municipalities concerned.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. DENTISTS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(*Hon. G. J. Nicol*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).*
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. Haddon Storey).*
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).*
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*

7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).
13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.
 LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 27.

TUESDAY, 29TH FEBRUARY, 1972.

1. The Council met in accordance with adjournment, the President, pursuant to resolution, having fixed this day at half-past Four o'clock as the time of meeting.

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

3. MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable Murray Byrne presented Messages from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council—

That he had, on the dates mentioned hereunder, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council for and in the absence of the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—

On the 7th December, 1971—

Gift Duty (Rates and Rebates) Act.

Stamps (Gifts and Settlements) Act.

Eastern Freeway Lands Act.

Land (Surrenders) Act.

On the 14th December, 1971—

Housing (Amendment) Act.

Land (Amendment) Act.

Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act.

Racing (Amendment) Act.

National Parks (Amendment) Act.

Labour and Industry (Amendment) Act.

Public Works and Services Act.

Wheat Marketing Act.

Public Works and State Development Committees Act.

Water Supply Works and Services Act.

Bees Act.

Agricultural Colleges (Amendment) Act.

Chiropodists (Registration) Act.

Portland Harbor Trust (Amendment) Act.

Harbor Boards (Amendment) Act.

Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) Act.

Scaffolding (Amendment) Act.

Stock Diseases (Composite Licences) Act.

Justices (Civil Proceedings) Act.

Closer Settlement Act.

Summary Offences (Amendment) Act.

Sewerage Districts (Amendment) Act.

Evidence (Documents) Act.

Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts (Amendment) Act.

Farm Produce Merchants and Commission Agents (Employment) Act.

Latrobe Valley (Amendment) Act.

Hire-Purchase (Form) Act.

Poisons (Amendment) Act.

Geelong Harbor Trust (Amendment) Act.

Eastern Railway Construction Act.

Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment) Act.

Educational Grants (Amendment) Act.

Railway Works and Services Act.

Education (Teacher Registration) Act.

Supply (Final Supplementary Estimates) Act.

That he had, on the 14th December, 1971, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Honorable the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, viz. :—
Appropriation Act.

4. **ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Adoption of Children Act 1964*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. **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 for the year 1970–71.
- Apprenticeship Act 1958—
- Apprenticeship (Boilermaking Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 31).
 - Apprenticeship (Cooking Trade) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 275/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Dry Cleaning Trade) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 273/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Electrical Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 29).
 - Apprenticeship (Electroplating Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 25).
 - Apprenticeship (Engineering Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 32).
 - Apprenticeship (Furniture Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 294/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Garment Cutting Trade) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 295/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Instrument Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 26).
 - Apprenticeship (Modular Courses No. 3) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 272/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Modular Courses Nos. 4 and 5) Regulations 1972 (S.R. Nos. 36 and 37) (two papers).
 - Apprenticeship (Motor Mechanics Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 27).
 - Apprenticeship (Painting Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 293/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Pastrycooking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 11).
 - Apprenticeship (Patternmaking Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 24).
 - Apprenticeship (Printing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 265/1971).
 - Apprenticeship (Sheet Metal Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 30).
 - Apprenticeship (Vehicle Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 28).
 - Apprenticeship (Waiting Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 276/1971).
- Architects Act 1958—Architects Registration Board (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 301/1971).
- Business Names Act 1962—Business Names (Fees) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 266/1971).
- Companies Act 1961—Companies (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 297/1971).
- Consumer Affairs Council—Report for the year 1970–71.
- Country Fire Authority Act 1958—
- Country Fire Authority (Permits) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 277/1971).
 - Country Fire Authority (Permits) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 41).
- County Court Act 1958—County Court (Costs) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 8/1972).
- Discharged Servicemen's Preference Act 1943—Salaries Regulations (S.R. No. 9).
- Education—Report of the Minister for the year 1969–70.
- Education Act 1958—
- Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 7).
 - Adult Education (Salaries) Regulations 1972, Nos. 2, 3 and 4 (S.R. Nos. 16, 34 and 39) (three papers).
- Educational Grants Act 1967—Educational Grants Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 286/1971).
- Fisheries Act 1968—
- Fisheries (Abalone Fishing) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 23).
 - Fishing (Commercial Fisheries Council) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 261/1971).
 - Fishing (General) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 262/1971).
- Forests Act 1958—Forests (Part V.—Timber Promotion) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 264/1971).
- Gas and Fuel—Report of the Gas and Fuel Corporation for the year 1970–71.
- Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (Relating to Control of Weighbridges) No. 15 (S.R. No. 296/1971).
- Hairdressers Registration Act 1958—Hairdressers Registration (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 270/1971).
- Health Act 1958—
- Food and Drug Standards (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 38).
 - Household Insecticides (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 40).
 - Labelling of Hazardous Household Substances Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 2).
 - Labelling of Hazardous Household Substances Regulations 1972 (No. 1) (S.R. No. 12).
 - Night-soil and Sewage (Contamination of Land) Amendment Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 19).
 - Swimming Pools (Water Purification) Amendment Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 283/1971).
- Insurance—Report, balance-sheets and statements of accounts of the State Accident Insurance Office and State Motor Car Insurance Office for the year 1970–71.
- La Trobe University—Report of the Council, together with Statutes approved by the Governor in Council, for the year 1970 (thirteen papers).
- Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Solicitors' (Professional Conduct and Practice) Rules 1971.
- Local Government Act 1958—Local Government (Municipal Clerks Board) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 20).

- Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—The Oats Marketing Board (Exemption) (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 33).**
- Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Melbourne Harbor Trust Regulations (Amendments No. 4/71) (S.R. No. 278/1971).**
- Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Medical Positions and Salaries) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 5).**
- Mental Health Authority—Report for the year 1970.**
- Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades (Loan No. 20) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 13).**
- Mildura Irrigation and Water Trusts Act 1958—First Mildura Irrigation Trust (Commissioners' Fees and Travelling Expenses) (Further Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 269/1971).**
- Milk Board Act 1958—Milk Board (Prescribed Classes of Premises) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 4).**
- Monash University—Report of the Council, together with Statutes approved by the Governor in Council, for the year 1970 (six papers).**
- Motor Car Act 1958—**
 Motor Car (Design Rules Nos. 1 and 2) Regulations 1971 (S.R. Nos. 300 and 299/1971) (two papers).
 Motor Car (Interim Label) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 42).
 Motor Car (Modification) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 289/1971).
- National Gallery—Reports of the Trustees, together with statements of income and expenditure, for the years 1966–67 and 1967–68 (two papers).**
- National Parks—Report of the Director for the year 1970–71.**
- National Parks Authority—Report for the year 1969–70.**
- Nurses Act 1958—Midwives (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 18/1972).**
- Pipelines Act 1967—Pipelines (Construction and Operation) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 282/1971).**
- Poisons Act 1962—**
 Proclamations amending certain Schedules to the Act (two papers).
 Special Poisons (Levodopa) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 21).
- Police Regulation Act 1958—**
 Determinations Nos. 179 to 183 of the Police Service Board (five papers).
 Police (Age of Entry of Policewomen) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 281/1971).
 Police (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 280/1971).
 Police (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 15).
 Police (Married Women) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 298/1971).
 Police (Renaming of Police Depot) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 22).
- Portland Harbor Trust—Balance-sheets and statement of accounts for the year 1970–71.**
- Portland Harbor Trust Act 1958—Portland Harbor Trust Commissioners (Amendment No. 20) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 302/1971).**
- Protection of Animals Act 1966—**
 Protection of Animals (Experiments) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 268/1971).
 Protection of Animals (Rodeos) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 267/1971).
- Psychological Practices Act 1965—Psychologists Registration Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 43/1972).**
- Public Service Act 1958—Regulations amended—**
 Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 284/1971).
 Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations (Nos. 118 to 190) (seventy-three papers).
- Railways—Reports of the Railways Commissioners for the quarters ended 30th September, 1971 and 31st December, 1971 (two papers).**
- Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Absolute Speed Limit) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 285/1971).**
- Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemptions Nos. 14, 16 and 17) Regulations 1971 (S.R. Nos. 271, 290 and 292/1971) (three papers).**
- Securities Industry Act 1970—Securities Industry (Exemption) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 6).**
- State Savings Bank Act 1958—State Savings Bank (Amendment No. 10) General Orders 1971 (S.R. No. 1/1972).**
- Stamps Act 1958—**
 Stamps (Further Exemptions) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 288/1971).
 Stamps Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 287/1971).
- Stock Diseases Act 1968—Stock Diseases Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 3).**
- Sunday Entertainment Act 1967—Sunday Entertainment (Amendment) Regulations 1971 (S.R. 291/1971).**
- Superannuation—Report of the State Superannuation Board for the year 1969–70.**
- Superannuation Act 1958—Superannuation (Table B) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 35).**
- Supreme Court Act 1958—**
 Supreme Court (Certificate of Readiness) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 259/1971).
 Supreme Court (Investment of Money in Court) Rules 1971 (S.R. No. 260/1971).
- Teaching Service Act 1958—Regulations amended—**
 Teaching Service (Classification, Salaries and Allowances) Regulations.
 Teaching Service (Teachers Tribunal) Regulations (eight papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

- Barrabool Planning Scheme 1966—Amendments Nos. 8 and 9 (two papers).
- City of Ararat Planning Scheme 1953—Amendment No. 12, 1970.
- City of Echuca Planning Scheme, with maps (two papers).
- City of Frankston Planning Scheme.
- City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965—Amendments No. 84, 1970, and Nos. 80, 81, 87 and 89, 1971 (five papers).
- City of Mildura Planning Scheme, with map (two papers).
- City of Moe Planning Scheme 1966—Amendment No. 30, 1971.
- City of Shepparton Planning Scheme 1953—Amendment No. 21, 1970.
- Eildon Reservoir Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 7, 1969 (Shire of Mansfield).
- Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 15, 1970 (City of Geelong).
- Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955—Amendment No. 11, 1969 (Shire of Barrabool).
- Shire of Flinders Planning Scheme 1962—Amendments No. 13, 1968, Nos. 28 and 32, 1970, and No. 34, 1971 (four papers).
- Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965—Amendments No. 35, 1970, and Nos. 38 and 40, 1971 (three papers).
- Valuation of Land Act 1960—Valuation of Land (Fees for Valuations) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 10/1972).
- Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965—
 - Statute 8.1.4—Degree of Master of Engineering and other Degrees (S.R. No. 17).
 - Statute 9.1—Fees (S.R. No. 279/1971).
- Victoria Law Foundation—Report for the year ended 30th September, 1971.
- Victorian Inland Meat Authority Act 1958—Statement of guarantee given to the Reserve Bank of Australia by the Treasurer of Victoria.
- Water Supply—Report of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission for the year 1970–71.
- Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 8) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 263/1971).
- Wire Netting Act 1958—Wire Netting Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 274/1971).
- Zoological Gardens Act 1967—Zoological Gardens (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 14).

6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered, after debate—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
7. ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
8. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole on Tuesday next.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
9. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, that the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 27.

TUESDAY, 7TH MARCH, 1972.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—As the Department of Crown Lands and Survey is building a residence for its inspector in Portland, will a telephone be connected, as requested by the landholders in the area ; if not, why.
- *2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Has the report by the Interim Committee on Environment Study Council of Victoria been completed ; if not, when is it expected to be completed.
- *3. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) Is he aware that the sickly odour which frequently emanates from the Cowderoy-street drain at St. Kilda West is now, even more frequently, upsetting local residents and persuading motorists driving along Beaconsfield-parade in the region of the drain to greatly increase speed in order to escape the proboscis-punishment inflicted on them.
- (b) Is he aware that a similar stench now exists between Brooks Jetty (near Luna Park) and Dickens-street, caused by interference to natural tide flows by the St. Kilda Marina.
- (c) Will he make arrangements for the Government, through the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, to regularly supervise and clean these two precious recreational areas.
- *4. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What plans (if any) have been made to improve the accommodation at the Warrnambool police headquarters, where there has been an increase in the number of personnel.
- (b) If plans are in hand, will provision be made to facilitate car registration by also making off-street parking areas available.
- *5. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) Further to the answer given to Question No. 3 asked in this House on 14th September, 1971, what action has been taken to stop the pollution of the underground aquifers in the western suburbs.
- (b) Where are these aquifers located.
- (c) Who are the polluters, and how much damage to the environment has been caused or is likely to be caused by their actions.
- *6. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) When were the penalty clauses in relation to the building time of any school invoked by his Department.
- (b) Are there any penalty clauses in regard to the completion date of Lalor Technical School ; if so, what are the details of those clauses.
- *7. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In respect of the various municipalities in the Northern Province, will he supply details of—(i) the amounts of unemployment relief funds applied for ; (ii) the amounts already made available ; and (iii) the dates and amounts of further such funds.
- *8. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Tourism—
- (a) How many Victorian Government tourist bureaux are in Victoria, other States, and New Zealand, respectively.
- (b) Where are these bureaux located, and what personnel are engaged at each location.

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

- *9. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When is it anticipated that the promised portable class-room will be delivered on site at Ensay Primary School.
- *10. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) How many quarries are operating with a permit under the *Extractive Industries Act 1966*.
 (b) Why have licences not been issued, and what is the cause of the delay.
- *11. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) In view of the acute shortage of teaching staff at the Kerang High School, will the Minister of Education take immediate steps to ensure that the school is staffed on its true basis as a comprehensive school and with due regard to the special claims of the technical components.
 (b) When will a librarian be appointed to this school.
- *12. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 (a) What action is being taken to stop pollutants entering that part of the Maribyrnong river on the east side of the river between Dynon and Footscray roads.
 (b) Who is responsible for the pollution.
 (c) What authority is responsible for policing the channel.
- *13. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What progress has been made with the acquisition of a house for the principal of the Lake Charm Primary School.
- *14. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What action is being taken, and by which authority, to stop the pollution occurring in the channel which runs parallel to Dynon-road on the south side.
- *15. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 (a) What finance has been contributed to the Level Crossings Fund in each of the past five years by—(i) the Railways Department ; (ii) the Country Roads Board ; and (iii) the Treasury.
 (b) How many level crossings have been fitted with warning devices in each of these years, giving details of the type of devices installed.
- *16. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What are the current elector enrolments for the Legislative Council Provinces and the Legislative Assembly Districts.
- *17. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—How many applications have been received and how many applicants have been assisted under the *States Grants (Rural Reconstruction) Act 1971* in each of the following categories—(i) debt reconstruction ; (ii) farm build-up ; and (iii) rehabilitation.
- *18. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of increased enrolments and consequent overcrowding at the Cohuna High School, will the Minister of Education give urgent attention to the provision of additional class-room accommodation and also advise what emergency measures are being planned and executed by the Education Department.
- *19. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has any further consideration been given to the erection of an overpass at The Boulevard, Richmond, for the use and safety of pupils attending the Richmond High School.
- *20. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 (a) Is he aware of the primitive conditions under which fruit fly inspectors work in the Mildura-Merbein area ; if so, what is going to be done to improve conditions.
 (b) Is he aware that two almost-indistinguishable inspection posts are manned for only eight hours daily, in spite of discoveries of fruit fly at Broken Hill and in South Australia ; if so, what action is proposed in this matter.
- *21. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the fact that the Country Roads Board has taken over the maintenance of The Boulevard at Richmond, will he give consideration to the reconstruction of the footpath on the Richmond High School side.
- *22. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) How many periods, at each form level, are not covered by teachers for mathematics, science, and geography, respectively, at each of the following high schools:— Broadmeadows, Brunswick, Brunswick Girls, Buckley Park, Essendon, Fawkner, Flemington, Flemington Girls, Fitzroy, Glenroy, Lalor, Hadfield, Maribyrnong, Oak Park, Princes Hill, Strathmore, Thomastown West, University and Upfield.
 (b) What is the actual shortage of teachers at each of these high schools, on the basis of an allotment of 28 periods a week.
 (c) Are the subjects of mathematics, science, and geography being taught at higher school certificate level at all of these schools ; if not, what alternative provisions are being made.

- *23. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- How many level crossing accidents have occurred in Victoria in each of the past five years.
 - How many of these accidents involved loss of life.
 - How many level crossing accidents have occurred on the Echuca-Toolamba line in each of those years.
- *24. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Does the Education Department intend to institute a course of sex instruction in schools ; if so, when is it proposed to commence the instruction, to what age groups, and in what type of schools.
- *25. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- What number of student doctors are at present undergoing training in Victoria.
 - What is the estimated number of students who will successfully complete their studies and take up practice in Victoria in each of the next five years.
 - In any one year, in Victoria, what is the total number of vacancies becoming available to those wishing to undergo studies to become a doctor.
- *26. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- Has Colgate-Palmolive Pty. Limited recently purchased three thousand acres on the River Murray in the Nangiloc-Colignan area ; if so—(i) has it been granted a water right, and for what area ; and (ii) what crops does it plan to grow.
 - What are the names of individuals or companies with thirty acres or more in the Nangiloc-Colignan area, and what is the size of each holding.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—To be committed.
- ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- INFORMATION STORAGE BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).
- REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. Haddon Storey).
- WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).
- VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
- ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
- STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
- THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
- RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).
- MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

ORDER OF THE DAY—

1. DENISE BILL—(From Assembly—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
A. M. Tripovich

2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(From A. A. Smith—To be considered.)

3. BILL OF RESOLUTION ON CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL—(From A. A. Smith—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
A. M. Tripovich

ORDER OF THE DAY—

1. INFORMATION SERVICES BILL—(From G. A. Wilson—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
G. A. M. Wilson

2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(From J. H. Mitchell—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
(From Motion 2000)

3. WAGES (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)

4. TRADES (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
A. M. Tripovich

5. VARIATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
A. M. Tripovich

6. BILL OF RESOLUTION ON GOVERNMENT PRINTING BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
A. M. Tripovich

7. BILL OF RESOLUTION ON GOVERNMENT PRINTING BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
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8. BILL OF RESOLUTION ON GOVERNMENT PRINTING BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
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9. BILL OF RESOLUTION ON GOVERNMENT PRINTING BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
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10. BILL OF RESOLUTION ON GOVERNMENT PRINTING BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
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11. BILL OF RESOLUTION ON GOVERNMENT PRINTING BILL—(From A. M. Tripovich—Second Reading—Assembly of 1948.)
A. M. Tripovich

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 7TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER No. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak to the subject of "The grave and continuing deterioration of the Victorian legal system"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
 J. W. Galbally,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight,
 G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
 H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
 J. M. Tripovich,
 J. M. Walton.

Noes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
 G. L. Chandler,
 M. A. Clarke,
 V. O. Dickie,
 B. P. Dunn,
 W. G. Fry,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade,
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton,
 V. T. Hauser,
 C. A. M. Hider,
 W. V. Houghton,
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell,
 G. J. Nicol,
 Haddon Storey,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.

3. NEWMARKET SHEEP SALES (REPEAL) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to repeal the *Newmarket Sheep Sales Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. PAPER.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That there be laid before this House the Report of a Committee of the Law Council of Australia to the Attorney-General for the State of Victoria on Fair Consumer Credit Laws.
 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 The said Report was thereupon presented by the Honorable G. L. Chandler and ordered to lie on the Table.

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 1970–71.

Apprenticeship Act 1958—

Apprenticeship (General) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 47).

Apprenticeship (Watch Making Trade) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 44).

Evidence Act 1958—Court Reporting (Fees) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 45).

Metropolitan Fire Brigades Act 1958—Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board Superannuation Regulations No. 2, 1972 (S.R. No. 53).

Milk and Dairy Supervision Act 1958—Milk and Dairy Supervision (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 46).

Motor Boating Act 1961—

Motor Boating (Lake Buffalo) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 48).

Motor Boating (Phillip Island Speed Restrictions) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 49).

Police Regulation Act 1958—

Police (Age) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 50).

Police (Authorised Strength No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 51).

Public Service Act 1958—Regulations amended—

Public Service (Governor in Council) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 54).

Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations (Nos. 191 to 193) (three papers).

Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (“ L ” Plates) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 52).

Rural Finance and Settlement Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.

Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 55).

Teachers Tribunal—Reports for the years 1968–69 and 1969–70 (two papers).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

Shire of Bulla Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 16, 1971.

Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 72, 1971.

Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965—Amendment No. 48, 1971.

6. NEWMARKET SHEEP SALES (REPEAL) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable J. M. Walton, for the Honorable D. G. Elliot, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.

8. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order, committed to a Committee of the whole House in Committee.

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

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

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 28.

TUESDAY, 14TH MARCH, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What action is being taken to stop pollutants entering that part of the Maribyrnong river on the east side of the river between Dynon and Footscray roads.
 - (b) Who is responsible for the pollution.
 - (c) What authority is responsible for policing the channel.
2. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has any further consideration been given to the erection of an overpass at The Boulevard, Richmond, for the use and safety of pupils attending the Richmond High School.
3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What action is being taken, and by which authority, to stop the pollution occurring in the channel which runs parallel to Dynon-road on the south side.
4. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the fact that the Country Roads Board has taken over the maintenance of The Boulevard at Richmond, will he give consideration to the reconstruction of the footpath on the Richmond High School side.
5. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many periods, at each form level, are not covered by teachers for mathematics, science, and geography, respectively, at each of the following high schools:— Broadmeadows, Brunswick, Brunswick Girls, Buckley Park, Essendon, Fawkner, Flemington, Flemington Girls, Fitzroy, Glenroy, Lalor, Hadfield, Maribyrnong, Oak Park, Princes Hill, Strathmore, Thomastown West, University and Upfield.
 - (b) What is the actual shortage of teachers at each of these high schools, on the basis of an allotment of 28 periods a week.
 - (c) Are the subjects of mathematics, science, and geography being taught at higher school certificate level at all of these schools ; if not, what alternative provisions are being made.
6. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) How many level crossing accidents have occurred in Victoria in each of the past five years.
 - (b) How many of these accidents involved loss of life.
 - (c) How many level crossing accidents have occurred on the Echuca-Toolamba line in each of those years.
- *7. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What Victorian railway passenger lines are running at a profit.
 - (b) Is consideration being given to discontinuing any of the services which operate at a loss.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Has an estimate of costs been established for the reclamation and improvement of the Stony creek estuary, east of the Williamstown railway line to the Yarra river.
- *9. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has a decision been made to establish a new primary school on a new site at Rochester ; if so, when is the school likely to be built.

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

- *10. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) Is the Government aware of the hardship caused in rural townships by the closure of public facilities such as police stations.
 - (b) Is the police station at Allansford to be closed.
- *11. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the Housing Commission decided to accept the 103 acres of the Paisley briquette depot for future housing.
- *12. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Will he ascertain and inform the House the number of unemployed registered at the Commonwealth employment office, Richmond, and the number receiving unemployment benefits at that office.
- *13. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has a decision been made to publish results of soil surveys in the Kerang-Cohuna area and to reprint surveys of the Shepparton and Murray Valley areas ; if so, when will these publications be available.
- *14. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the newly-announced requirement that students from technical schools must complete seven years of secondary education before being eligible to enter primary teachers colleges, whilst students from high schools need complete only six years, of the students entering primary teachers colleges in each of the years 1966, 1967, 1968 and 1969—(i) how many came from the technical school system, and how many of these successfully completed the course of primary teacher training ; and (ii) how many came from the high or public schools systems, and how many of these successfully completed the course of primary teacher training.
- *15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—When is it proposed that the problems of drainage on the area of land under the control of the Department of Crown Lands and Survey, between the Melbourne-Williamstown railway line and Hyde-street, will be attended to, so that the area can be placed under the Footscray and Williamstown City Councils for development for recreational purposes.
- *16. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Concerning the reconstruction of the Strathmore railway station—(i) when was this planned and when was work completed ; (ii) has an official opening been planned for the newly-reconstructed station ; if so, what date has been fixed ; (iii) will the Minister of Transport or the Railways Commissioners be responsible for the organization of the opening ceremony ; and (iv) will all Members of this Parliament representing the area be invited to attend.
- *17. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of the Geelong-road, Footscray (253), Argyle-street, West Footscray (3890), Hyde-street, Footscray (1912), Francis-street, Yarraville (1501), Rosamond-road, North Footscray (4160), and Elizabeth-street, Newport (113) primary schools, what is the proportion of foreign language-speaking migrant school children to English-speaking children.
- *18. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) How many applications for areas of land have been received and how many are held up pending a report from the Land Utilization Advisory Council.
 - (b) When were the first applications received, and were survey and other charges requested and paid ; if so—(i) what amount of fees are currently held by the Government ; and (ii) is interest on money held being credited to the applicants.
 - (c) How many applicants have died since paying fees, and in how many such cases have refunds been made.
- *19. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of the Footscray, Altona North, Footscray Girls and Maribyrnong high schools, and the Hyde-street, Footscray (1912), Geelong-road, Footscray (253), Argyle-street, Footscray (3890), Francis-street, Yarraville (1501) and the Rosamond-road, North Footscray (4160) primary schools, how many teachers conduct withdrawal classes for non-English-speaking migrant children.
- *20. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Has the proposal for a water storage on the Avoca river, in the vicinity of Amphitheatre, been investigated by the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission ; if so, what are the results of the investigation.
- *21. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What research is being carried out into the breeding of Murray cod and golden and silver perch.
- *22. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) How many payments from the Cattle Compensation Fund were made during each of the past five years to farmers and others, respectively.
 - (b) What amounts were involved in each of these categories.
 - (c) What was the average period of delay in payment of claims between making application and receipt of payment from the Fund.

- *23. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What progress has been made with the proposals for a new police office in Pyramid Hill.
 (b) Is the existing propped-up building considered safe for use by the public and the police.
- *24. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What amounts of money have been made available to municipalities within a radius of twenty miles of Melbourne to relieve unemployment staving, in each case, the amount granted and the municipality.
- *25. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will the Minister of Education lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the proposed removal of the Gonn Crossing school to the Murrabit Group school.
- *26. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) Is the Minister of Education aware of the lack of toilet facilities at Flemington Primary School No. 250, and that 22 members of the female staff have only one toilet for their use.
 (b) Will the Minister take action to rectify this situation.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—To be further considered in Committee.
- *2. NEWMARKET SHEEP SALES (REPEAL) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
3. ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
4. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

General Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the Stabilization of the Egg Industry, and for Purposes connected therewith.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. C. A. M. Hider).
2. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. Haddon Storey).
3. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
4. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).
5. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
7. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
8. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
9. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
10. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
11. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
12. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
13. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

 LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

 No. 29.

TUESDAY, 14TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Disposal of Uncollected Goods Act 1961 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ National Art Gallery and Cultural Centre Act 1956 ’ and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to make Provision with respect to the Rates to be Levied by the President Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Hastings on certain Land in the said Shire and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.
The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill except in relation to the payment of fees.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable A. J. Hunt produced a receipt showing that the sum of \$200 had been paid into the Treasury for the public uses of the State and moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
5. SEAMEN’S (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Seamen’s Act 1958 ’ with respect to Seamen of Foreign Vessels* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. LAND (GREYHOUND RACING) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 222A of the ‘ Land Act 1958 ’ to enable Trustees and Committees of Management of Reserved Lands to grant Leases for the Purposes of Greyhound Racing or Purposes connected therewith* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. MELBOURNE LAND (ROYAL MELBOURNE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to certain Lands in the City of Melbourne* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

8. EGG INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable D. E. Kent, leave was given to bring in a Bill to provide for the Stabilization of the Egg Industry, and for Purposes connected therewith, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
9. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
- Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (Gippsland Folk Museum) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 56).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—The Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board (Registration of Producers) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 58).
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Charges for Quarters, Board, Allowances) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 59).
 - Motor Boating Act 1961—Motor Boating (Curdies River and Curdies Inlet) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 60).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended... (No. 194).
 - Road Traffic Act 1958—Road Traffic (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 61).
 - Stock Diseases Act 1968—Stock Diseases (Composite Licences) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 57).
 - Supreme Court Act 1958—Administration and Probate Act 1958—Supreme Court (Probate) Rules 1972 (S.R. No. 62).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965—Amendment No. 83, 1970.
 - Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 59, 1970.
10. SEAMEN'S (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until later this day.
12. ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
13. NEWMARKET SHEEP SALES (REPEAL) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time.
- The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole on Tuesday next.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
14. MELBOURNE LAND (ROYAL MELBOURNE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
15. CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to amend the 'Crimes Act 1958' with respect to Powers of Arrest and for Purposes connected therewith*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
16. LAND (GREYHOUND RACING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable G. J. O'Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

17. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL.—That Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
18. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable R. J. Eddy moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
19. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time, after debate, and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
20. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 29.

TUESDAY, 21ST MARCH, 1972.

Questions.

- *1. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the poor condition of the primary school residence at Beulah and the fact that it was condemned on 4th June, 1969, when will another residence be provided by the Teacher Housing Authority.
- *2. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is it proposed to set up regional technical school councils throughout the State ; if so—(i) has any finality been reached and, in that event, how will the councils be constituted, under what authority will such regional councils operate, what is their proposed function, what authority will such regional councils have over present technical school councils, how many such regional councils are proposed to be formed, and what are to be the regions ; and (ii) have technical school councils been consulted as to their views on the proposal.
- *3. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—As some of the students at the East Loddon Consolidated School are taught at secondary level, is the school eligible to receive assistance under the Commonwealth science and library programmes ; if not, why.
- *4. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—In view of a severe shortage of doctors in country areas of Victoria, what action is the Government prepared to take to encourage doctors to take up practice in country towns.
- *5. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many families are housed in the high-rise flats at the Langdon Estate at Richmond, and what is the average family size.
 - (b) What is the rental for two and three-bedroom flats, respectively.
- *6. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When will tenders be called for the provision of staff toilets at Birchip High School, and when will work commence.
- *7. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) When does the Minister anticipate arranging for the delivery of two extra portable class-rooms to Lalor High School, as promised.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that the school will be sewerred.
 - (c) Is he aware that toilet facilities for the 30 female teachers at the school are entirely inadequate, and will urgent action be implemented to remedy this.
- *8. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What action has been taken to have the land in Military-road, Avondale Heights, adjacent to the Avondale Heights fire station and owned by the Commonwealth Government, transferred to the State.
 - (b) When is such a transfer likely to occur.
- *9. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) Does the State Film Centre discriminate against State secondary schools in favour of registered schools in the provision of films.
 - (b) Will the Education Department acquire a copy of the film "Multiply and Subdue the Earth" for use through the Visual Education Centre.
- *10. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the effects of severe heat on children and teachers in many class-rooms in Victorian schools, will the Government make finance available for the installation of cooling devices in schools where necessary ; if not, why.

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- *2. CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
3. NEWMARKET SHEEP SALES (REPEAL) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—To be committed.
- *4. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
- *5. SEAMEN'S (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).
- *6. LAND (GREYHOUND RACING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- *7. MELBOURNE LAND (ROYAL MELBOURNE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- *8. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
9. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

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13. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
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MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 30.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND MARCH, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) What action has been taken to have the land in Military-road, Avondale Heights, adjacent to the Avondale Heights fire station and owned by the Commonwealth Government, transferred to the State.
 - (b) When is such a transfer likely to occur.
2. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) Does the State Film Centre discriminate against State secondary schools in favour of registered schools in the provision of films.
 - (b) Will the Education Department acquire a copy of the film "Multiply and Subdue the Earth" for use through the Visual Education Centre.
- *3. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What step is the Housing Commission taking to ensure that no families in Melbourne West Province are evicted as a result of financial difficulties, especially as a result of the recent mass-unemployment situation.
 - (b) What steps will the Commission take to provide emergency accommodation where families are evicted from private accommodation which does not meet with the requirements of the *Health Act 1958* or the *Housing Act 1958*.
 - (c) How many families from Melbourne West Province are currently on the waiting list for Commission accommodation.
- *4. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) In respect of the construction of the Dartmouth dam, what stage have negotiations reached between New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia and the Commonwealth Government.
 - (b) When will construction of the dam commence.
 - (c) What is the estimated time for completion of the dam.
 - (d) What is the estimated amount of water that will be made available for distribution in Victoria and South Australia, respectively, due to construction of the dam, and when will such additional water rights be available.
 - (e) Will the dam be of benefit in reducing the level of salinity in the River Murray.
- *5. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Do school children using public transport receive \$130 a year, while country people driving a child fifteen miles to a bus stop receive \$20 a year ; if so, what action is the Government taking to assist children living long distances from the school bus route.
- *6. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) How many children from Melbourne West Province are currently in care as wards of the State, and how many children from how many families were sent to Allambie Reception Centre in each of the past three years.
 - (b) What step is the Social Welfare Department taking to prevent children from Melbourne West Province being placed under the care of the Department.
 - (c) What action is the Government taking towards expanding the Footscray welfare office to a regional office for Melbourne West Province.

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- *7. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What provision is made for showers for the students at the Echuca High School.
 - (b) Does the Minister of Education propose to improve the position in the near future ; if so, will he give details of the plans under consideration.
- *8. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What facilities for migrant education have been provided at each school in Melbourne West Province, and which schools have not yet received the complete Commonwealth assistance for migrant education.
 - (b) How many schools in Melbourne West Province have indicated to the Education Department that parents of children at such schools are in financial difficulties with school fees, and how many have received notification from the Education Department that, since the families earn more than the basic wage, they are not allowed any financial assistance.
- *9. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) When does the Government intend to legislate for the proposed and much publicized Tattslotto.
 - (b) Where will this lotto be established.
 - (c) What percentage will be paid from the pool to—(i) participants in lotto ; (ii) the Government ; and (iii) Tattersall Consultations.
- *10. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) How many Junior Commonwealth Scholarships were obtained in each secondary school in the Melbourne West Province, and how does this compare as a percentage of the scholarships obtained at MacRobertson Girls', University, and Melbourne high schools.
 - (b) How many Commonwealth Scholarships were awarded in each secondary school in the Melbourne West Province this year, and how many were awarded in the past three years and the preceding three years, respectively.
 - (c) How many students from such schools in the Melbourne West Province obtained entrance to a university in 1972, and how does the percentage of the matriculants gaining entrance from the Province compare with that from MacRobertson Girls', University, and Melbourne high schools.
- *11. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has consideration been given to the building of a new police station at Mount Beauty ; if so, what is the decision, and when is it expected tenders will be called for a new police station.
- *12. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What is the net value of production per year from industries in Melbourne West Province, and what percentage of this value is expended annually on new development in the Province.
- *13. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Is the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works plan for the widening of the east side of Nicholson-street, between Holden and Stewart streets, still in the Board's programme.
 - (b) Are estate agents required to include on their sale notices a statement that houses and/or land are subject to road-widening under the Board's plan.
- *14. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) How many acute beds, approved nursing home beds, geriatric beds, and maternity beds are available in the Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) What new hospital will be developed in the Province in the next three years and the following three years, respectively.
 - (c) What special facilities for mental health will be established in the Province in the next three years and the following three years, respectively.
 - (d) What special facilities for the aged are planned in the Province in the next three years and the following three years, respectively.
- *15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) What was the total cost of the construction of the Canning-street bridge and its road approaches, at Avondale Heights.
 - (b) How will costs be apportioned.
- *16. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) Is the Government aware that European carp are being caught in large numbers in the Lower Murray river and tributaries.
 - (b) If unchecked, does research indicate that European carp could take possession of rivers and streams in the Upper Murray river and its tributaries within the Gippsland Province to the exclusion of other fish species.
 - (c) Has the Fisheries and Wildlife Branch taken any action to curtail the increase in the numbers of this fish in the water storages throughout Victoria.

- *17. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) How much revenue is raised annually by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works in the Melbourne West Province, and what proportion is expended in that Province.
 - (b) What water, drainage, and sewerage works are planned for the Melbourne West Province in the next three years and the following three years, respectively.
- *18. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) What are the estimated costs of the widening of the railway viaduct in Francis-street, Yarraville.
 - (b) When is it expected that the work will be completed.
- *19. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What was the total amount of revenue received by the Fisheries and Wildlife Branch during each of the past four years, and what was the respective source or sources of such revenue.
 - (b) What amount of money has been spent each year over this period on—(i) head office administration ; (ii) field officers ; and (iii) each other division including fisheries inland and other divisions, fauna and wildlife, together with reserves giving amounts and location.
- *20. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What finance has been contributed, in each of the past five years, by the Level Crossings Fund, the Railways Department, and the Country Roads Board, towards the cost of fitting warning devices at railway level crossings.
- *21. The Hon. A. K. BRADBURY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When is it expected that tenders will be called for the two science rooms for the Yarrawonga High School.
- *22. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Has the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board curtailed its activities at its egg pulping floor in Bendigo ; if so—(i) what is the reason ; and (ii) have any staff been put off.
- *23. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has any policy decision been made as to whether the Advertising Branch of the Victorian Railways Department will continue to be operated by the Commissioners or let by contract ; if so, what are the details of such decision.
- *24. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has any definite decision been made regarding the Ferris-creeek pump storage scheme at Trawool ; if not, when can one be expected.
- *25. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) How many applications from couples with five or more children are current with the Housing Commission.
 - (b) What is the average waiting time for applicants to be accommodated in single-unit homes and flats, respectively, and is special consideration still given to such applicants.
 - (c) How many housing units are available to such families on a rental basis, and where are they located.
 - (d) How many housing units, and of what type, were built for this class of applicant in each of the financial years 1968-69 to date.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

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13. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
14. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

- *1. The Hon. A. J. HUNT : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Town and Country Planning Act 1961* and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
 2. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy)*.
 3. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
 4. DENTISTS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.

TUESDAY, 28TH MARCH.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
 *2. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
 3. CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.

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MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 30.

TUESDAY, 21ST MARCH 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled "*An Act to vary the Restrictions imposed in relation to the Capital and Shares of Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited, to amend the Second Schedule of the 'Trustee Companies Act 1958' and for other purposes*" and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.

The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill except in relation to the payment of fees.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Murray Byrne, having produced a receipt showing that the sum of \$200 had been paid into the Treasury for the public uses of the State to meet the expenses of the Bill, moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time, and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

3. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER NO. 53.—The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the Council do now adjourn, and said he proposed to speak to the subject of "The continuing failure of the Government to protect the public, particularly from false claims and extravagant charges for hair restoration and other services"; and six Honorable Members having risen in their places and required the motion to be proposed—

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

Noes, 26.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
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W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

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

- Appeal Costs Fund Act 1964—Appeal Costs Fund (Adjournment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 71).
- Dairy Products—Report of the Dairy Products Board for the six months ended 31st December, 1971.
- Dandenong Valley Authority—Report and statement of accounts for the year ended 30th September, 1971.
- Game Act 1958—Proclamation varying close season for wild ducks and teal (S.R. No. 63).
- Health Act 1958—
 - Irradiating Apparatus and Radio-Active Substances (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 67).
 - Pest Control Operators Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 65).
- Milk Board Act 1958—Milk Board (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 70).
- Motor Car Act 1958—Motor Car (Brake Lamp) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 68).
- Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 184 of the Police Service Board.
- Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 195 to 199) (five papers).
- Road Traffic Act 1958—
 - Road Traffic (Further Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 69).
 - Road Traffic (Traffic Infringements) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 64).
- Second-hand Dealers Act 1958—Second-hand Dealers (Exemption No. 3) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 66).
- Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965—Amendment No. 91, 1971.
 - Ocean Road Planning Scheme 1955—Amendment No. 12 (Shire of Barrabool).
- Weights and Measures Act 1958—Weights and Measures (Amendment No. 9) Regulations 1971 (S.R. No. 72/1972).

5. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Road Traffic Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

6. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered, after debate, That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

7. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 4 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

11. **CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved on the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
12. **MELBOURNE LAND (ROYAL MELBOURNE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
13. **NEWMARKET SHEEP SALES (REPEAL) BILL—DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—The Order of the Day for the committal of this Bill having been read—
The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That the said Order be discharged.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the Bill be withdrawn.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 31.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND MARCH, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Borough of Kyabram Planning Scheme 1963—Amendment No. 8, 1971.
 - Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme—Amendment No. 20, with map (two papers).
3. **EGG INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 5th April next.
4. **INFORMATION STORAGES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable W. M. Campbell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Motion, by leave, withdrawn.
Debate on main question continued.
The Honorable W. M. Campbell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

5. REDUCTION OF VOTING AGE BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 16.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.

Debate on main question continued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
B. P. Dunn,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
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A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

6. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act 1958’ to enable the Payment of Allowances and Travelling Expenses to Members of the Central Advisory Council*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

7. ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the same without amendment.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 31.

TUESDAY, 28TH MARCH, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What step is the Housing Commission taking to ensure that no families in Melbourne West Province are evicted as a result of financial difficulties, especially as a result of the recent mass-unemployment situation.
 - (b) What steps will the Commission take to provide emergency accommodation where families are evicted from private accommodation which does not meet with the requirements of the *Health Act* 1958 or the *Housing Act* 1958.
 - (c) How many families from Melbourne West Province are currently on the waiting list for Commission accommodation.
2. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What was the total cost of the construction of the Canning-street bridge and its road approaches, at Avondale Heights.
 - (b) How will costs be apportioned.
3. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many Junior Commonwealth Scholarships were obtained in each secondary school in the Melbourne West Province, and how does this compare as a percentage of the scholarships obtained at MacRobertson Girls', University, and Melbourne high schools.
 - (b) How many Commonwealth Scholarships were awarded in each secondary school in the Melbourne West Province this year, and how many were awarded in the past three years and the preceding three years, respectively.
 - (c) How many students from such schools in the Melbourne West Province obtained entrance to a university in 1972, and how does the percentage of the matriculants gaining entrance from the Province compare with that from MacRobertson Girls', University, and Melbourne high schools.
4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What are the estimated costs of the widening of the railway viaduct in Francis-street, Yarraville.
 - (b) When is it expected that the work will be completed.
5. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) How many children from Melbourne West Province are currently in care as wards of the State, and how many children from how many families were sent to Allambie Reception Centre in each of the past three years.
 - (b) What step is the Social Welfare Department taking to prevent children from Melbourne West Province being placed under the care of the Department.
 - (c) What action is the Government taking towards expanding the Footscray welfare office to a regional office for Melbourne West Province.
6. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What was the total amount of revenue received by the Fisheries and Wildlife Branch during each of the past four years, and what was the respective source or sources of such revenue.
 - (b) What amount of money has been spent each year over this period on—(i) head office administration ; (ii) field officers ; and (iii) each other division including fisheries (inland and other divisions), fauna and wildlife, together with reserves giving amounts and location.

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

7. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What finance has been contributed, in each of the past five years, by the Level Crossings Fund, the Railways Department, and the Country Roads Board, respectively, towards the cost of fitting warning devices at railway level crossings.
8. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has any policy decision been made as to whether the Advertising Branch of the Railways Department will continue to be operated by the Commissioners or let by contract ; if so, what are the details of such decision.
9. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Has any definite decision been made regarding the Ferris-creek pump storage scheme at Trawool ; if not, when can one be expected.
10. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) How many applications from couples with five or more children are current with the Housing Commission.
 - (b) What is the average waiting time for applicants to be accommodated in single-unit homes and flats, respectively, and is special consideration still given to such applicants.
 - (c) How many housing units are available to such families on a rental basis, and where are they located.
 - (d) How many housing units, and of what type, were built for this class of applicant in each of the financial years 1968-69 to date.
- *11. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many tenants of the Housing Commission, who reside in the Doutta Galla Province, are in arrears in their rent as a result of unemployment.
- *12. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will he lay on the table of the Library the files relating to the condition of the buildings at the Shepparton Girls' High School.
- *13. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Has the staggering of hours for public servants adversely affected commuters from centres such as Ballarat, Bacchus Marsh, Geelong, or Seymour.
 - (b) Will the arrival and/or departure of interstate and/or country trains be affected.
 - (c) What alterations to existing services will be made as a result of this progressive move to stagger working hours.
- *14. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) When is it proposed to have a mathematics teacher appointed to the Williamstown Girls' High School.
 - (b) Is the Education Department aware of the lack of mathematics teachers at the school over recent years.
 - (c) What are the reasons for not having mathematics teachers appointed to the school.
- *15. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the very poor condition of toilets at the Patchewollock Primary School, and the fact that they are inadequate to serve the school population, when will tenders be called for the construction of a new toilet block at the school, and when will construction commence.
- *16. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) When will the Overland sleeping cars commence running on the Mildura-Spencer-street train.
 - (b) Has any decision been made to name these cars and, in the event that no decision has been made, will the Minister of Transport or the Commissioners consider four prominent men, such as Chaffey, Clapp, De Garis, and Johansen.
 - (c) In view of distance and climate, will showers be provided on at least two cars.
- *17. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What is the current time schedule for the erection of the assembly hall at the Glenroy High School.
- *18. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What is the annual Government grant to the St. Kilda Foreshore Committee.
- *19. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of the report in the *Broadmeadows Observer* of 15th March that "All school canteens and tuck shops will now have to comply with the Food Premises and Food Cleanliness Regulations under the *Health Act 1958*"—(i) when was this decision made ; (ii) who will be responsible to pay the registration fee of \$10 involved ; and (iii) who will bear the cost of structural alterations required by municipal council health officers.

Government Business.

NOTICE OF MOTION :—

1. The Hon. A. J. HUNT : To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Town and Country Planning Act 1961* and for other purposes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *2. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
3. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
4. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
5. CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
7. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
8. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
2. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. S. E. Gleeson).
3. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
4. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
5. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
6. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
7. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
8. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
9. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
10. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
11. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH MARCH.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL—(Hon. G. J. Nicol)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. W. M. Campbell).

WEDNESDAY, 5TH APRIL.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. EGG INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(Hon. D. E. Kent)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. L. Chandler).

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 28TH MARCH, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Seamen's (Amendment) Act.*
 - Land (Greyhound Racing) Act.*
 - Melbourne Land (Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology) Act.*
 - Adoption of Children (Amendment) Act.*
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 (General) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 76).
 - Entertainments Tax—Report of the Commissioner for the year 1970–71.
 - Extractive Industries Act 1966—Extractive Industries (Board of Examiners for Quarry Managers) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 73).
 - Fire Brigades—Report of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board for the year 1970–71.
 - Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1958—Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage (Long Service Leave) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 74).
 - Health Act 1958—Food and Drug Standards (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 75).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Shire of Bulla Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 21, 1971.
 - Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965—Amendment No. 39, 1971.
4. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Town and Country Planning Act 1961* and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
6. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
7. DISPOSAL OF UNCOLLECTED GOODS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.

8. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, by leave, That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to consider an amendment to require the presentation of annual reports on the operation of the *National Art Gallery and Cultural Centre Act 1956*.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment, and desiring their concurrence therein.
9. CRIMES (POWERS OF ARREST) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day Government Business, No. 6, be postponed until later this day.
11. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, and Order of the Day, General Business, No. 1 be postponed until later this day.
13. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable M. A. Clarke moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
14. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
15. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 11th April next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at fifty-nine minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday, the 11th April next.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 32.

TUESDAY, 11TH APRIL, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What is the annual Government grant to the St. Kilda Foreshore Committee.
- *2. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is Fitzroy High School on the priority list for work in improving staff-room accommodation and facilities and, in the event that it is not, will the Minister place the school on the list so as to provide more staff-room accommodation, improved toilet facilities (particularly for women teachers), and showers for both men and women teachers.
- *3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What cargo did the registered tanker *Cosmopolitan II.* take on at Breakwater-pier, Williamstown, before sailing on 29th February, 1972.
 - (b) Under international navigation regulations, is the vessel allowed to discharge its cargo at sea into ocean waters.
- *4. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has the Local Government Advisory Board concluded its inquiry into the proposed amalgamation of certain municipalities ; if so, when will he make the report available to Parliament.
- *5. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How many teachers have been transferred to or added to the staff at Hadfield High School during the past month, stating the subjects taught by these teachers.
- *6. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What money is it proposed to spend on the existing buildings at the Cohuna Consolidated School.
 - (b) In view of the impending removal of the school to a new site, will the Minister agree to stop any proposed expenditure on the existing buildings.
 - (c) When will full possession be taken of the new site by the Education Department, and when will building commence on the site.
- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) When is it proposed to build the court house at Williamstown.
 - (b) What are the reasons for the delay in building.
 - (c) What action has been taken to secure reasonable court accommodation since the destruction of the court house, to what extent, and with what success.
- *8. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—How much of the budget (excluding salaries) of the Audio-Visual Education Centre is spent on the purchase of sixteen millimetre sound films for State primary and secondary schools.
- *9. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of the Richmond, Melbourne, Prahran and Albert Park electoral districts, what is the present staffing of each police station.

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

- *10. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- Has the Honorable the Treasurer accepted the matching grants from the Commonwealth Government for capital works carried out by the Mental Health Authority ; if not, when is it expected this will be done.
 - If these grants are not accepted, when will funds be made available to the Authority to carry out urgent replacement of womens' wards at the Beechworth Mayday Hills Hospital.
 - When will funds be made available for the erection of the new psychiatric ward required to treat transient patients.
- *11. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many teachers are teaching English to migrant children in primary schools within the Melbourne Province.
 - At what schools are these teachers located, and how many migrant children receive tuition in English at each school.
- *12. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- In view of continuing complaints against the electrical repair firm " Milleradio ", will the Government take action to see that the deceptive practices of this firm are discontinued.
 - Will the Government give publicity to the points raised in paragraph 21 of the Consumer Affairs Council report for the year ended 30th June, 1971, so that the public is made more aware of the activities of this firm (and any others which act in a similar fashion), and how they can avoid becoming victims of undesirable practices.
- *13. The Hon. I. A. SWINBURNE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- Regarding the Government decision requiring a health warning to be placed on cigarette packets—(i) what is the wording of same ; and (ii) what are the conditions governing such warning.
 - Is this a uniform wording agreed upon by all States ; if not, which States have agreed.
- *14. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will he lay on the table of the Library the files dealing with the resumption of the property at 4 Parliament-place, East Melbourne.
- *15. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of the staffing of Victorian technical schools by trade instructors—(i) are the current numbers employed short of immediate requirements ; if so, by how many ; (ii) what was the total number of applications received and instructors engaged, respectively, in each of the past three years ; (iii) how many successfully completed teacher training in each of the past three years ; and (iv) how many are at present training at first year and second year level, respectively.
- *16. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—In respect of the actuarial inquiry now being conducted into the State Superannuation Fund—(i) when will the inquiry be completed ; and (ii) has the inquiry progressed far enough to indicate whether an interim increase could be granted retired State employees to help them cope with current inflationary trends in the economy ; if so, will the Government consider such an increase.
- *17. The Hon. J. M. TRIPOVICH : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of the staffing of the Glenroy, Broadmeadows West, Essendon, Fawkner and Niddrie technical schools by trade instructors, are the current numbers allocated short of immediate requirements ; if so, what are the details of the shortage, and what action is being taken to overcome same.
- *18. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What action does the Government intend to take to provide additional teaching staff at the Hamilton High School where there are students who do not have teachers for mathematics, music, boys' physical education and wood-work.
- *19. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Has any definite decision been made regarding the sewerage of Edenhope ; if not, when can one be expected.
- *20. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In view of the inadequate water supply to the Brim East Primary School residence, what action will be undertaken by the Teacher Housing Authority to improve the supply, and when will such action be undertaken.
- *21. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- Which of the high schools in the Northern Province have shower facilities for girl and boy students, respectively.
 - How many showers are provided for each sex in each case, and how many of such showers have both hot and cold water connected.
- *22. The Hon. A. R. MANSELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- What are the first and second class fares (single and return) from Spencer-street to Mildura.
 - What are the costs of sleeper berths at present on all cars.
 - What will be the fares with the advent of the Overland sleeper cars, and will this include the continental breakfast ; if not, how much will it be.

- *23. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- What are the current subsidy arrangements for the building of secondary school assembly halls.
 - How many assembly halls will be constructed in 1972.
 - How many schools have applied for the construction of assembly halls, and what is the current priority list.
- *24. The Hon. W. V. HOUGHTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In the Watsons Creek, Sugarloaf and Yarra Brae areas—(i) how many properties have been acquired by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works ; (ii) what proportion of the area do they represent in each zone ; and (iii) what is the total cost of the acquisitions.
- *25. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- What finance has been expended to date on the construction of the West Gate Bridge.
 - What is the current estimate of the total cost of construction.
 - What is the estimated completion date.
 - Is the completion of the bridge being delayed by a union demarcation dispute, and what effect will this delay have on the cost of the bridge.
 - What action does the Government intend to take to prevent such delays.

Government Business.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 33.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH APRIL, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) When is it proposed to build the court house at Williamstown.
 - (b) What are the reasons for the delay in building.
 - (c) What action has been taken to secure reasonable court accommodation since the destruction of the court house, to what extent, and with what success.
2. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) In view of continuing complaints against the electrical repair firm "Milleradio", will the Government take action to see that the deceptive practices of this firm are discontinued.
 - (b) Will the Government give publicity to the points raised in paragraph 21 of the Consumer Affairs Council report for the year ended 30th June, 1971, so that the public is made more aware of the activities of this firm (and any others which act in a similar fashion), and how they can avoid becoming victims of undesirable practices.
- *3. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will consideration be given to the registration at less than the maximum permissible charge of \$20.00 of film exhibitors utilizing country theatres and showing films to limited numbers of patrons.
- *4. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What is the current provision of domiciliary care for the aged in the Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) Which facilities receive subsidies from the State and Commonwealth Governments, respectively, stating the amount of subsidy in each case.
 - (c) Will the State Government match the Commonwealth Government subsidy for domiciliary care for the aged.
- *5. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What funds are made available to the National Trust of Aust. (Vic.), and on what basis.
- *6. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What centres in the Melbourne West Province are classified for subsidy purposes as kindergartens and pre-schools, respectively.
 - (b) How many children attend each of these centres stating, in each case, the number of three-year-old children.
 - (c) How many additional centres would be required in the Province to give a pre-school education to—(i) all resident four-year-old children ; and (ii) all resident three and four-year-old children.
- *7. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What subsidy is available for pensioner elderly citizens for bus travel on visits and tours to other clubs or centres.
- *8. The Hon. F. S. GRIMWADE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the spelling of the words favour, odour, labour, and programme, been officially changed by the Education Department in the Essential Spelling List 1971 ; if so—(i) are these the only words changed, and is this the first time that such a change has been made ; (ii) why were these changes made ; (iii) was consideration given to allowing the use of alternative spellings of these words ; and (iv) is it intended to make any further changes in the spelling of words.

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

- *9. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) What facilities exist in the Melbourne West Province for the day-care of children of pre-school age.
 - (b) How many of these facilities are of a standard sufficient to receive a Department of Health subsidy, and how many children are catered for in subsidized centres.
 - (c) What additional facilities would be needed to provide day-care for all pre-school children in the Province.
- *10. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—As many high schools are operating on a four-day week for many forms, what does the Government intend to do to rectify this situation.
- *11. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) What provision exists in each municipality in Melbourne West Province for chiropody services for the aged.
 - (b) What bodies or persons providing such services receive subsidies through the Department of Health.
 - (c) What additional finance would be required to provide a chiropody service at each senior citizen centre in the Province.
 - (d) What additional financial assistance has been made available to municipalities as a result of Victoria's participation in the Commonwealth *States Grants (Home Care) Act* 1969 since 16th September, 1971.
 - (e) What additional finance will be made available in Melbourne West Province under the scheme in the next two years.
- *12. The Hon. F. S. GRIMWADE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) When did Seymour High School receive a science laboratory grant under the Commonwealth Science Grants Scheme, and what was the value of this grant.
 - (b) Was this grant used to build new facilities or to re-model existing facilities.
 - (c) Were the facilities built to State or Commonwealth standards, and is there any difference between these two standards.
 - (d) Are the school's present science laboratory facilities considered to be adequate.
- *13. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Is it intended that the Melbourne underground rail loop be paid for out of Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works rates, or will municipalities also have to contribute.
- *14. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What is the current enrolment at each primary school in Melbourne Province, and what is the current teacher-pupil ratio in these schools.
- *15. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) How many pre-school supervisors are at present employed by the Department of Health, and how many of these are actually involved in active supervisory duties.
 - ℓ (k) What is the specific area for which each supervisor is responsible.
 - c (X) Will the Government appoint more pre-school supervisors, in order that closer contact may be established between the Department and country pre-school centres.
- *16. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) How many miles of road duplication have been completed on the Nepean highway between Frankston and Mornington, and what was the cost.
 - (b) What further works are in progress on Nepean highway between Mornington and Dromana, and what is the estimated cost of completion.
- *17. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When will tenders be called for the provision of a Commonwealth library at the Sea Lake High School, and when will construction commence.
- *18. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—In the financial years 1968–69, 1969–70, 1970–71 and 1971–72 (to date), what has been the revenue received from bookmakers' turnover tax in respect of horse-racing, trotting and greyhound racing, respectively.
- *19. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) What total area of land held by the Rural Finance and Settlement Commission at Heytesbury has yet to be allocated.
 - (b) At what stage of development is the land, and for what purpose is it presently being used.
 - (c) Is it proposed to subdivide more land and allocate it for farming purposes ; if so—(i) when ; (ii) for what type of farming ; and (iii) what will be the size of the proposed allotments.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
- *2. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (No. 2)—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading.
- *3. GAME BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
- *4. TAXATION APPEALS BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 33.

TUESDAY, 11TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
 2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, on the 6th instant, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
 - Disposal of Uncollected Goods (Amendment) Act.*
 - Crimes (Powers of Arrest) Act.*
 - Trustee Companies (Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited) Act.*
 - Victorian Arts Centre Act.*
 3. VICTORIAN ARTS CENTRE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made in such Bill by the Council.
 4. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Firearms Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Licensing of Persons to use, carry, or possess Firearms, to amend the ‘ Game Act 1958 ’, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day .
 5. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (No. 2).—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to revoke the Crown Grant of certain Land and the permanent Reservations of certain Lands and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day .
 6. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Wednesdays shall be Four o’clock, that on Wednesday in each week Private Members’ business shall take precedence of Government business, and that no new business to taken after half-past Ten o’clock be suspended until the end of the Session, and that until the end of the Session the hour of meeting on Wednesdays shall be Two o’clock and that Government business shall take precedence of all other business.
- Debate ensued.
- Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

7. PAPERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor—Victorian Land Transport System—Report of Board of Inquiry.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

- Aboriginal Affairs Act 1967—Aboriginal Affairs (Allowances and Fees Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 84).
 Coroners Act 1958—Coroners (Post-mortem Fees and Expenses) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 80).
 Education—Report of the Council of Public Education for the year 1970–71.
 Evidence Act 1958—
 Evidence (Crown Witnesses Allowances) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 78).
 Evidence (Interpreters Allowances) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 79).
 Health Act 1958—Cigarette Package Labelling Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 85).
 Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Power Take-off) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 81).
 Legal Profession Practice Act 1958—Rules of the Council of Legal Education—Rules amended (S.R. No. 83).
 Local Government Act 1958—Local Government (Market Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 77).
 Marketable Securities Act 1970—Marketable Securities (Authorised Trustee Corporations) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 82).
 Poisons Act 1962—Special Poisons (Ovulatory Stimulant) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 86).
 Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 185 of the Police Service Board.
 Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 200 to 204) (five papers).
 Racing Act 1958—Racing (Greyhound Racing Grounds Development Board) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 87).
 Town and Country Planning Act 1961—Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 63, 1970.

8. WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

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

WEDNESDAY, 12TH APRIL, 1972.

Debate continued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 18.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 G. L. Chandler,
 V. O. Dickie,
 W. G. Fry,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade,
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
 V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
 C. A. M. Hider,
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 O. G. Jenkins,
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 H. R. Ward.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
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 B. P. Dunn,
 R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot,
 J. W. Galbally,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May (*Teller*),
 C. A. Mitchell,
 G. J. O'Connell,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Tripovich,
 J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

9. GAME BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intitled “*An Act to amend the ‘Game Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

10. TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to constitute a Victorian Taxation Board of Review, to make Provision concerning Appeals against Decisions Assessments and Determinations relating to Tax and Duty payable under various Acts, to amend the Land Tax Act 1958 the Stamps Act 1958 the Probate Duty Act 1962 the Gift Duty Act 1971 and the Pay-roll Tax Act 1971, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

11. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make Provision for the Preservation of Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-seven minutes past One o'clock in the morning, adjourned until this day.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 34.

WEDNESDAY, 12TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Education Act 1958—Resumption of land at Noble Park—Certificate of the Minister of Education.
3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1, be postponed until later this day.
4. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (NO. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable H. A. Thomas moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
5. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. GAME BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton, for the Honorable R. J. Eddy, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 7 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.
8. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. R. Mansell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

9. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 9, be postponed until later this day.
10. INFORMATION STORAGES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, as an amendment, that the words “ and the proposals in the Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report” be added to the question.
Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Question—That this Bill be now read a second time and the proposals in the Bill be referred to the Statute Law Revision Committee for examination and report—put and resolved in the affirmative.
11. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 2, be postponed until later this day.
12. CRIMES (INHUMANE PUNISHMENTS ABOLITION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
Question—put.
The Council divided.

Ayes, 9.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 21.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
W. V. Houghton (*Teller*),
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

13. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, General Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
14. ABOLITION OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate ensued.
Question—put.
The Council divided.

Ayes, 8.

The Hon. D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

Noes, 21.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
W. V. Houghton,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

15. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
16. DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act relating to certain Lands in the Parish of Currawa* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
17. LEO CUSSEN INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to establish a Body Corporate under the name of the Leo Cussen Institute for Continuing Legal Education and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable A. J. Hunt, moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
18. ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
19. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NATIONAL TRUSTEES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to vary the Restrictions imposed in relation to the Capital and Shares of National Trustees Executors and Agency Company of Australasia Limited, to amend the Second Schedule of the ‘ Trustee Companies Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
The President ruled the Bill to be a Private Bill.
The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be dealt with as a Public Bill except in relation to the payment of fees.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be read a first time on the next day of meeting.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
20. DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
21. LEO CUSSEN INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
22. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the Council, at forty-seven minutes past Nine o'clock, adjourned until Tuesday next.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 34.

TUESDAY, 18TH APRIL, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) In view of continuing complaints against the electrical repair firm “Milleradio”, will the Government take action to see that the deceptive practices of this firm are discontinued.
 - (b) Will the Government give publicity to the points raised in paragraph 21 of the Consumer Affairs Council report for the year ended 30th June, 1971, so that the public is made more aware of the activities of this firm (and any others which act in a similar fashion), and how they can avoid becoming victims of undesirable practices.
2. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will consideration be given to the registration at less than the maximum permissible charge of \$20.00 of film exhibitors utilizing country theatres and showing films to limited numbers of patrons.
3. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What is the current provision of domiciliary care for the aged in the Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) Which facilities receive subsidies from the State and Commonwealth Governments, respectively, stating the amount of subsidy in each case.
 - (c) Will the State Government match the Commonwealth Government subsidy for domiciliary care for the aged.
4. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What centres in the Melbourne West Province are classified for subsidy purposes as kindergartens and pre-schools, respectively.
 - (b) How many children attend each of these centres stating, in each case, the number of three-year-old children.
 - (c) How many additional centres would be required in the Province to give a pre-school education to—(i) all resident four-year-old children ; and (ii) all resident three and four-year-old children.
5. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What subsidy is available for pensioner elderly citizens for bus travel on visits and tours to other clubs or centres.
6. The Hon. F. S. GRIMWADE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the spelling of the words favour, odour, labour, and programme, been officially changed by the Education Department in the Essential Spelling List 1971 ; if so—(i) are these the only words changed, and is this the first time that such a change has been made ; (ii) why were these changes made ; (iii) was consideration given to allowing the use of alternative spellings of these words ; and (iv) is it intended to make any further changes in the spelling of words.
7. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What facilities exist in the Melbourne West Province for the day-care of children of pre-school age.
 - (b) How many of these facilities are of a standard sufficient to receive a Department of Health subsidy, and how many children are catered for in subsidized centres.
 - (c) What additional facilities would be needed to provide day-care for all pre-school children in the Province.

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8. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—As many high schools are operating on a four-day week for many forms, what does the Government intend to do to rectify this situation.
9. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- What provision exists in each municipality in Melbourne West Province for chiropody services for the aged.
 - What bodies or persons providing such services receive subsidies through the Department of Health.
 - What additional finance would be required to provide a chiropody service at each senior citizen centre in the Province.
 - What additional financial assistance has been made available to municipalities as a result of Victoria's participation in the Commonwealth *States Grants (Home Care) Act* 1969 since 16th September, 1971.
 - What additional finance will be made available in Melbourne West Province under the scheme in the next two years.
10. The Hon. F. S. GRIMWADE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- When did Seymour High School receive a science laboratory grant under the Commonwealth Science Grants Scheme, and what was the value of this grant.
 - Was this grant used to build new facilities or to re-model existing facilities.
 - Were the facilities built to State or Commonwealth standards, and is there any difference between these two standards.
 - Are the school's present science laboratory facilities considered to be adequate.
11. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What is the current enrolment at each primary school in Melbourne Province, and what is the current teacher-pupil ratio in these schools.
12. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- How many pre-school supervisors are at present employed by the Department of Health, and how many of these are actually involved in active supervisory duties.
 - What is the specific area for which each supervisor is responsible.
 - Will the Government appoint more pre-school supervisors, in order that closer contact may be established between the Department and country pre-school centres.
13. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- How many miles of road duplication have been completed on the Nepean highway between Frankston and Mornington, and what was the cost.
 - What further works are in progress on Nepean highway between Mornington and Dromana, and what is the estimated cost of completion.
14. The Hon. B. P. DUNN : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—When will tenders be called for the provision of a Commonwealth library at the Sea Lake High School, and when will construction commence.
- *15. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—In respect of each of the years 1970 and 1971, what was the number of pupils in attendance at State primary and secondary schools who, on the 31st July, were aged fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, and nineteen years, and over, respectively.
- *16. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—What research has been undertaken into factors relating to the development of manufacturing and non-manufacturing industries, respectively, in each of the municipalities in the Melbourne West Province.
- *17. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What amount of money has been allocated and expended in each of the past five years by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for works in the Melbourne West Province for sewerage, water, foreshore, drainage, and parklands, respectively.
- *18. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- Has the Education Department recently completed a survey of teachers to find how far they have to travel to their schools from their homes.
 - Has the Department recently conducted a survey to see at which schools teachers would prefer to teach, taking into consideration distances travelled to schools.
 - How many teachers in the western division have applied for schools in other divisions.
 - How many teachers travel more than five, ten, and fifteen miles, respectively, from their homes.
 - What percentage of teachers in the western division travel more than ten miles to work.
 - What are the reasons for the high turn-over of staff in the division.

- *19. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Will he ascertain and inform the House—(i) the value of wages and salaries paid per annum to employees in each of the municipalities in the Melbourne West Province for each of the past five years ; (ii) the cost of materials used in production for each class of industry in the Province for each of the past five years ; (iii) the value of production for each class of industry in each of the municipalities in the Province in each of the past five years ; and (iv) the value of output for each class of industry in each of the municipalities in the Province in each of the past five years.
- *20. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) How much money has been allocated by the Country Roads Board (apart from the Lower Yarra Crossing Project) for works in the Melbourne West Province during the past five years.
 - (b) For which works were such moneys allocated, and what were the bases of the allocations.
 - (c) How do these allocations compare with the allocations made for works carried out in the East Yarra and Higinbotham Provinces over the same period.
- *21. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What facilities are being provided by the Commonwealth Government for the education of migrant children attending State primary and secondary schools.
 - (b) Which schools in the Melbourne West Province have received Commonwealth assistance for this purpose, and what conditions must be met in order to qualify for such assistance.
 - (c) Which of the schools have not been able to receive assistance because of their inability to meet the specified conditions.
- *22. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) How many secondary industries were established in country locations beyond a radius of 30 miles from the Melbourne G.P.O. during the period 1st July, 1970, to 31st December, 1971, stating—(i) the towns at which they were located ; and (ii) how many male and female employees, respectively, are presently engaged in each such industry.
 - (b) Has any secondary industry closed down in these locations during this period ; if so, how many employees were affected.
- *23. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) What organizations are providing youth services in the Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) How much have these organizations received by way of subsidy in the past five years.
 - (c) Is consideration given to the economic difficulties of the area when funds are allocated.
 - (d) What are the standards which are set when determining such subsidies.
- *24. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) Which schools in each municipality in the Melbourne West Province have received financial assistance for the provision of libraries, science blocks, and assembly halls, respectively.
 - (b) How much was provided, and how much had to be raised by each school and local community in order to attract this assistance.
 - (c) Which schools in the Province have so far been unable to receive such assistance due to their inability to provide their share of the cost.
 - (d) What provision exists to assist schools, which have difficulties in raising such financial contributions, to obtain these facilities, and under what terms will they receive special assistance.
- *25. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Does the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board propose to build a fire station at Laverton ; if so—(i) when ; and (ii) where will it be built.
- *26. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) When is it anticipated that further tertiary education opportunities will be provided in the Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that a teachers college will be provided in the western suburbs of Melbourne.
- *27. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) What is the number of factories in each of the municipalities in the Melbourne West Province having up to 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 750, 1,000, and more than 1,000 employees, respectively.
 - (b) What occupational and industrial information has been collected by the Department of Labour and Industry to indicate a correlation between the type of labour required by these industries and the availability of such labour.
 - (c) What percentage of the non-manufacturing industries are forced to obtain skilled and professional employees from the eastern suburbs due to their unavailability within the immediate area of the western suburbs.
 - (d) Is the development of further tertiary educational facilities in the western suburbs, designed to enhance the availability of qualified labour, contemplated for the development of industry in the western suburbs.

- *28. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Are graduates of the Lisson-grove youth leadership training course suitable for employment by municipalities as youth workers ; if so, what subsidy is available for their employment.
- *29. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Which municipalities in the Melbourne West Province are currently engaged in the provision of youth welfare services.
 - (b) What amount of subsidy is available to such municipalities to undertake such welfare services.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. TAXATION APPEALS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
2. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *3. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NATIONAL TRUSTEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—First reading.
4. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
5. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. R. Mansell).
6. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (No. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. H. A. Thomas).
7. GAME BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
- *8. LEO CUSSEN INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *9. DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
10. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
2. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. L. Chandler).
3. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
4. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
5. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
6. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
7. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
8. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
9. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.
10. EGG INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(Hon. D. E. Kent)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. L. Chandler).

WEDNESDAY, 19TH APRIL.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :—

1. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).

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R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 35.

WEDNESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What organizations are providing youth services in the Melbourne West Province.
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 - (a) Which municipalities in the Melbourne West Province are currently engaged in the provision of youth welfare services.
 - (b) What amount of subsidy is available to such municipalities to undertake such welfare services.
- *5. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) How many families are on the Housing Commission's waiting list in each municipality in the Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) Of these families, how many are under 25 years of age, and how many of the applicants are over 60 years of age.
 - (c) What is the average waiting period for applicants in the Province desiring Housing Commission accommodation for rental and purchase, respectively.
 - (d) What additional accommodation will be provided in the Province in the next five years, and will this meet the demand in the Province for accommodation from the Commission.
- *6. The Hon. H. R. WARD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Has Councillor Loel Caldwell, a member of the Council of the Shire of Hastings, been proceeded against for alleged breaches of the *Local Government Act 1958* or any other Act in relation to his actions while acting as a councillor ; if so—(i) what are the alleged offences ; (ii) when were the proceedings commenced in court, and where ; (iii) has there been any adjournment of the proceedings and, in the event that there has, when was the adjournment ; and (iv) is there any intention to continue the proceedings against Cr. Caldwell and, in the event that there is, when and what are the reasons for the delay in continuing with the proceedings. S/

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- *7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- What are the reasons for stopping the visiting deaf pupils' teacher visiting secondary and primary schools in the western suburbs.
 - When is it proposed that the teacher's services will again be available.
- *8. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- What studies have been undertaken into the transport needs of industries in the western suburbs of Melbourne up to 1985.
 - Have such studies indicated that local industry regards transport as one of the most significant factors in site location in the western suburbs.
 - Do such studies indicate that the major improvements sought by local industry, in terms of improved rail and road facilities, are directed towards industrial development.
- *9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—Does W. Angliss & Co. (Aust.) Pty. Ltd. intend to establish at Truganina ; if so, when, and to what extent.
- *10. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- When was the Napier-street, South Melbourne, reclamation area finally cleared, and at what cost.
 - When were tenders called for the purchase of the land, who was the successful tenderer, and what was the purchase price.
 - Is the successful tenderer a subsidiary company of A. V. Jennings Industries (Aust.) Ltd., and when is construction likely to commence.
- *11. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- In view of the importance of the proposed freeways to the development of the Metropolitan Transportation Plan, on what dates is it anticipated that freeways 3, 5, 9 and 12 will be completed to the standard indicated in the Plan.
 - When is it anticipated that the freeways in the western suburbs will be commenced and completed.
- *12. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many properties are involved in the Raglan-street, South Melbourne, reclamation project.
 - How many have been acquired by the Housing Commission to date.
 - How many (if any) have been vacated and since re-let by the Commission stating, in each case, the address of the property and the rental being charged.
 - How many of the properties acquired have been partially wrecked by the Commission.
- *13. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- How many mentally retarded children and adults are permanently provided for by the State.
 - How many mentally retarded children and adults are currently awaiting admission to State institutions.
 - How are these applicants classified, and how many are in each classification.
 - Is an estimate available of the numbers of mentally retarded children and adults who are permanently cared for by their families.
- *14. The Hon. W. V. HOUGHTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many class-rooms have been built in the period from the beginning of the school year in 1969 to the present date in all primary and secondary schools situated within the electoral [subdivisions of Donvale, Warrandyte, Hurstbridge, Mitcham, Heatherdale, and Croydon West, respectively.
 - What was the average number of pupils per class-room at the beginning of the school year in 1969, and what is the current number in primary and secondary schools, respectively, within the above subdivisions.
 - Within these subdivisions, what was the ratio of pupils per teacher in early 1969, and what is the current pupil-teacher ratio in primary and secondary schools, respectively.
- *15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many teachers are required to fill vacancies at Werribee High School.
 - In which subjects are the shortages.
 - When will the vacancies be filled.
 - Is the Education Department aware of shortages which will occur by the beginning of term II., and by July, 1972.
- *16. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- When will a decision be made on the future of Crown land situated between Barak and Beacon-roads, Port Melbourne.
 - Has the Education Department indicated its desire to be given the land and, in so doing, has it indicated the specific nature of the use to which the land will be put.
 - Will the Minister of Lands lay on the table of the Library all files relevant to the said land and the adjacent beach-front area.

- *17. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the Metropolitan Transportation Plan's forecast that the greatest future increase will be in daily trips by private cars—(i) what plans exist for the development of public transport in Melbourne's western suburbs to increase the percentage of persons able to use public transport ; and (ii) what plans exist to assist the western suburbs municipalities to meet the financial cost involved in the increased use of roads for commercial purposes.
- *18. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What amount of money has been allocated and expended in each of the past five years by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for sewerage, water, foreshore, drainage, and parklands, respectively, in the municipalities of Altona, Footscray, Keilor, Sunshine, Bulla, Werribee, and Williamstown.
- *19. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) In respect of each of the municipalities in the Melbourne West Province, will he ascertain and inform the House—(i) the value of production per annum per person employed in each class of industry ; (ii) the respective values of land, buildings, plant and machinery per person employed in each class of industry ; (iii) the average salary and wages paid over the whole year according to class of industry (comparing managerial, clerical staff, chemists and draughtsmen, to all employees) ; and (iv) the average salary and wages paid to males and females, respectively, in each of these classes.
 - (b) What will be the changes in areas in the Province zoned as industrial as a result of amendments to the Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme proposed by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.
- *20. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) Has the Teacher Housing Authority the power and finance to build and maintain garages at residences when required.
 - (b) Why is there a lengthy delay in effecting routine maintenance repairs (e.g. leaking taps and broken window panes).
 - (c) Can the Authority empower a principal or a school advisory council to approve small maintenance jobs on their behalf ; if not, why.
- *21. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Is it proposed to re-zone the land north of Spence-street and Fosters-road, Keilor ; if so—(i) what is the proposed re-zoning ; and (ii) when will it become effective.
- *22. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What staff has been appointed to each of the three regional education directorates.
 - (b) How much finance has been allocated to each directorate.
- *23. The Hon. H. R. WARD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Did the Country Roads Board remove the " Welcome to Phillip Island " sign ; if so, will he advise on the present whereabouts of the sign.
 - (b) Has the Board banned all signs of " Welcome " to various towns and cities, erected on road reserves ; if not, why was the " Phillip Island " sign singled out for removal.
 - (c) What rules or regulations (if any) apply to the erection of tourist signs on road reserves in Victoria.
- *24. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) What is the proposed route of Fosters-road, Keilor.
 - (b) When will work start on the proposed route.
 - (c) Will he supply a map of the proposed route.
- *25. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) Has a decision been made to install gas heaters at the Echuca Primary School (No. 208) ; if so, when will the heaters be installed.
 - (b) Has the investigation into the conversion of a class-room into a library been completed ; if so, what is the total cost of the conversion, and when will it be carried out.
- *26. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) During the past ten years, what capital expenditure by way of new buildings or alterations to existing buildings has been undertaken by the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board at its Port Melbourne floor.
 - (b) What capital expenditure has been spent on machinery for grading and pulping purposes.
 - (c) Is it the policy of the Board to carry out all its egg pulping operations at Port Melbourne, and cease operations at Bendigo.

27. The Hon. D. G. ELLIOT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many properties are involved in the Dorcas-street, Nelson-road, and Pickles-street reclamation project, in South Melbourne.
 - How many properties have been acquired by the Commission to date.
 - How many (if any) have been vacated and since re-let by the Commission stating, in each case, the address of the property and the rental being charged.
 - How many properties acquired have been partially wrecked by the Commission.
 - Does the Minister of Housing or the Housing Commission propose to take any action to counter the rising tide of antagonism against the activities of the Commission due, apparently, to its premature action in having the area in question declared a slum.
- *28. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works propose to proceed with the Pilgrim, Buckley and Buckingham streets project at Footscray ; if so, when.
 - How many houses have been acquired for the project.
 - What will be the proposed traffic route.
- *29. The Hon. G. J. O'CONNELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- Is the Minister of Education aware of the crowded conditions that exist at the Hawksburn Primary School.
 - With the proposed building programme of the Housing Commission in Bendigo-street, Prahran, have any future plans been made for accommodation at the school for the additional children from this area.
- *30. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government
- During the years 1970 and 1971 how many people were employed by the State Electricity Commission at the district and branch offices in Castlemaine.
 - How many employees have been transferred and/or retired during the past two years, and have these employees been replaced.
 - How many employees are working at the Commission's office at Bendigo and, by arrangement, travelling from Castlemaine.
 - What are the future employment prospects at these district and branch offices.
- *31. The Hon. J. M. WALTON : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—How many copies of the Victorian Consumer Affairs Council "Information Bulletin" dated March, 1972 (Vol. 3 No. 2) were printed, and to whom were they distributed.
- *32. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will the Honorable the Chief Secretary make an approach to the appropriate responsible authorities with a request that the book known as "The Little Red School Book" be withdrawn from circulation and sale.
- *33. The Hon. V. T. HAUSER : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many class-rooms have been built in the period from the beginning of the school year in 1969 to date, in all primary and secondary schools situated within the electoral subdivisions of Ringwood, Heathmont, and Wantirna.
 - What was the number of children per class-room at the beginning of the school year in 1969 and what is the current number in primary and secondary schools, respectively, within these subdivisions.
 - Within these subdivisions, what was the ratio of pupils per teacher in early 1969 and what is the current pupil/teacher ratio in primary and secondary schools, respectively.
- *34. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- During the past five years, how much money has been allocated by the Country Roads Board (apart from the Lower Yarra Crossing Project) for works in the municipalities of Altona, Keilor, Footscray, Williamstown, Werribee, Melton, Bulla, and Sunshine.
 - For which works were such moneys allocated, and what were the bases of the allocations.
 - How do these allocations compare with the allocations made for works carried out in the municipalities of Caulfield, Malvern, Camberwell, Kew, Oakleigh, Waverley and Springvale, over the same period.
- *35. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- What caused the pollution of Kororoit creek, Altona, on 18th April, 1972.
 - Where did such pollution emanate, and what action has been taken to stop any recurrence.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading.
- *2. MARINE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *3. ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading.
- *4. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- *5. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
- *6. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- *7. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
8. VERMIN AND NOXIOUS WEEDS (ALLOWANCES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
9. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NATIONAL TRUSTEES) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—~~First~~ *Second* reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
10. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (NO. 2)—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. H. A. Thomas).*
11. GAME BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—*Resumption of debate on the question—That this Bill be now read a second time—and on the amendment by the Hon. I. A. Swinburne—That all the words after “That” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof “this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until such time as the Land Conservation Council has submitted a report on the extent to which this Bill will circumvent the provisions of the Land Conservation Act 1970 (No. 8008).”—(Hon. R. J. Eddy).*
12. LEO CUSSEN INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*
13. DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
- *14. SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
15. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
16. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
2. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. L. Chandler).*
3. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
4. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
5. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
6. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.
7. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
8. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
9. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.
10. EGG INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(Hon. D. E. Kent)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. L. Chandler).*

WEDNESDAY, 26TH APRIL.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- *2. TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).
- *3. JUSTICES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
4. TAXATION APPEALS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
- *5. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. J. O'Connell).

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and G. J. O'Connell.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 35.

TUESDAY, 18TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, this day, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Act presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Road Traffic (Amendment) Act.
3. JUSTICES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Justices Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Crimes Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Preliminary Examination of Persons charged with Indictable Offences and for Purposes connected therewith* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
4. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend sections 38 and 38A of the ‘ Nurses Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
5. SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of One hundred and ninety-four million six hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-three* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
6. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Legal Profession Practice Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
7. ALTERATION OF SESSIONAL ORDERS.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That so much of the Sessional Orders as provides that the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be half-past Four o’clock be suspended and that for the remainder of the Session the hour of meeting on Tuesdays shall be Four o’clock, and that the Council shall meet for the despatch of business on Fridays and Eleven o’clock shall be the hour of meeting.
Question put—and resolved in the affirmative.
8. TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Tattersall Consultations Act 1958*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

9. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to provide for the Reconstitution of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, to amend the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958* in relation to that and other matters, and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
10. ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, leave was given to bring in a Bill to amend the *Environment Protection Act 1970*, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
11. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
- Apprenticeship Act 1958—
 - Apprenticeship (Modular Courses Nos. 6 and 7) Regulations 1972 (S.R. Nos. 90 and 89) (two papers).
 - Apprenticeship (Plumbing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 88).
 - Marketing of Primary Products Act 1958—
 - Proclamation declaring that Chicory shall become the property of the Chicory Marketing Board for a further period of two years.
 - Proclamation declaring that Onions shall become the property of the Onion Marketing Board for a further period of two years.
 - Mental Health Act 1959—Mental Health (Meal Reimbursement) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 91).
 - Police Regulation Act 1958—Determination No. 186 of the Police Service Board.
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 205 to 208) (four papers).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment “ B ”.
 - Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 52, 1970.
 - Shire of Sherbrooke Planning Scheme 1965—Amendment No. 47, 1971.
 - Workers Compensation Board Fund—Balance-sheet and statement of receipts and expenditure for the year 1970–71.
12. TAXATION APPEALS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 26th instant.
13. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to extend the Jurisdiction of the County Court in relation to certain Civil Matters and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, for the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
14. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable G. J. O’Connell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 26th instant.
15. TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight, for the Honorable G. J. O’Connell, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 26th instant.
16. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.—The Order of Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 26th instant.

17. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NATIONAL TRUSTEES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the first reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne produced a receipt showing that the sum of \$200 had been paid into the Treasury for the public uses of the State, and moved, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

18. SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

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

19. JUSTICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday, the 26th instant.

20. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘Soldier Settlement Act 1958’ and the ‘Rural Finance Act 1958’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

21. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 to 6 inclusive, be postponed until later this day.

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

Debate resumed.

The Honorable I. A. Swinburne moved, as an amendment, That all the words after “That” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof “this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until such time as the Land Conservation Council has submitted a report on the extent to which this Bill will circumvent the provisions of the *Land Conservation Act 1970* (No. 8008).”

Debate ensued.

The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable R. J. Eddy, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

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

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

23. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
B. P. Dunn,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O’Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

The Hon. G. J. O’Connell moved, as an amendment, that the words “and that the Bill be referred to a select committee of this House to examine the proposals and report their findings to this House” be added to the question.

Debate ensued.

Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade (*Teller*),
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

Debate on main question continued.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

WEDNESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1972.

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

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

24. MARINE BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Marine Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

25. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Country Fire Authority Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And the Council, at thirteen minutes past One o'clock in the morning, adjourned until this day.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

WEDNESDAY, 19TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
Town and Country Planning Act 1961—City of Knox Planning Scheme 1965—Amendment No. 85, 1970.
3. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. E. Kent moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 2, be postponed until later this day.
5. ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable A. W. Knight, for the Honorable D. G. Elliot, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
7. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
8. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
9. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. W. Galbally moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 8, be postponed until later this day.
11. TRUSTEE COMPANIES (NATIONAL TRUSTEES) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
12. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 10, be postponed until later this day.

13. GAME BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time—and on the amendment—That all the words after “That” be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof “this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until such time as the Land Conservation Council has submitted a report on the extent to which this Bill will circumvent the provisions of the *Land Conservation Act* 1970 (No. 8008).”, having been read—

Debate resumed.

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

The Council divided.

Ayes, 27.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
W. G. Fry,
J. W. Galbally,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider (*Teller*),
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. Nicol,
G. J. O’Connell,
Haddon Storey,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*),
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Debate on main question continued.

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

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable A. W. Knight having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted.

The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That the Bill be now read a third time.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
D. G. Elliot,
W. G. Fry,
J. W. Galbally,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins (*Teller*),
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. Nicol,
G. J. O’Connell,
Haddon Storey,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*),
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a third time and passed.

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

14. MARINE BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

16. LEO CUSSEN INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

17. REVOCATION AND EXCISION OF CROWN RESERVATIONS BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 13 and 14, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

Clause 5, page 4, line 40, after “(b) for a licence for three years—\$6.” insert the following proviso—

“ Provided that where the applicant satisfies the issuing officer that he is an age or invalid pensioner under the Commonwealth Act for the time being in force relating to social services or is a totally and permanently incapacitated pensioner under the Commonwealth Act for the time being in force relating to the repatriation of discharged servicemen the fees to be paid for a shooter’s licence shall be—

(i) for a licence for one year—\$0.50 ; or

(ii) for a licence for three years—\$1.50.”

and asked leave to sit again.

On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Council adopted the resolution reported from the Committee of the whole.

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

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

20. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

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

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

Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.

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

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 36.

WEDNESDAY, 26TH APRIL, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What organizations are providing youth services in the Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) How much have these organizations received by way of subsidy in the past five years.
 - (c) Is consideration given to the economic difficulties of the area when funds are allocated.
 - (d) What are the standards which are set when determining such subsidies.
2. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What is the number of factories in each of the municipalities in the Melbourne West Province having up to 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 750, 1,000, and more than 1,000 employees, respectively.
 - (b) What occupational and industrial information has been collected by the Department of Labour and Industry to indicate a correlation between the type of labour required by these industries and the availability of such labour.
 - (c) What percentage of the non-manufacturing industries are forced to obtain skilled and professional employees from the eastern suburbs due to their unavailability within the immediate area of the western suburbs.
 - (d) Is the development of further tertiary educational facilities in the western suburbs, designed to enhance the availability of qualified labour, contemplated for the development of industry in the western suburbs.
3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Are graduates of the Lisson-grove youth leadership training course suitable for employment by municipalities as youth workers ; if so, what subsidy is available for their employment.
4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Which municipalities in the Melbourne West Province are currently engaged in the provision of youth welfare services.
 - (b) What amount of subsidy is available to such municipalities to undertake such welfare services.
5. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What studies have been undertaken into the transport needs of industries in the western suburbs of Melbourne up to 1985.
 - (b) Have such studies indicated that local industry regards transport as one of the most significant factors in site location in the western suburbs.
 - (c) Do such studies indicate that the major improvements sought by local industry, in terms of improved rail and road facilities, are directed towards industrial development.
6. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) In view of the importance of the proposed freeways to the development of the Metropolitan Transportation Plan, on what dates is it anticipated that freeways 3, 5, 9 and 12 will be completed to the standard indicated in the Plan.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that the freeways in the western suburbs will be commenced and completed.

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

7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many teachers are required to fill vacancies at Werribee High School.
 - In which subjects are the shortages.
 - When will the vacancies be filled.
 - Is the Education Department aware of shortages which will occur by the beginning of term II., and by July, 1972.
8. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the Metropolitan Transportation Plan's forecast that the greatest future increase will be in daily trips by private cars—(i) what plans exist for the development of public transport in Melbourne's western suburbs to increase the percentage of persons able to use public transport ; and (ii) what plans exist to assist the western suburbs municipalities to meet the financial cost involved in the increased use of roads for commercial purposes.
9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What amount of money has been allocated and expended in each of the past five years by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for sewerage, water, foreshore, drainage, and parklands, respectively, in the municipalities of Altona, Footscray, Keilor, Sunshine, Bulla, Werribee, and Williamstown.
10. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- In respect of each of the municipalities in the Melbourne West Province, will he ascertain and inform the House—(i) the value of production per annum per person employed in each class of industry ; (ii) the respective values of land, buildings, plant and machinery per person employed in each class of industry ; (iii) the average salary and wages paid over the whole year according to class of industry (comparing managerial, clerical staff, chemists and draughtsmen, to all employees) ; and (iv) the average salary and wages paid to males and females, respectively, in each of these classes.
 - What will be the changes in areas in the Province zoned as industrial as a result of amendments to the Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme proposed by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.
11. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Is it proposed to re-zone the land north of Spence-street and Fosters-road, Keilor ; if so—(i) what is the proposed re-zoning ; and (ii) when will it become effective.
12. The Hon. H. R. WARD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Did the Country Roads Board remove the " Welcome to Phillip Island " sign ; if so, will he advise on the present whereabouts of the sign.
 - Has the Board banned all signs of " Welcome " to various towns and cities, erected on road reserves ; if not, why was the " Phillip Island " sign singled out for removal.
 - What rules or regulations (if any) apply to the erection of tourist signs on road reserves in Victoria.
13. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- What is the proposed route of Fosters-road, Keilor.
 - When will work start on the proposed route.
 - Will he supply a map of the proposed route.
14. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- During the past ten years, what capital expenditure by way of new buildings or alterations to existing buildings has been undertaken by the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board at its Port Melbourne floor.
 - What capital expenditure has been spent on machinery for grading and pulping purposes.
 - Is it the policy of the Board to carry out all its egg pulping operations at Port Melbourne, and cease operations at Bendigo.
15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works propose to proceed with the Pilgrim, Buckley and Buckingham streets project at Footscray ; if so, when.
 - How many houses have been acquired for the project.
 - What will be the proposed traffic route.
16. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- During the years 1970 and 1971, how many people were employed by the State Electricity Commission at the district and branch offices in Castlemaine.
 - How many employees have been transferred and/or retired during the past two years, and have these employees been replaced.
 - How many employees are working at the Commission's office at Bendigo and, by arrangement, travelling from Castlemaine.
 - What are the future employment prospects at these district and branch offices.

17. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will the Honorable the Chief Secretary make an approach to the appropriate responsible authorities with a request that the book known as “The Little Red School Book” be withdrawn from circulation and sale.
18. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- During the past five years, how much money has been allocated by the Country Roads Board (apart from the Lower Yarra Crossing Project) for works in the municipalities of Altona, Keilor, Footscray, Williamstown, Werribee, Melton, Bulla, and Sunshine.
 - For which works were such moneys allocated, and what were the bases of the allocations.
 - How do these allocations compare with the allocations made for works carried out in the municipalities of Caulfield, Malvern, Camberwell, Kew, Oakleigh, Waverley, and Springvale, over the same period.
- *19. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Did the Minister of Education visit Werribee recently to discuss problems at the Werribee High School and also to discuss the proposed technical school with representatives seeking its establishment ; if so—(i) when did the visit take place ; (ii) why were the Legislative Council Members representing the area not informed of the visit ; and (iii) what were the results of such discussions.
- *20. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is it proposed to build a technical school as an annexe to the Werribee High School ; if so—(i) why ; and (ii) has consideration been given to future extensions which may occur.
- *21. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the Minister of Housing received special additional finance from the Commonwealth Government to assist in housing families with low incomes ; if so—(i) is this financial assistance available to areas experiencing economic difficulty which would limit the availability of private accommodation for the young and the old ; (ii) what finance (if any) will be available from such funds for the development of accommodation in Melbourne’s western suburbs ; and (iii) what criterion (if any) is used by the Housing Commission in determining the allocation of such funds.
- *22. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Under what circumstances, and at what points, does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works allow raw sewage to discharge into the Yarra river and its tributaries.
 - When is it contemplated that the South-eastern sewerage system will be completed.
- *23. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- Did the Minister of Education receive a deputation of three representatives of Werribee High School teachers on Tuesday evening, 18th April ; if so what were the results of such discussions.
 - Why were not Honorable Members of the Legislative Council representing the area invited to attend.
 - Are Honorable Members to assume that this was done for political gain and will it continue to happen on future occasions.
- *24. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- What joint programmes are currently being undertaken by the Housing Commission with the Commonwealth Government and local municipalities to provide accommodation for the aged in Melbourne West Province.
 - Is it envisaged that the Commission would provide hostel accommodation for the aged if local government bodies made land available similar to that made available for other types of aged persons’ accommodation.
 - What other forms of accommodation for the aged will become available in the Province in the next five years.
 - Will the Commission make financial assistance available to enable the renovation of homes owned by elderly persons, to make them suitable for the needs of the elderly, as an alternative to the development of special accommodation for the aged.
 - What programmes does the Commission have in conjunction with local communities and municipalities to assist new residents in an area to integrate with the surrounding community.
- *25. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- How many new secondary industries were established in country locations beyond a radius of 30 miles from the Melbourne G.P.O. during the period 1st July, 1970, to 31st December, 1971, stating—(i) the towns at which they were located ; and (ii) how many male and female employees, respectively, are presently engaged in each such industry.
 - Has any secondary industry closed down in these locations during this period ; if so, how many employees were affected.
- *26. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What are the locations of land held for secondary school purposes in the Werribee Shire.

- *27. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) Which Housing Commission estates in the Melbourne West Province will become available for occupancy, either by rental or purchase, in the next three years.
 - (b) Will the local estate officers for these estates be authorized to work in association with local social welfare officers to assist in the development of social facilities for this area.
- *28. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What was the selling price of three-bedroom Housing Commission homes built in brick veneer and concrete, respectively, within the municipalities in the Douutta Galla Province, giving the numbers of each type in each municipality sold to eligible applicants during 1970 and 1971.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
2. ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
3. TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate*.
4. JUSTICES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
5. TAXATION APPEALS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
6. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate*.
7. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. E. Kent).
8. MARINE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).
9. ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
10. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Walton).
11. COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. A. W. Knight).
12. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
13. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
14. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—To be further considered in Committee.
15. SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
16. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
2. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (Hon. G. L. Chandler).
3. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
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STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 37.

THURSDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What organizations are providing youth services in the Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) How much have these organizations received by way of subsidy in the past five years.
 - (c) Is consideration given to the economic difficulties of the area when funds are allocated.
 - (d) What are the standards which are set when determining such subsidies.
2. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
 - (a) What is the number of factories in each of the municipalities in the Melbourne West Province having up to 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 750, 1,000, and more than 1,000 employees, respectively.
 - (b) What occupational and industrial information has been collected by the Department of Labour and Industry to indicate a correlation between the type of labour required by these industries and the availability of such labour.
 - (c) What percentage of the non-manufacturing industries are forced to obtain skilled and professional employees from the eastern suburbs due to their unavailability within the immediate area of the western suburbs.
 - (d) Is the development of further tertiary educational facilities in the western suburbs, designed to enhance the availability of qualified labour, contemplated for the development of industry in the western suburbs.
3. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Are graduates of the Lisson-grove youth leadership training course suitable for employment by municipalities as youth workers ; if so, what subsidy is available for their employment.
4. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Which municipalities in the Melbourne West Province are currently engaged in the provision of youth welfare services.
 - (b) What amount of subsidy is available to such municipalities to undertake such welfare services.
5. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What studies have been undertaken into the transport needs of industries in the western suburbs of Melbourne up to 1985.
 - (b) Have such studies indicated that local industry regards transport as one of the most significant factors in site location in the western suburbs.
 - (c) Do such studies indicate that the major improvements sought by local industry, in terms of improved rail and road facilities, are directed towards industrial development.
6. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) In view of the importance of the proposed freeways to the development of the Metropolitan Transportation Plan, on what dates is it anticipated that freeways 3, 5, 9 and 12 will be completed to the standard indicated in the Plan.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that the freeways in the western suburbs will be commenced and completed.

7. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- How many teachers are required to fill vacancies at Werribee High School.
 - In which subjects are the shortages.
 - When will the vacancies be filled.
 - Is the Education Department aware of shortages which will occur by the beginning of term II., and by July, 1972.
8. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the Metropolitan Transportation Plan's forecast that the greatest future increase will be in daily trips by private cars—(i) what plans exist for the development of public transport in Melbourne's western suburbs to increase the percentage of persons able to use public transport ; and (ii) what plans exist to assist the western suburbs municipalities to meet the financial cost involved in the increased use of roads for commercial purposes.
9. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—What amount of money has been allocated and expended in each of the past five years by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for sewerage, water foreshore, drainage, and parklands, respectively, in the municipalities of Altona, Footscray, Keilor, Sunshine, Bulla, Werribee, and Williamstown.
10. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- In respect of each of the municipalities in the Melbourne West Province, will he ascertain and inform the House—(i) the value of production per annum per person employed in each class of industry ; (ii) the respective values of land, buildings, plant and machinery per person employed in each class of industry ; (iii) the average salary and wages paid over the whole year according to class of industry (comparing managerial, clerical staff, chemists and draughtsmen, to all employees) ; and (iv) the average salary and wages paid to males and females, respectively, in each of these classes.
 - What will be the changes in areas in the Province zoned as industrial as a result of amendments to the Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme proposed by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.
11. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Is it proposed to re-zone the land north of Spence-street and Fosters-road, Keilor ; if so—(i) what is the proposed re-zoning ; and (ii) when will it become effective.
12. The Hon. H. R. WARD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Did the Country Roads Board remove the " Welcome to Phillip Island " sign ; if so, will he advise on the present whereabouts of the sign.
 - Has the Board banned all signs of " Welcome " to various towns and cities, erected on road reserves ; if not, why was the " Phillip Island " sign singled out for removal.
 - What rules or regulations (if any) apply to the erection of tourist signs on road reserves in Victoria.
13. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- What is the proposed route of Fosters-road, Keilor.
 - When will work start on the proposed route.
 - Will he supply a map of the proposed route.
14. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- During the past ten years, what capital expenditure by way of new buildings or alterations to existing buildings has been undertaken by the Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board at its Port Melbourne floor.
 - What capital expenditure has been spent on machinery for grading and pulping purposes.
 - Is it the policy of the Board to carry out all its egg pulping operations at Port Melbourne, and cease operations at Bendigo.
15. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- Does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works propose to proceed with the Pilgrim, Buckley and Buckingham streets project at Footscray ; if so, when.
 - How many houses have been acquired for the project.
 - What will be the proposed traffic route.
16. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- During the years 1970 and 1971, how many people were employed by the State Electricity Commission at the district and branch offices in Castlemaine.
 - How many employees have been transferred and/or retired during the past two years, and have these employees been replaced.
 - How many employees are working at the Commission's office at Bendigo and, by arrangement, travelling from Castlemaine.
 - What are the future employment prospects at these district and branch offices.

17. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Will the Honorable the Chief Secretary make an approach to the appropriate responsible authorities with a request that the book known as “The Little Red School Book” be withdrawn from circulation and sale.
18. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) During the past five years, how much money has been allocated by the Country Roads Board (apart from the Lower Yarra Crossing Project) for works in the municipalities of Altona, Keilor, Footscray, Williamstown, Werribee, Melton, Bulla, and Sunshine.
 - (b) For which works were such moneys allocated, and what were the bases of the allocations.
 - (c) How do these allocations compare with the allocations made for works carried out in the municipalities of Caulfield, Malvern, Camberwell, Kew, Oakleigh, Waverley, and Springvale, over the same period.
19. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Did the Minister of Education visit Werribee recently to discuss problems at the Werribee High School and also to discuss the proposed technical school with representatives seeking its establishment ; if so—(i) when did the visit take place ; (ii) why were the Legislative Council Members representing the area not informed of the visit ; and (iii) what were the results of such discussions.
20. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Is it proposed to build a technical school as an annexe to the Werribee High School ; if so—(i) why ; and (ii) has consideration been given to future extensions which may occur.
21. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the Minister of Housing received special additional finance from the Commonwealth Government to assist in housing families with low incomes ; if so—(i) is this financial assistance available to areas experiencing economic difficulty which would limit the availability of private accommodation for the young and the old ; (ii) what finance (if any) will be available from such funds for the development of accommodation in Melbourne’s western suburbs ; and (iii) what criterion (if any) is used by the Housing Commission in determining the allocation of such funds.
22. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
- (a) Under what circumstances, and at what points, does the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works allow raw sewage to discharge into the Yarra river and its tributaries.
 - (b) When is it contemplated that the South-eastern sewerage system will be completed.
23. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) Did the Minister of Education receive a deputation of three representatives of Werribee High School teachers on Tuesday evening, 18th April ; if so what were the results of such discussions.
 - (b) Why were not Honorable Members of the Legislative Council representing the area invited to attend.
 - (c) Are Honorable Members to assume that this was done for political gain and will it continue to happen on future occasions.
24. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) What joint programmes are currently being undertaken by the Housing Commission with the Commonwealth Government and local municipalities to provide accommodation for the aged in Melbourne West Province.
 - (b) Is it envisaged that the Commission would provide hostel accommodation for the aged if local government bodies made land available similar to that made available for other types of aged persons’ accommodation.
 - (c) What other forms of accommodation for the aged will become available in the Province in the next five years.
 - (d) Will the Commission make financial assistance available to enable the renovation of homes owned by elderly persons, to make them suitable for the needs of the elderly, as an alternative to the development of special accommodation for the aged.
 - (e) What programmes does the Commission have in conjunction with local communities and municipalities to assist new residents in an area to integrate with the surrounding community.
25. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister for State Development—
- (a) How many new secondary industries were established in country locations beyond a radius of 30 miles from the Melbourne G.P.O. during the period 1st July, 1970, to 31st December, 1971, stating—(i) the towns at which they were located ; and (ii) how many male and female employees, respectively, are presently engaged in each such industry.
 - (b) Has any secondary industry closed down in these locations during this period ; if so, how many employees were affected.
26. The Hon. A. W. KNIGHT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What are the locations of land held for secondary school purposes in the Werribee Shire.

27. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- Which Housing Commission estates in the Melbourne West Province will become available for occupancy, either by rental or purchase, in the next three years.
 - Will the local estate officers for these estates be authorized to work in association with local social welfare officers to assist in the development of social facilities for this area.
28. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—What was the selling price of three-bedroom Housing Commission homes built in brick veneer and concrete, respectively, within the municipalities in the Doutta Galla Province, giving the numbers of each type in each municipality sold to eligible applicants during 1970 and 1971.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton).*
- ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
- SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
- DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
- ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).*
- JUSTICES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
- NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate.*
- TAXATION APPEALS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*
- SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).*
- MARINE BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).*
- COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight).*
- LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*
- COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).*
- FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—To be further considered in Committee.
- DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).*

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading.
- VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Hon. J. W. Galbally)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. L. Chandler).*
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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 37.

WEDNESDAY, 26TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. THE LATE HONORABLE GEOFFREY JOHN O'CONNELL.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this House place on record their deep regret at the death of the Honorable Geoffrey John O'Connell, one of the Members for the Melbourne Province, and their keen appreciation of the long and valuable services rendered by him to the Parliament and the people of Victoria.
And other Honorable Members and the President having addressed the House—
The question was put and, Honorable Members signifying their assent by rising in their places, unanimously resolved in the affirmative.
3. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Honorable Geoffrey John O'Connell, the House do now adjourn.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 38.

THURSDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler presented a Message from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, on the 26th instant, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz. :—
Trustee Companies (National Trustees) Act.
Game Act.
Vermin and Noxious Weeds (Allowances) Act.
Leo Cussen Institute for Continuing Legal Education Act.
Revocation and Excision of Crown Reservations Act.
3. MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to provide for the Better Administration of the Mt. Hotham Alpine Area*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

4. **FILMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 13 of the ‘ Films Act 1971 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

5. **POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2).**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Section 5 of the ‘ Poisons Act 1962 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

6. **PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Public Service Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

7. **CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to continue a Consumer Affairs Council and a Consumer Protection Bureau, to make further Provision with respect to certain dishonest or undesirable Trade Practices, to consolidate and amend certain Enactments relating to the Protection of the Consumer and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

The President said—I have examined this Bill and find that Division 3 of Part II. which relates to door to door sales is identical with the provisions contained in the Door to Door Sales Bill, which this House passed and transmitted to the Legislative Assembly on the 17th of November last. To allow the Bill now transmitted to proceed to a first reading would, in my opinion, be a transgression of Standing Order No. 99.

The Hon. V. O. Dickie moved, by leave—That, as the Door to Door Sales Bill was passed by this House and transmitted to the Legislative Assembly with a request for the concurrence of that House on 17th November, 1971, and as the Legislative Assembly by resolution adopted on 29th February, 1972, ordered that the Bill be withdrawn, and as the Legislative Assembly has since passed and transmitted for the concurrence of this House a Bill intituled “ *An Act to continue a Consumer Affairs Council and a Consumer Protection Bureau, to make further Provision with respect to certain dishonest or undesirable Trade Practices, to consolidate and amend certain Enactments relating to the Protection of the Consumer and for other purposes* ”, which Bill embraces the provisions of the Door to Door Sales Bill aforementioned, and notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order No. 99, this House authorizes and requests the President to allow the matter to be re-submitted for its consideration in the Consumer Protection Bill now transmitted from the Legislative Assembly.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

8. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (POWERS) BILL.**—On the motion (by leave without notice) of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, leave was given to bring in a Bill to make provision with respect to the Confirmation Ratification and Validation of certain Leases purported to have been made by the Councils of Municipalities to amend the *Local Government Act 1958* and for other purposes, and the said Bill was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

9. **ROAD SAFETY COMMITTEE—NINTH PROGRESS REPORT.**—The Honorable W. G. Fry presented the Ninth Progress Report from the Road Safety Committee upon the Visual Average Speed Computer and Recorder, (VASCAR), together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

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

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

Clean Air Act 1958—Clean Air (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 93).

Health Act 1958—Health (Treatment of the Scalp) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 94).

Instruments Act 1958—Instruments (Fees) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 95).

Labour and Industry—Report of the Department for the year 1971.

Labour and Industry Act 1958—Labour and Industry (Explosive-Powered Tools) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 92).

Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1958—Melbourne Harbor Trust Superannuation Regulations 1957 (Amendment No. 1/72) (S.R. No. 96).

Town and Country Planning Act 1961—

City of Bendigo Planning Scheme 1962—Amendment No. 8, 1971.

Town and Country Planning Regulations 1962, Amending Regulations No. 10 (S.R. No. 97).

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

12. DENTISTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered, after debate, That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
13. MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
14. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable A. W. Knight moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
15. FILMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
16. MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (RECONSTITUTION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
Question—put.
The Council divided.

Ayes, 24.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
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Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 6.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

17. PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

18. **ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
- Resolved—That the Council will, later this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
19. **DOOKIE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LAND BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable K. S. Gross having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
20. **TATTERSALL CONSULTATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
21. **ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
- House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That the Bill be transmitted to the Assembly with a Message desiring their concurrence therein.
22. **GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to provide for the Establishment of a Government Buildings Advisory Council and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and to be read a second time on the next day of meeting.
23. **CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
- The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable J. M. Walton, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
- Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.
24. **SELECT COMMITTEE (ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act relating to a certain Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly and to temporarily impose certain Restrictions in relation to the exercise of Voting Rights and the making of Take-over Offers for Shares in Ansett Transport Industries Limited and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
- On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.

25. **TAXATION APPEALS BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments, and desiring their concurrence therein.
26. **SELECT COMMITTEE (ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Tripovich, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
27. **MARINE BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
28. **COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
29. **ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment, and desiring their concurrence therein.
30. **SELECT COMMITTEE (ANSETT TRANSPORT INDUSTRIES) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time, after debate, and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
31. **JUSTICES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and asked leave to sit again.
Resolved—That the Council will, on the next day of meeting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

32. ADJOURNMENT—ALTERATION OF HOUR OF MEETING.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next at Two o'clock.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 38.

TUESDAY, 2ND MAY, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What studies have been undertaken into the transport needs of industries in the western suburbs of Melbourne up to 1985.
 - (b) Have such studies indicated that local industry regards transport as one of the most significant factors in site location in the western suburbs.
 - (c) Do such studies indicate that the major improvements sought by local industry, in terms of improved rail and road facilities, are directed towards industrial development.
2. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the Metropolitan Transportation Plan's forecast that the greatest future increase will be in daily trips by private cars—(i) what plans exist for the development of public transport in Melbourne's western suburbs to increase the percentage of persons able to use public transport ; and (ii) what plans exist to assist the western suburbs municipalities to meet the financial cost involved in the increased use of roads for commercial purposes.
3. The Hon. H. R. WARD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) Did the Country Roads Board remove the " Welcome to Phillip Island " sign ; if so, will he advise on the present whereabouts of the sign.
 - (b) Has the Board banned all signs of " Welcome " to various towns and cities, erected on road reserves ; if not, why was the " Phillip Island " sign singled out for removal.
 - (c) What rules or regulations (if any) apply to the erection of tourist signs on road reserves in Victoria.
4. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) During the years 1970 and 1971, how many people were employed by the State Electricity Commission at the district and branch offices in Castlemaine.
 - (b) How many employees have been transferred and/or retired during the past two years, and have these employees been replaced.
 - (c) How many employees are working at the Commission's office at Bendigo and, by arrangement, travelling from Castlemaine.
 - (d) What are the future employment prospects at these district and branch offices.
- *5. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Will the Government reconsider its decision concerning the denial of the services of a stipendiary magistrate to sit at the court house in Koroit ; if not, why.
- *6. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) At what stage are plans and specifications for a new primary school at Lalor West.
 - (b) When is it anticipated that tenders will be called and closed.
 - (c) When is it anticipated that the construction will be completed.
- *7. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) How many children are provided for in the Social Welfare Department's Family Group Homes Scheme.
 - (b) How many homes are in operation, and where are they situated.
 - (c) How many homes are currently being built, and where are they situated.

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- *8. The Hon. C. A. MITCHELL : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—Does the Government intend to close passenger rail services in south-western Victoria ; if so, does this include the air-conditioned rail car that runs between Portland and Ararat.
- *9. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—What are the current interest rates and terms of repayment in the case of finance made available under—(i) normal financing operations of the Rural Finance and Settlement Commission ; (ii) debt reconstruction under the Rural Reconstruction Scheme ; and (iii) farm build-up under the Rural Reconstruction Scheme.
- *10. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 (a) On what date was the report of the Town and Country Planning Board for the year ending 30th June, 1971, presented to him.
 (b) Has he caused a copy of this report to be laid before both Houses of Parliament ; if so, when.
 (c) Why was all mention of the Board's income and expenditure omitted from its 25th annual report, covering the twelve months to 30th June, 1970.
- *11. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has a decision been made as to the disposal of the buildings and land at the Cope Cope Primary School ; if not, when will a decision be made.
- *12. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 (a) What percentage of the total money required to provide a Commonwealth library for each State secondary school is allocated each year.
 (b) By what date is it anticipated that every secondary school will have a Commonwealth standard library meeting Commonwealth grants specifications.
 (c) How many schools in Victoria have obtained libraries of this standard since the Commonwealth scheme started.
 (d) When is it anticipated that Warragul High School will have a library conforming to the Commonwealth standard library.
- *13. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Are amateur movie photographers and members of camera clubs being required to register as producers under section 4 (1) (c) of the *Films Act 1971*.
- *14. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Which departments, commissions, and authorities have the power of compulsory acquisition over private and other lands.
- *15. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—Has the Minister of Education received a report from the Director of Teacher Education and the Assistant Director in charge of Planning, on the submissions of the Bendigo Teachers' College regarding the College's building programme ; if so—(i) what was the gist of these reports ; and (ii) what is the proposed building programme for the college.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (POWERS) BILL—(Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading.
- *2. GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading.
3. DENTISTS BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich).
4. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—To be further considered in Committee.
5. JUSTICES BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—To be further considered in Committee.
6. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy).
7. SOLDIER SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. E. Kent).
8. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
9. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. A. J. Hunt)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally).
- *10. MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).
- *11. FILMS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne)—Second reading—Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot).

- *12. POISONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2)—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. A. W. Knight)*.
- *13. PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.
- *14. CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
15. SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
2. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. L. Chandler)*.
3. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
4. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
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7. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
8. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
9. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.
10. EGG INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(*Hon. D. E. Kent*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. L. Chandler)*.

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LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, and C. A. Mitchell.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 39.

WEDNESDAY, 3RD MAY, 1972.

Questions.

1. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) What studies have been undertaken into the transport needs of industries in the western suburbs of Melbourne up to 1985.
 - (b) Have such studies indicated that local industry regards transport as one of the most significant factors in site location in the western suburbs.
 - (c) Do such studies indicate that the major improvements sought by local industry, in terms of improved rail and road facilities, are directed towards industrial development.
2. The Hon. H. A. THOMAS : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—In view of the Metropolitan Transportation Plan's forecast that the greatest future increase will be in daily trips by private cars—(i) what plans exist for the development of public transport in Melbourne's western suburbs to increase the percentage of persons able to use public transport ; and (ii) what plans exist to assist the western suburbs municipalities to meet the financial cost involved in the increased use of roads for commercial purposes.
3. The Hon. F. J. GRANTER : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) During the years 1970 and 1971, how many people were employed by the State Electricity Commission at the district and branch offices in Castlemaine.
 - (b) How many employees have been transferred and/or retired during the past two years, and have these employees been replaced.
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4. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) How many children are provided for in the Social Welfare Department's Family Group Homes Scheme.
 - (b) How many homes are in operation, and where are they situated.
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5. The Hon. M. A. CLARKE : To ask the Honorable the Minister for Local Government—
 - (a) On what date was the report of the Town and Country Planning Board for the year ending 30th June, 1971, presented to him.
 - (b) Has he caused a copy of this report to be laid before both Houses of Parliament ; if so, when.
 - (c) Why was all mention of the Board's income and expenditure omitted from its 25th annual report, covering the twelve months to 30th June, 1970.
6. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
 - (a) What percentage of the total money required to provide a Commonwealth library for each State secondary school is allocated each year.
 - (b) By what date is it anticipated that every secondary school will have a Commonwealth standard library meeting Commonwealth grants specifications.
 - (c) How many schools in Victoria have obtained libraries of this standard since the Commonwealth scheme started.
 - (d) When is it anticipated that Warragul High School will have a library conforming to the Commonwealth standard library.

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7. The Hon. R. W. MAY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—Which departments, commissions, and authorities have the power of compulsory acquisition over private and other lands.
- *8. The Hon. R. J. EDDY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Public Works—
- (a) As Lalor Park Primary School, which was opened as a new school in 1970 with an intake of 620 pupils, presently has a population of 652, how does the Education Department plan to cope with a further intake of an additional 200 students next term and a further intake of some extra 400 students next year.
 - (b) Will extra portable class-rooms be forwarded to the school ; if so, how many does the Department anticipate sending there ; if not, how does the Department propose to accommodate the extra intake.
- *9. The Hon. D. E. KENT : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) Is he aware that the Minister of Agriculture in South Australia has announced a base year for the establishment of hen quotas for the poultry industry to control the production of eggs in that State.
 - (b) Has he had a request from the President of the Council of Egg Marketing Authorities and the Australian Egg Board to make a similar announcement in Victoria as a matter of urgency ; if so, in view of the critical state of the industry in this State and the fact that many producers have already been forced out of the industry in recent months, will he immediately announce a base period.
- *10. The Hon. S. R. McDONALD : To ask the Honorable the Minister of State Development—
- (a) What new industries have been established in Bendigo during each of the past three years, giving the names of those industries.
 - (b) What industries have closed down in Bendigo during each of the past three years, giving the names of those industries.
- *11. The Hon. HADDON STOREY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
- (a) Except for the drought year of 1967–68, has there ever been a shortage of oats in Victoria until recent times.
 - (b) Was the Oats Marketing Board formed in late 1971 to ensure supplies of oats, and to stabilize prices for oats.
 - (c) Has a serious shortage of oats developed in Victoria since the formation of the Board ; if so, what is the cause of such shortage.
 - (d) Is such shortage resulting in a substantial reduction of exports to traditional Australian markets, and a loss of such markets to European suppliers.
 - (e) Did the Board sell oats to Europe this season at prices substantially below those it was willing to offer to Australian processors for export on a F.O.B. Australian port basis ; if so, why did the Board not offer oats to Australian processors at the same prices, so as to preserve traditional Australian markets.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (POWERS) BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
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STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and H. A. Thomas.

MR. PRESIDENT TAKES THE CHAIR AT A QUARTER-PAST ELEVEN O'CLOCK.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 40.

THURSDAY, 4TH MAY, 1972.

Question.

1. The Hon. HADDON STOREY : To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture—
 - (a) Except for the drought year of 1967–68, has there ever been a shortage of oats in Victoria until recent times.
 - (b) Was the Oats Marketing Board formed in late 1971 to ensure supplies of oats, and to stabilize prices for oats.
 - (c) Has a serious shortage of oats developed in Victoria since the formation of the Board ; if so, what is the cause of such shortage.
 - (d) Is such shortage resulting in a substantial reduction of exports to traditional Australian markets, and a loss of such markets to European suppliers.
 - (e) Did the Board sell oats to Europe this season at prices substantially below those it was willing to offer to Australian processors for export on a F.O.B. Australian port basis ; if so, why did the Board not offer oats to Australian processors at the same prices, so as to preserve traditional Australian markets.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

- *1. LIQUOR CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading.
2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (POWERS) BILL—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Walton)*.
- *3. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
- *4. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. Murray Byrne*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. W. Galbally)*.
- *5. RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. D. G. Elliot)*.
- *6. STAMPS (BOOKMAKERS' STATEMENTS) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. V. O. Dickie*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. R. J. Eddy)*.
7. SUPPLY (JULY TO SEPTEMBER) BILL—(*from Assembly—Hon. G. L. Chandler*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. J. M. Tripovich)*.

General Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :—

1. WRONGS (INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
2. VAGRANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate (Hon. G. L. Chandler)*.
3. WEST GATE BRIDGE TRAGEDY—REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION—To be considered.
4. ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION IN THE POLICE FORCE IN CONNEXION WITH ILLEGAL ABORTION PRACTICES—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
5. STATE TEACHING SERVICE—REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY—To be considered.
6. THE GEELONG GAS COMPANY SHARES—REPORT OF INVESTIGATION UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1961—To be considered.

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

7. RIGHT OF PRIVACY BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading.
8. CRIMES (SENTENCES) BILL—(*Hon. J. W. Galbally*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. J. M. Walton*).
9. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PLANNING FOR WESTERN PORT REGION—To be considered.
10. EGG INDUSTRY STABILIZATION BILL—(*Hon. D. E. Kent*)—Second reading—*Resumption of debate* (*Hon. G. L. Chandler*).

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

R. W. GARRETT,
President.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.—The Honorable G. J. Nicol.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.—The Honorables A. K. Bradbury, W. G. Fry, K. S. Gross, and A. W. Knight.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

HOUSE (JOINT).—The Honorables the President (*ex officio*), A. K. Bradbury, D. G. Elliot, H. M. Hamilton, D. E. Kent, and S. R. McDonald.

LIBRARY (JOINT).—The Honorables the President, M. A. Clarke, R. J. Eddy, F. S. Grimwade, and J. M. Walton.

MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).—The Honorables R. J. Eddy, S. E. Gleeson, F. J. Granter, and S. R. McDonald.

PRINTING.—The Honorables the President, B. P. Dunn, S. E. Gleeson, O. G. Jenkins, A. W. Knight, A. R. Mansell, and I. A. Swinburne.

ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).—The Honorables B. P. Dunn, W. G. Fry, H. M. Hamilton, and J. M. Walton.

STANDING ORDERS.—The Honorables the President, J. W. Galbally, V. T. Hauser, A. J. Hunt, A. R. Mansell, G. J. Nicol, I. A. Swinburne, J. M. Tripovich, and H. R. Ward.

STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).—The Honorables W. M. Campbell, M. A. Clarke, D. G. Elliot, F. S. Grimwade, R. W. May, and J. M. Tripovich.

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).—The Honorables K. S. Gross, C. A. Mitchell, and H. A. Thomas.

VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

No. 39.

TUESDAY, 2ND MAY, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—DAIRYING INDUSTRY.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler, by leave, made a Ministerial Statement on a Domestic Price Product Entitlement Scheme for the Dairying Industry.
3. SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, by leave, That the Honorable H. A. Thomas be a member of the Subordinate Legislation Committee.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
4. PAPERS.—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Bees Act 1971—Bees Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 98).
 - Firearms Act 1958—Firearms (National Trust of Australia) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 103).
 - Health Act 1958—
 - Health Act (Level of Penalties) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 100).
 - Meat Supervision (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 101).
 - Night-soil and Sewage (Contamination of Land) Amendment Regulations 1972 No. 2 (S.R. No. 99).
 - Land Conservation Council—Recommendation to the Governor in Council as to definition of Mick's Creek Water Supply Catchment, with map (two papers).
 - Public Service Act 1958—Public Service (Public Service Board) Regulations—Regulations amended (Nos. 209 to 214) (six papers).
 - Social Welfare Act 1970—Social Welfare (Cadetships) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 102).
 - Superannuation Act 1958—Superannuation (Table B) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 104).
 - Town and Country Planning Act 1961—
 - Geelong Planning Scheme 1959—Amendments No. 17, 1971 (City of Geelong), and No. 10, 1970 (Shire of Bellarine) (two papers).
 - Seymour Planning Scheme, with map (two papers).
 - Shire of Mornington Planning Scheme 1959—Amendment No. 42, 1971.
 - Shire of Swan Hill (Nyah-Nyah West) Planning Scheme 1965, with map (two papers).

5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (POWERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable J. M. Walton moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until Wednesday next.
6. GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable D. G. Elliot, for the Honorable A. W. Knight, moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
7. DENTISTS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable M. A. Clarke moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Debate ensued.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
Debate ensued.
Question—put.
The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

Noes, 15.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

8. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
9. JUSTICES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments, and desiring their concurrence therein.
10. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 6 and 7, be postponed until later this day.
11. LEGAL PROFESSION PRACTICE (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
12. COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 5.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

Dookie Agricultural College Land Act.

Country Fire Authority (Amendment) Act.

Select Committee (Ansett Transport Industries) Act.

14. MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
W. G. Fry,
J. W. Galbally,
S. E. Gleeson (*Teller*),
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
D. E. Kent,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

15. NURSES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins (*Teller*),
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

17. POLICE OFFENCES BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Part V. of the ‘ Police Offences Act 1958 ’ and Section 17 of the ‘ Summary Offences Act 1966 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

18. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 12 and 13, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

20. POLICE OFFENCES BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.
The Honorable R. J. Eddy moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
21. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That the House do adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 40.

WEDNESDAY, 3RD MAY, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to authorize certain Football Pools to be carried on in Victoria, to establish a Sports Commission, to make Provision with respect to Financial Assistance for Improvement to certain Sports Grounds, to amend the ‘ Tattersall Consultations Act 1958 ’ and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable V. O. Dickie, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
3. COMMONWEALTH CONSTITUTION.—RESOLUTION CONCERNING PROPOSED CONVENTION.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Resolution concerning the proposed Constitutional Convention, adopted this day by the Assembly and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

The Resolution is as follows :—

That, whereas the Legislative Council on the fourteenth day of October, 1970 resolved *nemine contradicente* that the Legislative Council of Victoria, recognizing that the present relationships between the Commonwealth of Australia and the States call for urgent review and that a durable and acceptable adjustment of powers and responsibilities within the Federal system can only be achieved by effective amendments to the Commonwealth Constitution, request the Government of Victoria to invite the other States to join the Victorian Parliament in preparing such amendments, and subsequently in conferring with the Commonwealth Parliament with a view to submitting agreed amendments to a referendum of the Australian people :

And whereas the Legislative Assembly on the twentieth day of October, 1970 passed *nemine contradicente* a Resolution identical (except in respect of formal matters) :

And whereas the Parliaments of the States of New South Wales and Tasmania have responded to the invitation extended by the Government of Victoria pursuant to that Resolution :

And whereas the Government of Victoria has received indications from the Governments of the other States of Australia that they would be willing to join any Convention to review the operation of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia :

And whereas it is expedient that the Parliament of Victoria should appoint delegates of the Parliament to attend any such Convention :

NOW THEREFORE the Legislative Assembly of Victoria further resolve—

1. That for the purposes of the proposed Convention—
 - (a) twelve Members of the Parliament of Victoria be appointed as Delegates to the proposed Convention to review the operation of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia and to propose such amendments to that Constitution as they think fit ;
 - (b) the four Members appointed by the Legislative Council shall be
 - (c) the eight Members appointed by the Legislative Assembly shall be The Honorable R. J. Hamer, A. C. Holding, Esquire, I. F. McLaren, Esquire, The Honorable G. O. Reid, Peter Ross-Edwards, Esquire, The Honorable L. H. S. Thompson, M. S. Whiting, Esquire, and F. N. Wilkes, Esquire.
2. That each appointed Member of the Delegation continue as an appointed Member whilst a Member of the Parliament of Victoria or until the House by which he has been appointed otherwise determines.
3. That The Honorable R. J. Hamer be Leader of the Delegation and that A. C. Holding, Esquire, be Deputy-Leader.

4. That where, because of illness or other cause, a Delegate is unable to attend a meeting of the proposed Convention—

- (i) if the Delegate is a Member of the Legislative Council, the Leader may appoint an alternate Member being either _____ ; and
- (ii) if the Delegate is a Member of the Legislative Assembly, the Leader may appoint an alternate Member being either B. J. Evans, Esquire, R. C. Fordham, Esquire, The Honorable E. R. Meagher, The Honorable T. W. Mitchell, A. H. Scanlan, Esquire, or J. T. Wilton, Esquire—

and the Member so appointed shall be a Member of the Delegation for that meeting.

5. That the Leader from time to time make a report to the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly respectively of such information and matters arising out of the proposed Convention as he thinks fit, such report to be laid on the Table of each House.

6. That the Honorable the Attorney-General provide such suitably-qualified assistance for the Delegation as it may require.

7. That the Honorable the Premier inform the Governments of other States and the Commonwealth of this Resolution.

The Honorable G. L. Chandler moved, That this House concur with the Assembly in adopting the Resolution and that—

- (i) the first of the blanks therein be filled up by the insertion of the words “ Legislative Council and the ” ;
- (ii) the second of the blanks therein be filled up by the insertion of “ The Honorable A. J. Hunt, The Honorable J. W. Galbally, The Honorable I. A. Swinburne, and The Honorable J. M. Tripovich ” ; and
- (iii) the third of the blanks therein be filled up by the insertion of “ The Honorable A. R. Mansell, The Honorable G. J. Nicol, or The Honorable J. M. Walton ”.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have concurred with the Assembly in adopting the Resolution relating to the proposed Convention to review the operation of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia and have filled up the blanks therein.

4. 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 Tobacco Leaf shall become the property of the Tobacco Leaf Marketing Board for a further period of two years.

5. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 1 and 2, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

7. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 4 and 5, be postponed until later this day.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

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

10. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 7 be postponed until later this day.
11. **POLICE OFFENCES BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee.
- The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
- Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.

12. **COUNTY COURT (JURISDICTION) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that they have agreed to the amendment made in such Bill by the Council and have made an amendment in the Bill with which they desire the concurrence of the Council.

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

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

Amendment made by the Legislative Council.

How dealt with by the Legislative Assembly.

1. Clause 5, line 11, omit “ 1st July ”
and insert “ 1st September ”.

Agreed to but
the following
amendment
made in the
Bill :—
Clause 5, line 24,
omit “ 1st July ”
and insert “ 1st
September ”.

On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Council agreed to the amendment made by the Assembly and ordered that a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them therewith.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

THURSDAY, 4th MAY, 1972.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report.

The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That the Bill be now read a third time.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider (*Teller*),
W. V. Houghton (*Teller*),
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
G. J. Nicol,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a third time and passed.

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

15. RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘ Racing Act 1958 ’ with respect to Totalizator Commissions and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

16. STAMPS (BOOKMAKERS’ STATEMENTS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘ Stamps Act 1958 ’ in relation to Bookmakers’ Statements, and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

17. WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to increase the Compensation payable under the ‘ Workers Compensation Act 1958 ’*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

18. FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly returning this Bill and acquainting the Council that the Assembly, having considered the Message of the Council suggesting on the consideration of the Bill in Committee that the Assembly make a certain amendment in such Bill, had made the suggested amendment and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

Ordered—That the foregoing Message be referred to the Committee of the whole on the Bill.

The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole having been read, the President left the Chair.

House in Committee.

The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill (including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council) with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same, including the amendment made by the Assembly which was suggested by the Council, with an amendment and desiring their concurrence therein.

19. LIQUOR CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to amend the ‘ Liquor Control Act 1968 ’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

20. **PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES (TAKE-OVER OFFERS) BILL.**—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “*An Act to make Provision with respect to the Establishment and Functions of a Joint Standing Committee of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly with respect to Take-overs of Companies incorporated in Victoria, to amend the ‘Parliamentary Committees Act 1968’ and for other purposes*” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein. On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day. The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. Debate ensued. The Honorable V. T. Hauser moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Debate ensued. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
21. **RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
22. **STAMPS (BOOKMAKERS’ STATEMENTS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable R. J. Eddy moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
23. **WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable J. M. Walton, for the Honorable J. W. Galbally, moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until later this day.
24. **SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That this Bill be now read a second time. The Honorable D. G. Elliot moved, That the debate be now adjourned. Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative. Ordered—That the debate be adjourned until the next day of meeting.
25. **PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES (TAKE-OVER OFFERS) BILL.**—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole. House in Committee. The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with amendments, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with amendments and desiring their concurrence therein. And then the Council, at twenty-one minutes past Three o’clock in the morning, adjourned until this day.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

No. 41.

THURSDAY, 4TH MAY, 1972.

1. The President took the Chair and read the Prayer.
2. **PAPERS.**—The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk :—
 - Apprenticeship Act 1958—Apprenticeship (Printing Trades) (Amendment) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 106).

Grain Elevators Act 1958—Grain Elevators Board By-law (relating to the Conditions of Employment of Staff) No. 47J (S.R. No. 105).

Police Regulation Act 1958—Police (Authorised Strength No. 2) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 107).

Wheat Marketing Act 1969—Wheat Marketing (Amendment No. 1) Regulations 1972 (S.R. No. 108).

3. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 1 be postponed until later this day.
4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (POWERS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—
Debate resumed.
The Honorable A. R. Mansell moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered, after debate—That the debate be adjourned until Thursday next.
5. SPORTS PROMOTION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill with an amendment, the House ordered the Report to be taken into consideration this day, whereupon the House adopted the Report, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That the Bill be returned to the Assembly with a Message acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the same with an amendment, and desiring their concurrence therein.
6. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the consideration of Order of the Day, Government Business, No. 4, be postponed until later this day.
7. RACING (TOTALIZATOR COMMISSIONS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time was read and, after further debate, the question being put was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted.
The Honorable V. O. Dickie moved, That the Bill be now read a third time.
Question—put.
The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a third time and passed.

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

8. STAMPS (BOOKMAKERS' STATEMENTS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That this Bill be now read a second time, having been read—

Debate resumed.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 25.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

Noes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Walton.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

9. COMPANY TAKE-OVERS COMMITTEE.—The Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, by leave, That, contingent upon the enactment, this Session, of legislation to make provision with respect to the establishment and functions of a Joint Standing Committee of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly with respect to take-overs of companies incorporated in Victoria, the Honorable J. W. Galbally, the Honorable O. G. Jenkins, and the Honorable I. A. Swinburne be appointed members of the Committee.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

11. LIQUOR CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

12. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Crimes Act 1958 ’ and the ‘ Justices Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

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

13. COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend Part III. of the ‘ Coal Mines Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
14. MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Motor Car Act 1958 ’* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
15. 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—Regulations amended (Nos. 215 to 217) (three papers).
River Murray Commission—Report for the year 1970–71.
16. COAL MINES (PENSIONS) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable W. G. Fry having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
17. MOTOR CAR AMENDMENT BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
18. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AFFILIATED COLLEGES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Victoria Institute of Colleges Act 1965 ’ in relation to the Accounts of Affiliated Colleges, and for other purposes* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable Murray Byrne, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
19. CRIMES (AMENDMENT) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time, after debate, and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.
20. SUPREME COURT (CIVIL APPEALS) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Supreme Court Act 1958 ’ with respect to the Powers of the Full Court in hearing and determining Appeals* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable A. J. Hunt, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and ordered to be printed and, by leave, to be read a second time later this day.
21. SUPPLY (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES) BILL.—The President announced the receipt of a Message from the Assembly transmitting a Bill intituled “ *An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of Eight million dollars to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one and One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two* ” and desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.
On the motion of the Honorable G. L. Chandler, the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message was read a first time and, by leave and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.
House in Committee.
The President resumed the Chair ; and the Honorable G. J. Nicol having reported that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment, the Report was adopted, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.
Ordered—That a Message be sent to the Assembly acquainting them that the Council have agreed to the Bill without amendment.

22. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—Agreeing to the amendments made by the Council in the following Bills :—

- Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics Preservation Bill.
- Taxation Appeals Bill.
- Justices Bill.
- Consumer Protection Bill.

23. VICTORIA INSTITUTE OF COLLEGES (AFFILIATED COLLEGES) BILL.—This Bill was, according to Order and after debate, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole.

House in Committee.

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

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

24. SUPREME COURT (CIVIL APPEALS) BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read, the Honorable A. J. Hunt moved, That this Bill be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Council divided.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
F. S. Grimwade,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
G. J. Nicol,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 4.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
A. W. Knight.

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

House in Committee.

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

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

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

House in Committee.

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

FRIDAY, 5TH MAY, 1972.

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

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

26. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—

Agreeing to the following Bills without amendment :—

- Environment Protection (Amendment) Bill.
- Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Reconstitution) Bill.
- Tattersall Consultations (Amendment) Bill.

Agreeing to the amendments made by the Council in the following Bills :—

- Parliamentary Committees (Take-over Offers) Bill.
- Dentists Bill.
- Firearms (Amendment) Bill.
- Sports Promotion Bill.
- Western Port (Steel Works Rating) Bill.

27. ADJOURNMENT.—The Honorable Murray Byrne, for the Honorable G. L. Chandler, moved, by leave, That the Council, at its rising, adjourn until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Murray Byrne moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the Council, at thirty-four minutes past One o'clock in the morning, adjourned until a day and hour to be fixed by the President or, if the President is unable to act on account of illness or other cause, by the Chairman of Committees, which time of meeting shall be notified to each Honorable Member by telegram or letter.

A. R. B. McDONNELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

MESSAGES RECEIVED AFTER THE FINAL ADJOURNMENT OF BOTH HOUSES AND BEFORE THE PROROGATION.

MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

A Message was received from the Legislative Assembly informing the Council that they had, on the 5th May, 1972, agreed to the Local Government Bill without amendment.

MESSAGES FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Messages were received from His Excellency the Governor informing the Council that he had, on the dates mentioned hereunder, given the Royal Assent to the undermentioned Acts presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments, viz :—

On the 9th May, 1972—

County Court (Jurisdiction) Act.
Films (Amendment) Act.
Government Buildings Advisory Council Act.
Legal Profession Practice (Amendment) Act.
Liquor Control (Amendment) Act.
Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Act.
Nurses (Amendment) Act.
Poisons (Amendment) Act.
Police Offences Act.
Public Service (Amendment) Act.
Racing (Totalizator Commissions) Act.
Soldier Settlement (Amendment) Act.
Stamps (Bookmakers' Statements) Act.
Workers Compensation Act.

On the 13th May, 1972—

Archaeological and Aboriginal Relics Preservation Act.
Coal Mines (Pensions) Act.
Consumer Protection Act.
Crimes (Amendment) Act.
Dentists Act.
Environment Protection (Amendment) Act.
Firearms (Amendment) Act.
Justices Act.
Local Government Act.
Marine Act.
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Reconstitution) Act.
Motor Car (Amendment) Act.
Parliamentary Committees (Take-over Offers) Act.
Sports Promotion Act.
Supply (July to September) Act.
Supply (Supplementary Estimates) Act.
Supreme Court (Civil Appeals) Act.
Tattersall Consultations (Amendment) Act.
Taxation Appeals Act.
Victoria Institute of Colleges (Affiliated Colleges) Act.
Western Port (Steel Works Rating) Act.

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

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS the Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until such day and hour as may be fixed by the President of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly respectively : Now I the Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue the said Parliament of Victoria until Tuesday, the Fifth day of September, 1972, and I do hereby fix Tuesday, the Fifth day of September, 1972, aforesaid, at the hour of half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, as the time for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the said Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of business, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring-street, in the City of Melbourne : And the Honourable the Members of Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand and seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, the twenty-fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two, and in the twenty-first year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

ROHAN DELACOMBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. J. HAMER,
Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

SELECT COMMITTEES

SESSION 1971-72.

No. 1.—COMPANY TAKE-OVERS (JOINT).

Appointed 4th May, 1972 (a).

(See Act No. 7727 s. 44A.)

The Hon. J. W. Galbally O. G. Jenkins	The Hon. I. A. Swinburne
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No. 2.—HOUSE (JOINT).

Appointed 31st August, 1971.

(See Act No. 7727 s. 45.)

The Hon. the President (<i>ex officio</i>) A. K. Bradbury D. G. Elliott	The Hon. H. M. Hamilton D. E. Kent S. R. McDonald
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No. 3.—LIBRARY (JOINT).

Appointed 31st August, 1971.

(See Act No. 7727 s. 36.)

The Hon. the President M. A. Clarke R. J. Eddy	The Hon. F. S. Grimwade J. M. Walton
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No. 4.—MEAT INDUSTRY (JOINT).

Appointed 17th June, 1970 (b).

(See Act No. 7977 s. 2.)

The Hon. R. J. Eddy† D. G. Elliot S. E. Gleeson	The Hon. F. J. Granter ¶ S. R. McDonald
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No. 5.—PRINTING.

Appointed 31st August, 1971.

The Hon. the President B. P. Dunn S. E. Gleeson O. G. Jenkins	The Hon. A. W. Knight A. R. Mansell I. A. Swinburne
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No. 6.—ROAD SAFETY (JOINT).

Appointed 17th June, 1970 (c).

(See Act No. 7978 s. 2.)

The Hon. B. P. Dunn ¶ W. G. Fry	The Hon. H. M. Hamilton ¶ J. M. Walton ¶
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No. 7.—STANDING ORDERS.

Appointed 31st August, 1971.

The Hon. the President J. W. Galbally V. T. Hauser A. J. Hunt A. R. Mansell	The Hon. G. J. Nicol I. A. Swinburne J. M. Tripovich H. R. Ward
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No. 8.—STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT).

Appointed 31st August, 1971.

(See Act No. 7727 s. 37.)

The Hon. W. M. Campbell M. A. Clarke D. G. Elliot	The Hon. F. S. Grimwade R. W. May J. M. Tripovich
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No. 9.—SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION (JOINT).

Appointed 31st August, 1971.

(See Act No. 7727 s. 41.)

The Hon. K. S. Gross C. A. Mitchell	The Hon. G. J. O'Connell* H. A. Thomas††
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(a) Appointed contingent upon enactment of *Parliamentary Committees (Take-over Offers) Act 1972*, which was assented to on 13 May, 1972.
 (b) Appointed contingent upon enactment of *Joint Select Committee (Meat Industry) Act 1970*, which was assented to on 23 June, 1970.
 (c) Appointed contingent upon enactment of *Joint Select Committee (Road Safety) Act 1970*, which was assented to on 23 June, 1970.
 ¶ Retired by effluxion of time, 26 June, 1970, and re-appointed, 30 June, 1970. * Died 20 April, 1972. † Appointed 30 June, 1970.
 †† Appointed 2 May, 1972. || Discharged 30 June, 1970.

VICTORIA.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

No. 1.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH OCTOBER, 1971.

No. 1.—PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Clause 10—

10. The wages liable to pay-roll tax under this Act do not include wages paid or payable—

- (a) by the Governor of a State ;
- (b) by a religious or public benevolent institution, or a public hospital ;
- (c) by a hospital which is carried on by a society or association otherwise than for the purpose of profit or gain to the individual members of the society or association ;
- (d) by a school or college (other than a technical school or a technical college) which—
 - (i) is carried on by a body corporate, society or association otherwise than for the purpose of profit or gain to the individual members of the body corporate, society or association and is not carried on by or on behalf of the State of Victoria ; and
 - (ii) provides education at or below, but not above, the secondary level of education ;
- (e) by a municipality or by any union or partnership of which all the members are municipalities except to the extent that those wages are paid or payable—
 - (i) for or in connexion with ; or
 - (ii) for or in connexion with the construction of any buildings or the construction of any works or the installation of plant, machinery or equipment for use in or in connexion with—

the supply of electricity or gas, water supply, sewerage, the conduct of abattoirs, of public markets, of parking stations, of cemeteries, of crematoriums or of hostels or of any other activity that is a prescribed activity ;
- (f) to members of his official staff by—
 - (i) a consular or other representative (other than a diplomatic representative) in Australia of any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions or of any other country ; or
 - (ii) a Trade Commissioner representing in Australia any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions ;
- (g) by a specialized agency as defined by section one of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies which was adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on the 21st November, 1947 ;
- (h) by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission ;
- (i) by the Australian-American Educational Foundation ;
- (j) to a person who is a member of the Defence Force of the Commonwealth or of the armed forces of any part of Her Majesty's Dominions, being wages paid or payable by the employer from whose employment the person is on leave by reason of his being such a member.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

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

Clause 10, after “ 10.” insert “ (1) ”.

—(Hon. J. W. Galbally.)

[The Chairman decided to test the suggested addition to the Bill of a paragraph to follow paragraph (j) and of two new sub-clauses at the end of the clause (circulated by the Hon. J. W. Galbally) on the question that it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that the expression “ (1) ” be inserted after the expression “ 10.”, the further suggested amendments being consequential upon the acceptance of that question.

The consequential suggested amendments tested by the Chairman were as follows :—

Clause 10, insert the following paragraph to follow paragraph (j) :—

“ () by a country employer to a country employee.”

Clause 10, at the end of the clause insert the following sub-clauses :—

“ () The Governor in Council may by Order in Council published in the *Government Gazette* declare—

(a) any place which is more than 40 miles from the General Post Office at Melbourne ; or

(b) any place which is outside the metropolitan area at which unemployment is at a materially higher level than in the metropolitan area—

to be an area for accelerated decentralised development.

() In this section—

“ Accelerated development area ” means an area declared to be an area for accelerated decentralised development pursuant to sub-section (2) ;

“ Country employee ” means an employee whose services are performed principally or wholly in an accelerated development area ;

“ Country employer ” means a person who employs more than 10 employees whose services are rendered wholly at a place or places in accelerated development areas ;

“ Metropolitan area ” has the same meaning as in the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958.*’]

Question—That the proposed resolution be agreed to—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O’Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. Storey,
H. R. Ward.

The Tellers having declared the number for the “ Ayes ” and for the “ Noes ” to be respectively seventeen, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the “ Noes ” because delay in the passage of the Bill would cause the State to lose a substantial sum of money, and the Committee had been unable to make a clear-cut decision on this important matter.

No. 2.—PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Clause 10—

[For this clause see Division No. 1.]

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie).

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Legislative Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz :—

Clause 10, insert the following paragraphs to follow paragraph (d) :—

“ () to a person employed in a school or college which is carried on by the State of Victoria and provides education at or below, but not above, the secondary level of education ;

() by the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board.”

—(Hon. J. W. Galbally.)

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson (*Teller*),
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. Storey,
H. R. Ward.

The Tellers having declared the number for the "Ayes" and for the "Noes" to be respectively seventeen, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the "Noes" for the reasons previously enunciated (see Division No. 1).

No. 3.—PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Clause 10—

[For this clause see Division No. 1.]

—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie.*)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 10, paragraph (e), omit "water supply, sewerage".

—(*Hon. I. A. Swinburne.*)

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade (*Teller*),
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. Storey,
H. R. Ward.

The Tellers having declared the number for the "Ayes" and for the "Noes" to be respectively seventeen, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the "Noes" for the reasons previously given (see Division No. 1).

No. 4.—PAY-ROLL TAX BILL.—Clause 10—

[For this clause see Division No. 1.]

—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie.*)

Motion made and question put—That it be a suggestion to the Assembly that they make the following amendment in the Bill, viz. :—

Clause 10, after paragraph (j) insert—

" () by all country industries and businesses outside a radius of fifty miles from the General Post Office, Melbourne."

—(*Hon. I. A. Swinburne.*)

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 M. A. Clarke,
 B. P. Dunn,
 R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot,
 J. W. Galbally,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight,
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
 G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Tripovich,
 J. M. Walton.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 G. L. Chandler,
 V. O. Dickie,
 W. G. Fry,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade,
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
 V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
 C. A. M. Hider,
 W. V. Houghton,
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 H. Storey,
 H. R. Ward.

The tellers having declared the number for the "Ayes" and for the "Noes" to be respectively seventeen, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the "Noes" for the reasons previously put forward (see Division No. 1).

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No. 2.

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1971.

NO. 1.—MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 3—

The Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

- (a) In paragraph (a) of section 99 for the expression “\$10 per annum” there shall be substituted the words “such amount as is fixed by the Board from time to time” ;
- (b) In paragraph (a) of sub-section (6) of section 175 for the expression “\$10” there shall be substituted the words “such amount as is fixed by the Board from time to time”.

—(Hon. A. J. Hunt.)

Question—That clause 3 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 G. L. Chandler,
 V. O. Dickie,
 W. G. Fry,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade,
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton,
 V. T. Hauser,
 C. A. M. Hider (*Teller*),
 W. V. Houghton (*Teller*),
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 H. Storey,
 H. R. Ward.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
 M. A. Clarke,
 B. P. Dunn,
 R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot,
 J. W. Galbally,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight,
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell,
 G. J. O’Connell,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
 J. M. Tripovich,
 J. M. Walton.

The tellers having declared the number for the “Ayes” and for the “Noes” to be respectively seventeen, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the “Ayes” in order that the clause may remain in the Bill to receive further consideration.

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 3.

TUESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

No. 1.—LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (SHOP TRADING HOURS) BILL.—Clause 2—

Section 80 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) In sub-section (1)—

(i) paragraphs (c) and (d) ;

(ii) the expression “ and on Fridays until the hour of ten o'clock ” appearing in the first proviso ; and

(iii) the second proviso—
are repealed.

(b) Sub-section (2A) is repealed.

(c) In sub-section (2C) the expression “ or (2A) ” (where twice occurring) is repealed.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
R. W. Garrett,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins (*Teller*),
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

Noes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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No. 4.

TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 1971.

No. 1.—WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 3—

After section 65A of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following sections :—

“ 65B. (1) In addition to basic additional and special water rights the Commission may, subject to and in accordance with the provisions of sections 65C and 65D, apportion extra water rights.

(2) Save as otherwise expressly provided, extra water rights apportioned to any land shall not be reduced at any time except to such extent as is approved by the Commission on the request of the occupier if the occupier is the owner, or of the occupier and owner if the occupier is not the owner.

65C.

* * * *

65D. (1) The Governor in Council may upon the certificate of the Commission that water is available for the purpose by Order from time to time—

(a) declare that extra water rights are available for apportionment under this section to land within the Goulburn-Murray irrigation district ; and

(b) specify the ratio of water rights to land upon which the entitlement of land to any such apportionment shall be based.

(2) Where an Order in Council has been made under sub-section (1) the occupier or owner of any land within the Goulburn-Murray irrigation district may from time to time make application to the Commission for an apportionment of extra water rights to such land.

(3) Upon receipt of an application under this section the Commission shall subject to sub-section (4) apportion to the land in respect of which the application is made the volume of water rights specified in the application.

(4) The total volume of water rights that may be apportioned to any land under this section shall not exceed the volume calculated in accordance with the ratio specified by the Governor in Council pursuant to sub-section (1).

(5) In this section “ land ” means commanded and suitable land within the meaning of Schedule Three B or, where the commanded and suitable land of the applicant is of an area less than 100 acres, suitable land within the meaning of the said Schedule up to 100 acres.

(6) An apportionment of water rights under this section shall not limit or be taken into account in calculating the volume of water to be apportioned as water rights under any other provision of this Act.

65E.

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “ sections 65C and 65D ” in sub-section (1) of proposed section 65B be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof the expression “ section 65C ”.

[The Chairman decided to test the proposed deletion from clause 3 of proposed section 65D (foreshadowed by the Honorable S. R. McDonald) on the question, That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the Bill, this amendment being consequential upon the deletion of proposed section 65D.]

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 16.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
Haddon Storey (*Teller*),
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

Noes, 16.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

The Tellers having declared the number for the “ Ayes ” and for the “ Noes ” to be respectively sixteen, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the “ Ayes ”, to leave the Bill open for further consideration.

Amendment negatived.

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VICTORIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL.

No. 5.

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1971.

No. 1.—HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 5—

After section 67 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :—

“ 67A. (1) Where the Commission is required by this Part to consult with the council of any municipality before taking any step, the Commission shall give notice in writing to the clerk of the municipality of its wish to consult with the council describing the subject-matter of the consultation it proposes.

(2) If by reason of the failure or refusal of the council to make proper arrangements for the consultation, the Commission is not able to consult with the council before the expiration of a period of ninety days after notice is given to the clerk of the municipality in accordance with this section, the Minister may, with the consent of the Minister for the time being administering the *Local Government Act* 1958 authorize the Commission in writing to take the step as if the Commission had consulted with the council in accordance with this Part, and the Commission may take the step accordingly.”

—(Hon. Murray Byrne.)

Question—That clause 5 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 9.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Proposed new clause A—

After section 135 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :—

“ 135A. (1) Where under section 134 or section 135 a lease is granted for a period of 50 years or more it shall be of no force or effect until ten sitting days after notice thereof has been laid before both Houses of Parliament.

(2) Any such lease shall be void and shall be deemed always to have been void if either House of Parliament within ten sitting days after notice of the granting of the lease was laid before it passes a resolution to that effect.

(3) A renewal of an existing lease shall not be granted for a period of 50 years or more.”

—(Hon. R. J. Eddy.)

Question—That new clause A be now read a second time—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson (*Teller*),
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 1971.

No. 3.—LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 5—

(1) Division 2 of Part VII. of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) After section 104 there shall be inserted the following sections :—

“ 104A. (1) A person who sells bread or on whose behalf bread is sold in the course of trade or business beyond a distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked shall subject to sub-section (2), be guilty of an offence against this Division unless he proves that he had taken all reasonable steps to prevent the commission of the offence and that the offence had been committed without his knowledge.

(2) Sub-section (1) shall not apply to the sale of bread which has been carted or delivered beyond a distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked if the cartage or delivery of the bread does not constitute an offence under sub-section (4) of section 104.

104B. In any proceedings for an offence against this Division—

(a) it shall be sufficient to allege that bread found on premises or in a vehicle was carted or delivered or sold (whichever is applicable) beyond a distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked if because of—

- (i) a label or wrapping or any writing or mark on a label or wrapping on the bread or any impressing or embossing on the bread ;
 - (ii) any document on the premises or in the vehicle purporting to be a document with respect to sale or delivery ;
 - (iii) the ownership of the vehicle or the employment of its driver ;
- or

(iv) a statement made by the occupier of the premises or the owner or driver of the vehicle—

the inspector who examines the bread on the premises or the vehicle has reason to believe that the bread was carted or delivered or sold (as the case may be) beyond the distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked ;

(b) the onus of proof—

(i) that bread alleged to be carted or delivered or sold in the course of trade or business was not carted or delivered or sold in the course of trade or business ;

(ii) that bread alleged to be carted or delivered or sold beyond a distance of thirty miles from the place where it was made or baked was not carted or delivered or sold beyond the said distance of thirty miles ;

(iii) that bread alleged to be carted or delivered or sold on behalf of any person was not carted or delivered or sold on behalf of that person—

shall in all cases be upon the defendant.” ;

(b) Section 106A shall be renumbered as section 106C ;

(c) After section 106 there shall be inserted the following sections :—

‘ 106A. Where a corporation liable to be charged for an offence against this Division is by virtue of section 6 of the *Companies Act* 1961 a subsidiary of another corporation, then that other corporation may be charged and convicted of the offence as if it were the actual offender.

106B. In this Division unless the contrary intention appears—

“ Owner ” in respect of a vehicle which is a motor car within the meaning of the *Motor Car Act* 1958 means the owner and the proprietor within the meaning of that Act, and “ ownership ” has a corresponding interpretation.

“ Sell ” includes sell (whether by wholesale or retail or by means of any machine or mechanical device) and barter or exchange ; and also of bringing to sell or offering or exposing for sale or keeping or having in possession for sale or sending forwarding delivering or receiving for or on sale or otherwise directing causing suffering permitting or attempting any of such acts or things and “ sale ” has a corresponding interpretation.’

(2) In section 1 of the Principal Act in that part of the table relating to Division 2 of Part VII. for the expression “ 106A ” there shall be substituted the expression “ 106C ”.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 5 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade (*Teller*),
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
G. J. O’Connell (*Teller*),
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

NO. 4.—LABOUR AND INDUSTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 9—

Section 198 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

- (a) In sub-section (1) for the word “ whatever ” there shall be substituted the expression “, other than a deduction permitted to be made by virtue of sub-section (1B),” ;
- (b) After sub-section (1) there shall be inserted the following sub-sections :—

“ (1A) For the purposes of this section a payment is a payment in money if it is made—

(a) in cash ; or

(b) with the authority in writing of the person employed—

(i) by cheque, postal order or money order payable to the person ;
or

(ii) into a bank account specified in the authority by a person.

(1B) From any moneys payable under sub-section (1) by an employer to a person employed by him the employer may deduct and pay on behalf of the employé any payment authorized in writing by the employé to be so deducted and paid.

(1C) Where the employé withdraws in writing—

(a) the authority given pursuant to paragraph (b) of sub-section (1A) and no authority is given in writing for payment in any of the other ways mentioned in that paragraph, the employer shall pay the employé in cash ;

(b) the authority given pursuant to sub-section (1B) with respect to a deduction and payment which was authorized by the employé, the employer shall cease to make that deduction and payment.”

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 9 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 21.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
F. S. Grimwade,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1971.

NO. 5.—EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—Clause 5—

After section 52 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following heading and sections :—

“ PART IIIA.—REGISTRATION OF TEACHERS IN STATE SCHOOLS.

52A. For the purposes of this Part there shall be a Registration Board for each of the three divisions of classified teachers and a Teacher Registration Council comprised of the whole membership of the three Divisional Registration Boards.

52B. The Primary Teachers Registration Board shall consist of nine persons appointed by the Governor in Council of whom—

(a) one shall be the Director of Primary Education who shall be chairman ;

(b) one shall be nominated by the Director-General to represent the Primary Division Administration ;

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—(Hon. Murray Byrne.)

Amendment proposed—That the words and expressions—

“(b) one shall be nominated by the Director-General to represent the Primary Division Administration ;”—

be omitted.

(Hon. J. M. Tripovich.)

Question—That the words and expressions proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.
The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.
The Hon. D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
G. J. O'Connell,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 6.—EDUCATION (TEACHER REGISTRATION) BILL.—Clause 5.—

After section 52 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following heading and sections :—

“PART IIIA.—REGISTRATION OF TEACHERS IN STATE SCHOOLS.

* * * *

52H. (1) The chairmanship of the Teacher Registration Council shall be held in rotation by the chairmen of the respective Divisional Registration Boards commencing with the Primary Division so that each chairman in succession holds office in his turn for not more than one calendar year.

(2) The members of each Divisional Registration Board and of the Teacher Registration Council shall elect one of their number to act as vice-chairman.

(3) The chairman of a Board or of the Council (as the case requires) shall preside at all meetings of the Board or of the Council at which he is present and in his absence his vice-chairman shall preside.

(4) In the absence of the chairman and the vice-chairman from a meeting of the Council the members of the Council present at the meeting shall elect one of their number to be chairman of the meeting.

(5) In the event of an equality of votes on any question the chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.

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—(Hon. Murray Byrne.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression—

“(5) In the event of an equality of votes on any question the chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.”—

be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof—

“(5) On any question the chairman of the meeting shall have a deliberative vote.”.

—(Hon. J. M. Tripovich.)

Question—That the words and expressions proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

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No. 6.

TUESDAY, 14TH MARCH, 1972.

No. 1.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—Clause 5—

For sub-section (8) of section 181 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following sub-section :—

“ (8) A person who fails to comply with the provisions of sub-section (1) shall unless he proves that he did not know—

(a) that he had a pecuniary interest in the contract proposed contract or other matter ; or

(b) that a contract proposed contract or other matter in which he had a pecuniary interest was a subject of consideration at the meeting—

be guilty of an offence against this Act.

Penalty : \$500.”

—(Hon. A. J. Hunt.)

Question—That clause 5 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider (*Teller*),
W. V. Houghton (*Teller*),
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
G. J. O'Connell (*Teller*),
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—Clause 9 (*as amended*)—

For section 244 of the Principal Act there shall be substituted the following section :—

“ 244. (1) The council of any municipality (including the city of Melbourne and the city of Geelong) may apply out of the municipal or town fund any sum of money for or in connexion with—

- (a) the celebration of Commonwealth Day ;
- (b) establishing maintaining or otherwise aiding (either alone or in combination with any other council) any ambulance service within or outside the municipal district ;
- (c) tourists resorts tourists facilities and contributions towards tourist bureaux whether such resorts facilities or bureaux are within or outside the municipal district ;
- (d) providing equipment for or establishing and maintaining activities in connexion with emergency home help in the case of any expectant mother, nursing mother, or mother incapacitated by illness or in respect of the care of any child of a deceased mother or in respect of aged or infirm persons ;
- (e) the provision of any social services for the benefit of the people of the municipality ;

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—(Hon. A. J. Hunt.)

Amendment proposed—That the words and expressions—

“(e) the provision of any social services for the benefit of the people of the municipality ;”
be omitted.

—(Hon. A. R. Mansell.)

Question—That the proposed amendment be agreed to—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 8.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
B. P. Dunn,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne.

Noes, 23.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
R. J. Eddy,
J. W. Galbally,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins (*Teller*),
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
G. J. O'Connell,
Haddon Storey,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 3.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.—Clause 12 (*as amended*)—

(1) After section 265 of the Principal Act there shall be inserted the following section :—

“ 265A. (1) On the written application of any person the municipal clerk of a municipality shall furnish that person with the most recent valuation of any rateable property in its municipal district made under this Division specifying the date as at which the value of the property was assessed pursuant to sub-section (2) of section 7 of the *Valuation of Land Act* 1960.

(2) An application under sub-section (1) shall be accompanied by a fee of \$1 for each property in respect of which the valuation is required.”

(2) Section 302 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) In sub-section (1)—

- (i) the expression “ and the rate immediately after the same is made,” shall be repealed ;
- (ii) the words “ or rated in such rate ” shall be repealed ;
- (iii) the words “ or rate ” shall be repealed ;

(b) In sub-section (2)—

- (i) the words “ or rate ” (where twice occurring) shall be repealed ;
- (ii) the words “ or rated as aforesaid ” shall be repealed.

—(Hon. A. J. Hunt.)

Question—That clause 12, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 G. L. Chandler,
 V. O. Dickie,
 R. J. Eddy,
 J. W. Galbally,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade,
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton,
 V. T. Hauser,
 C. A. M. Hider,
 W. V. Houghton,
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight,
 G. J. O'Connell,
 Haddon Storey (*Teller*),
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Tripovich,
 J. M. Walton (*Teller*),
 H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 M. A. Clarke,
 B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
 I. A. Swinburne.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

2. The second part of the document outlines the various methods and tools used to collect and analyze data. It highlights the need for consistent and reliable data collection processes to support effective decision-making.

3. The third part of the document focuses on the role of technology in data management and analysis. It discusses how modern software solutions can streamline data collection, storage, and reporting, thereby improving efficiency and accuracy.

4. The fourth part of the document addresses the challenges associated with data management, such as data quality, security, and privacy. It provides strategies to mitigate these risks and ensure that data is used responsibly and ethically.

5. The fifth part of the document concludes by summarizing the key findings and recommendations. It stresses the importance of ongoing monitoring and evaluation to ensure that data management practices remain effective and aligned with the organization's goals.

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WEDNESDAY, (MORNING), 12TH APRIL, 1972.

No. 1.—WESTERN PORT (STEEL WORKS RATING) BILL.—Clause 3 (*as amended*)—

(1) The provisions of this section shall have effect in relation to any rates levied in respect of the land by the Council of the Shire of Hastings.

(2) The provisions of the *Local Government Act 1958* and the *Valuation of Land Act 1960* shall apply in relation to the valuation of the land for rating purposes but in estimating the net annual value of the land any improvements being plant machinery or equipment (other than cranes attached to or in buildings) whether affixed to the land or not shall be disregarded.

(3) The rates shall be made and levied in accordance with the provisions of the *Local Government Act 1958* but—

(a) where the rates in any year are made and levied solely on the net annual value of rateable property in the municipal district—

if the amount of the rates which but for this paragraph would be payable in respect of the land in any year is less than the amount for that year as set out in the following table the amount payable will be the amount in the table ;

TABLE.

<i>Year ending on the 30th September</i>						<i>Amount. \$</i>
1973	..	..	..	..	..	190,000
1974	..	..	..	..	..	255,000
1975	..	..	..	..	..	320,000
1976	..	..	..	..	..	385,000
1977	..	..	..	..	..	450,000
1978	..	..	..	..	..	515,000
1979	..	..	..	..	..	580,000
1980	..	..	..	..	..	645,000
1981	..	..	..	..	..	710,000
1982	..	..	..	..	..	775,000
1983 and each year thereafter	..	..	..	..	..	840,000 ;

(b) Where the rates in any year are made and levied partly on the net annual value and partly on the unimproved capital value or site value of the rateable property in the municipal district—

if the rates which would but for this paragraph be payable in respect of the land in any year are less than an amount which bears the same proportion to the amount shown opposite that year in the table in paragraph (a) as the total amount of rates levied by the Council in that year on the net annual value of rateable property in the municipal district bears to the total amount of rates levied by the Council in that year in respect of the said rateable property—
the amount payable will be the amount which bears that same proportion.

- (4) If, for any reason which appears to the Minister to be beyond the control of the Company—
- (a) a cold strip steel mill is not ready for operation on the land before the 1st day of January, 1975 ;
 - (b) a hot strip steel mill is not ready for operation on the land before the 1st day of January, 1980 ; or
 - (c) a full integrated steel works plant is not ready for operation before the 1st day of January, 1985—

and no agreement has been made pursuant to section 811BA of the *Local Government Act 1958* between the said Council and the Company with respect to the land, the Minister shall appoint a committee consisting of a barrister and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria nominated by the President of the Law Institute of Victoria (who shall be chairman), a person nominated by the Council, and a person nominated by the Company to make recommendations as to what (if any) amendments should be made to this section.

- (5) The Council may cause a supplementary valuation of the land to be made at any time.
—(*Hon. A. J. Hunt.*)

Question—That clause 3, as amended, stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 17.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 17.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
G. J. O'Connell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

The Tellers having declared the number for the "Ayes" and for the "Noes" to be respectively seventeen, or equal, the Chairman gave his voice with the "Ayes" to enable further consideration of the Bill in its present form, and declared the question to have been resolved in the affirmative.

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No. 8.

THURSDAY, 27TH APRIL, 1972.

No. 1.—ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL—Clause 5—

(1) There shall be constituted an Archaeological Relics Advisory Committee consisting of ten honorary members, of whom—

(a) one shall be the Protector of Relics, who shall be the chairman ; and

(b) nine shall be persons appointed by the Governor in Council—

* * * * *

(ix) one being an Aborigine nominated by the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs.

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—(Hon. Murray Byrne.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “ by the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs ” in sub-paragraph (ix) of paragraph (b) in sub-clause (1) be omitted with the view of inserting in place thereof “ or elected by Aboriginal members of the Aboriginal Affairs Advisory Council ”.

—(Hon. D. G. Elliot.)

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

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 24.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson (*Teller*),
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Tripovich,
J. M. Walton.

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

NO. 2.—ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND ABORIGINAL RELICS PRESERVATION BILL—Clause 20—

20. All relics within an archaeological area shall be the property of the Crown and be under the protection of the Crown.

—(Hon. Murray Byrne.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “(1)” be inserted after the expression “20.”

—(Hon. D. G. Elliot.)

[The Chairman decided to test two further proposed amendments to clause 20 (circulated by the Hon. D. G. Elliot) on the question That the expression “(1)” be inserted after the expression “20.”, the further amendments being dependent upon the acceptance of that question.

The further proposed amendments tested by the Chairman were as follows:—

Clause 20, omit “within an archaeological area”.

Clause 20, after “protection of the Crown” insert “, save where it is shown that—

(a) in respect of a relic found within Victoria it was at the date of the commencement of this Act in the possession of some person and has not become abandoned within Victoria since that date; or

(b) in respect of a relic found outside Victoria and brought into Victoria it has not become abandoned within Victoria since that date.

(2) For the purposes of this section a person shall not be deemed to be in possession of a relic by reason only of the fact that it is on or under land or premises owned or occupied by him.”]

Question—That the expression proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas (Teller),
J. M. Tripovich (Teller).

Noes, 24.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser (Teller),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins (Teller),
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

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No. 9.

TUESDAY, 2ND MAY, 1972.

NO. 1.—MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—Clause 5—

(1) For the purposes of this Act there shall be a Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Management Committee.

(2) The Committee shall be a body corporate by the name of the "Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Management Committee" with perpetual succession and a common seal and shall by that name be capable in law of suing and being sued.

(3) The Committee shall consist of eleven persons appointed by the Minister of whom—

* * * * *

and

(i) one shall be nominated by the Minister for Tourism.

—(Hon. G. L. Chandler.)

Amendment proposed—That the word "eleven" in sub-clause (3) be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof the word "twelve".

—(Hon. D. G. Elliot.)

[The Chairman decided to test the proposed addition of a new paragraph to follow sub-clause (3) of clause 5 (foreshadowed by the Hon. D. G. Elliot) on the question, That the word "eleven" proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause, the insertion of the proposed paragraph being dependent upon the acceptance of that question.]

The foreshadowed amendment tested by the Chairman was as follows:—

Clause 5, sub-clause (3), at the end of the sub-clause insert—

" () one shall be appointed from a panel of three names submitted by the Land Conservation Council."

Question—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 24.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
H. M. Hamilton
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
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R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

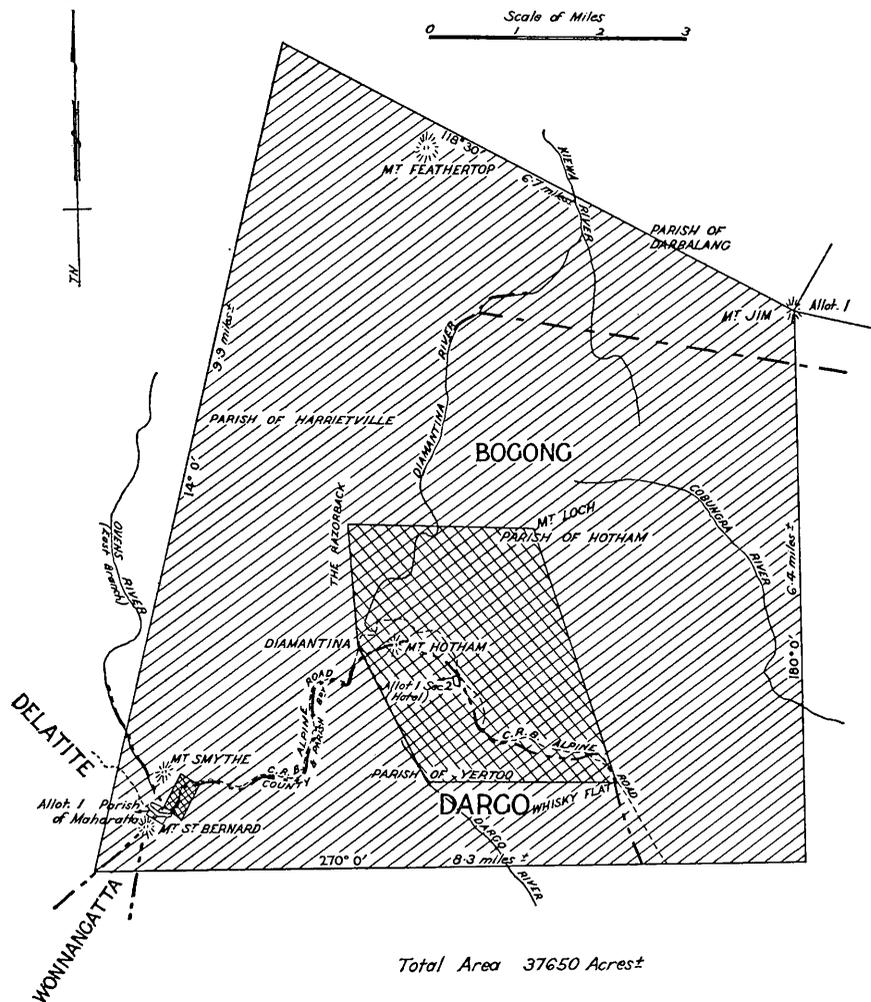
Noes, 7.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 2.—MT. HOTHAM ALPINE RESORT BILL.—Schedule—

Land, in the counties of Bogong, Dargo, Delatite and Wonnangatta, being the Mt. Hotham Alpine Resort Area, by this Act permanently reserved for the purposes of this Act.



—(Hon. G. L. Chandler.)

Question—That the Schedule stand part of the Bill—put.
Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
W. G. Fry,
J. W. Galbally,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
Haddon Storey,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Walton,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 8.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
I. A. Swinburne.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—FILMS (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 2—

Section 13 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows:—

- (a) In sub-section (5) for the expression "Penalty : \$20" there shall be substituted the expression "Penalty : \$50";
- (b) In sub-section (6) after the words "police force" there shall be inserted the words "or an exhibitor or an agent or a servant of an exhibitor";

(c) For sub-section (7) there shall be substituted the following sub-sections :—

“ (7) Any person demanding particulars pursuant to sub-section (6) may require the person from whom the particulars have been demanded to complete and sign a statement in the prescribed form as to his age, name and address.

(8) A person shall be guilty of an offence against this Act—

(a) if he fails or refuses—

(i) to give satisfactory particulars of or to produce satisfactory evidence of the correctness of his age, name and address pursuant to a demand or requirement under sub-section (6) ; or

(ii) to complete and sign a statement referred to in sub-section (7)—

and does not immediately after that failure or refusal leave the theatre :

Penalty \$50 ;

(b) if he gives any false particulars or supplies false evidence of his age, name or address pursuant to a demand or requirement under this section :

Penalty \$100.

(9) An exhibitor or an agent or a servant of an exhibitor may refuse to admit to or may turn out of a theatre any person whose presence on the premises would subject the exhibitor to a penalty under this Act.

(10) All members of the police force are required on the request of the exhibitor his agent or servant to expel or assist in expelling any person whose presence in the theatre would subject the exhibitor to a penalty under this Act.”

—(*Hon. Murray Byrne.*)

Question—That clause 2 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider (*Teller*),
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 6.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 4.—CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Clause 5—

(1) There shall be a Council appointed by the Minister to be called the Consumer Affairs Council consisting of—

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(d) four persons representing the interests of the consumers of whom at least two shall be women ; and

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—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie.*)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “ at least two shall be women ; and ” in paragraph (d) of sub-clause (1) be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof—

“(i) at least two shall be women ; and

(ii) at least one shall be a person representing the interests of consumers resident in country areas selected after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister thinks represent such interests ; and ”.

—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke.*)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
Haddon Storey (*Teller*),
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 5.—CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Clause 6—

6. The functions of the Council shall be—

- (a) to investigate any matter affecting the interests of consumers referred to it by the Minister;
- (b) to make recommendations with respect to any matter calculated to protect the interests of consumers ;
- (c) to consult with manufacturers retailers and advertisers in relation to any matter affecting the interests of consumers ; and
- (d) in respect of matters affecting the interests of consumers, to disseminate information and to encourage and undertake educational work.

—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie.*)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “(1)” be inserted after the expression “6.”

—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke.*)

[*The Chairman decided to test proposals for the omission of certain words in paragraph (a) and the addition of a new sub-clause (foreshadowed by the Hon. M. A. Clarke) on the question, That the expression “(1)” be inserted after the expression “6.”, those proposals being dependent upon the acceptance of that question.*

The foreshadowed amendments tested by the Chairman were as follows :—

Clause 6, paragraph (a), omit “referred to it by the Minister”.

Clause 6, insert the following sub-clause at the end of clause 6 :—

“() The Council shall investigate any matter referred to it by the Minister.”]

Question—That the expression proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider (*Teller*),
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 6.—CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Clause 14—

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(3) Subject to sub-section (2), this Division applies to all credit purchase agreements and all offers to enter into credit purchase agreements unless—

(a) the original approach leading to the agreement or offer—

(i) was made at appropriate trade premises or at a bona fide public fair or show;
or

(ii) was made by the purchaser ; and

(b) any negotiations leading to the agreement or offer which took place away from appropriate trade premises or a public fair or show took place—

- (i) as a result of a request by the purchaser ; or
- (ii) in the course of a demonstration or inspection of any vehicle or boat or any commercial or farm machinery or equipment to which the agreement or offer relates or of any goods which under section 18 would be a trade-in pursuant to the agreement or offer.

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That all the words after “ agreements ” (where second occurring) in sub-clause (3) to the end of the sub-clause be omitted.

—(Hon. J. M. Walton.)

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

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

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

No. 7.—CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Clause 16—

* * * * *

(3) The vendor and in the case of a hire purchase agreement or an offer to enter into a hire purchase agreement the owner may at any time after the day on which the agreement or offer was made post to the purchaser a notice in or to the effect of the form set out in Schedule Two together with, if he thinks fit, an explanatory letter in or to the effect of one of the forms prescribed for that purpose and if the purchaser posts the notice set out in the appendix to that Schedule confirming the agreement or offer to the person to whom it is addressed at the address shown in the notice, the purchaser shall not thereafter be entitled under sub-section (1) to terminate the agreement or offer.

(4) If any person—

(a) obtains confirmation from the purchaser other than in accordance with sub-section (3);
or

(b) has contacted the purchaser to suggest that the purchaser return the portion of the notice confirming the agreement or offer—

the provisions of sub-section (3) shall not apply.

(5) Any person who obtains or attempts to obtain confirmation of an agreement or offer otherwise than in accordance with sub-section (3) shall be guilty of an offence.

Penalty : \$200.

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-clauses (3), (4), and (5) be omitted.

—(Hon. J. M. Walton.)

Question—That sub-clauses (3), (4), and (5) proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson (*Teller*),
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 8.—CONSUMER PROTECTION BILL.—Clause 17—

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(3) The vendor shall be entitled to make a reasonable charge for any services rendered prior to the termination of the agreement or offer or for any goods which the purchaser is unable to return.

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-clause (3) be omitted.

—(Hon. J. M. Walton.)

Question—That the sub-clause proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton (*Teller*),
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins (*Teller*),
Haddon Storey,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

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

WEDNESDAY, 3RD MAY, 1972.

No. 9.—GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL BILL.—Clause 2—

(1) There shall be established a Government Buildings Advisory Council.

(2) The functions of the Council shall be—

(a) to report to the Minister at his request—

(i) on any building or structure on Crown land or on land vested in any Minister of the Crown which has been or is hereafter classified as being of historic architectural or other significance or interest by the National Trust of Australia (Victoria);

(ii) on any other building or structure on Crown land or on land vested in any Minister of the Crown which may be of significance or interest.

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—(Hon. Murray Byrne.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ at his request ” in paragraph (a) of sub-clause (2) be omitted.

—(Hon. A. W. Knight.)

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

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 23.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 6.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 10.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 1—

(1) This Act may be cited as the *Dentists Act* 1971 and is divided into Parts as follows :—

- Part I.—Interpretation s. 3.
 Part II.—The Dental Board of Victoria ss. 4–9.
 Part III.—The Dentists' Register ss. 10–16.
 Part IV.—Registration of Dentists ss. 17–28.
 Part V.—Dental Technicians ss. 29–42.
 Part VI.—Dental Auxiliaries s. 43.
 Part VII.—Practice of Dentistry ss. 44–54.
 Part VIII.—Examinations ss. 55–57.
 Part IX.—Offences s. 58.
 Part X.—Amendments of other Acts s. 59.

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That the expression “Part V.—Dental Technicians ss. 29–42” in sub-clause (1) be omitted.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That the expression proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 M. A. Clarke,
 B. P. Dunn,
 R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Walton.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 V. O. Dickie,
 W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
 S. E. Gleeson (*Teller*),
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade,
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton,
 V. T. Hauser,
 C. A. M. Hider,
 W. V. Houghton,
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.—Amendment agreed to.

No. 11.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 4—

(1) The Governor in Council may appoint a Board consisting of seven members called The Dental Board of Victoria and may appoint one of such members as president and may remove the president or any other member of the Board.

(2) The elected members of the Board at the commencement of this Act shall for the respective terms for which they were appointed under the *Medical Act* 1958 be members of the Board as if they were appointed under this Act.

(3) A person shall be appointed a member of the Board for a period not exceeding three years and any member shall upon the expiration of his term of office be eligible for re-appointment.

(4) Five members of the Board shall be dentists appointed after election by the dentists of Victoria and the remaining two members shall be dentists appointed without election.

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-clause (4) be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof—

“() Four members of the Board shall be dentists appointed after election by the dentists of Victoria, one member shall be a dentist appointed without election, one member shall be appointed on the nomination of the Faculty of Dental Science in the University of Melbourne, and one shall be the Director of Child Health (Dental).”

—(Hon. M. A. Clarke.)

Motion proposed—That the Chairman do report progress and ask leave to sit again.

—(Hon. D. G. Elliot.)

Question—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 M. A. Clarke,
 B. P. Dunn,
 R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight,
 S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

Noes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 V. O. Dickie,
 W. G. Fry,
 S. E. Gleeson,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade (*Teller*),
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton,
 V. T. Hauser,
 C. A. M. Hider (*Teller*),
 W. V. Houghton,
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

Question—That the sub-clause proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.
Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.
The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter (*Teller*),
F. S. Grimwade (*Teller*),
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 14.
The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke (*Teller*),
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 12.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 5—

(1) The Board may from time to time appoint a registrar and any other officers required for the purposes of this Act, and may at any time remove any person so appointed.

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(*Hon. V. O. Dickie.*)

Amendment proposed—That the following sub-clause be inserted after sub-clause (1)—

“() The functions of the Board shall be—

- (a) to exercise the powers and carry out the duties imposed upon it by this Act ; and
(b) to consider and report from time to time to the Minister on—
(i) any matters relating to the dental health of the community ;
(ii) the needs of the community for dentists and dental auxiliaries ;
(iii) the education of the public in dental health ; and
(iv) the collection and comparison of statistics relating to dentistry and dental health in Victoria and in other countries.”

—(*Hon. M. A. Clarke.*)

Motion proposed—That the Chairman do report progress and ask leave to sit again.

—(*Hon. D. G. Elliot.*)

Question—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.
The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot (*Teller*),
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 15.
The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross (*Teller*),
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton (*Teller*),
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

Question—That the sub-clause proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.
The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy (*Teller*),
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 15.
The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 13.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 8—

- * * * * *
- (2) The Board may appoint—
- (a) a standing committee to investigate and report from time to time on the practice of aspects of dentistry by dental auxiliaries and on the provisions of this Act and the regulations relating to dental auxiliaries ; and
- (b) an advisory committee to investigate and report on the administration of other provisions of this Act.
- (3) The standing committee shall consist of a chairman, at least one representative of each class of dental auxiliary and such other persons as the Board thinks fit.
- (4) The advisory committee shall consist of a chairman and such other persons as the Board thinks fit.

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—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “ such other persons as the Board thinks fit ” in sub-clause (3) be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof the words “ not more than three other persons ”.

—(Hon. D. G. Elliot.)

[The Chairman decided to test a proposal for the substitution of certain words in sub-clause (4) (foreshadowed by the Hon. D. G. Elliot) on the question, That the words proposed to be omitted from sub-clause (3) stand part of the clause.

The foreshadowed amendment tested by the Chairman was as follows :—

Clause 8, sub-clause (4), omit “ such other persons as the Board thinks fit ” and insert “ not more than ten other persons ”.]

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

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider (Teller),
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins (Teller),
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent (Teller),
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald (Teller),
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 14.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 29—

(1) There shall be a committee to be called the Dental Technicians Licensing Committee consisting of seven members appointed by the Governor in Council of whom—

- (a) one, who shall be a person who is not eligible for registration as a dentist or to be licensed as a dental technician, shall be the chairman ;
- (b) one shall be a member of The Dental Board of Victoria selected by the Minister from a panel of three names submitted by the Board ;
- (c) one shall be a member of the Victorian Branch of the Australian Dental Association selected by the Minister from a panel of three names submitted by the Council of the Branch ;
- (d) one shall be a person selected by the Minister from a panel of three names submitted by the Dental Technicians Association of Victoria ;
- (e) one shall be a person selected by the Minister from a panel of three names submitted by the executive body of the Miscellaneous Workers Union of Victoria ;
- (f) one shall be a person selected by the Minister after consultation with such body or bodies as the Minister thinks represent the interests of proprietors of dental laboratories ;
- (g) one shall be a member of the Apprenticeship Commission of Victoria nominated by the Minister of Labour and Industry.

(2) The persons first nominated and selected under paragraphs (d), (e) and (f) shall be persons eligible to be licensed as dental technicians and thereafter shall be persons licensed as dental technicians.

(3) A person shall be appointed a member of the committee for a period not exceeding four years and shall upon the expiration of his term of office be eligible for re-appointment.

(4) The Governor in Council may at any time remove any member of the committee from office.

(5) If at any time any body or person fails or neglects to submit a panel or nominate or select a person for the purposes of sub-section (1) after being requested so to do in writing by the Minister and within a period (not being less than fourteen days) specified by the Minister the Governor in Council may without such submission nomination or selection appoint any otherwise eligible person to be a member of the committee.

(6) During any vacancy in the committee the continuing members subject to there being a quorum may act as if no vacancy existed.

(7) A quorum of the committee at any meeting shall consist of four members.

(8) At any meeting of the committee the chairman shall preside and shall have a second or casting vote.

(9) The Governor in Council may appoint a deputy chairman being a person qualified to be appointed as chairman who shall in the absence of the chairman exercise all the powers and perform all the duties of the chairman.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “selected by the Minister from a panel of three names submitted” be omitted from paragraph (d) of sub-clause (1) with a view of inserting in place thereof the word “nominated”.

—(Hon. D. G. Elliot.)

[The Chairman decided to test at the same time a proposal for the insertion of certain words in sub-clause (4) (foreshadowed by the Hon. D. G. Elliot) on the question, That the words proposed to be omitted from paragraph (d) of sub-clause (1) stand part of the clause.

The foreshadowed amendment tested by the Chairman was as follows :—

Clause 29, sub-clause (4), after “time” insert “on the recommendation of the Committee”.]

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

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade (Teller),
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. R. Ward (Teller).

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight (Teller),
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell (Teller),
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 15.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 29—

[For this clause see Division No. 14.]

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Question—That clause 29 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke (Teller),
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy (Teller),
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter (Teller),
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross (Teller),
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 16.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 36—

(1) There shall be paid to the committee in respect of every licence under this Part the fee prescribed which shall not exceed \$15.

(2) There shall be paid to the committee during the month of July in each year by every person licensed under this Part the fee prescribed which shall not exceed \$15.

(3) If in any year any person makes default in paying the fee for renewal of his licence the committee shall cause his name to be erased from the roll.

(4) It shall be the duty of the secretary on or before the 17th day of June in each year to send by post to the address in the roll of such person a notice stating that the said fee is payable on or before the 30th day of June next following the date of the notice but the omission to send or the non-receipt of such notice shall not affect any liability to have the name erased from or give any right to have a name restored to the roll.

(5) The committee may cause the name of any person whose name has been erased from the roll under this section to be restored to the roll—

(a) on the payment of the licence fee for the non-payment of which the name was erased ; and

(b) on the payment of the fee prescribed for the restoration of his name to the roll which shall not be more than one-half of the licence fee.

(6) Fees under this section shall be applied by the committee in carrying out the purposes of this Part.

—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie.*)

Question—That clause 36 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent,
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton (*Teller*),
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. R. Ward (*Teller*).

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 17.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 44—

(1) A dentist shall be entitled to practise dental surgery and dentistry in any part of Victoria, and to sue in any court to the extent of the jurisdiction of such court for the recovery of his fees or other remuneration for his services.

(2) A dental technician shall be entitled to sue in any court to the extent of the jurisdiction of that court for the recovery of fees or charges for any dental work which he has carried out in accordance with this Act.

(3) A dentist shall not charge a patient for work carried out by a dental technician except where the dental technician is an employé of the dentist.

(4) A dentist or dental technician shall at the request of a patient who is being charged fees for the construction alteration or repair of artificial dentures give or send to the patient an account setting out particulars of the work done, the cost of the materials used, the persons who did the work and the time taken.

—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie.*)

Amendment proposed—That sub-clauses (2), (3), and (4) be omitted.

—(*Hon. V. O. Dickie.*)

Question—That the sub-clauses proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn (*Teller*),
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
D. E. Kent (*Teller*),
A. W. Knight,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
R. W. May,
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. A. Thomas,
J. M. Walton.

Noes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell (*Teller*),
V. O. Dickie,
W. G. Fry (*Teller*),
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
K. S. Gross,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.—Amendment agreed to.

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No. 18.—DENTISTS BILL.—Clause 58—

(3) Penalties recovered in proceedings taken under this section shall be paid—

(a) in the case of proceedings for an offence against Part V. to the committee ;

(b) in the case of proceedings for an offence against any other Part to the Board.

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

Amendment proposed—That the words “to the Board” be inserted after the word “paid” in sub-clause (3).

—(Hon. V. O. Dickie.)

[Note : A proposal to omit paragraphs (a) and (b) of sub-clause (3) had been foreshadowed by the Hon. V. O. Dickie.]

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 15.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 V. O. Dickie,
 W. G. Fry,
 S. E. Gleeson (Teller),
 F. J. Granter (Teller),
 F. S. Grimwade,
 K. S. Gross,
 H. M. Hamilton,
 V. T. Hauser,
 C. A. M. Hider,
 W. V. Houghton,
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 H. R. Ward.

Noes, 14.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 M. A. Clarke (Teller),
 B. P. Dunn,
 R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot,
 D. E. Kent,
 A. W. Knight (Teller),
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 R. W. May,
 C. A. Mitchell,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Walton.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY, 4TH MAY, 1972.

No. 19.—WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Clause 2—

Section 3 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

(a) In sub-section (1) in the interpretation of “worker” the expression “a person employed whose remuneration exceeds \$6,000 a year (excluding any payments made for overtime worked by him), or” is repealed ;

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—(Hon. Murray Byrne.)

Amendment proposed—That the following paragraph be inserted after paragraph (a)—

‘ () After sub-section (2) there shall be inserted the following sub-section :—

“(2A) Any question arising in relation to a claim made for compensation in accordance with the provisions of this Act by a person whose remuneration exceeds \$6,000 a year (excluding any payments made for overtime worked by him) and in respect of whom a policy of insurance was obtained by the employer pursuant to which the insurer agreed to indemnify the employer against his liability under this Act as though the person were a worker, shall subject to the provisions of this Act and the regulations and rules thereunder be settled by the Board whether the question arose before or after the coming into operation of this Act”.

—(Hon. J. W. Galbally.)

Question—That the paragraph proposed to be inserted be so inserted—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 6.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
 D. G. Elliot (Teller),
 J. W. Galbally,
 A. W. Knight (Teller),
 H. A. Thomas,
 J. M. Walton.

Noes, 22.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
 Murray Byrne,
 W. M. Campbell,
 G. L. Chandler,
 M. A. Clarke,
 V. O. Dickie,
 B. P. Dunn (Teller),
 W. G. Fry,
 F. J. Granter,
 F. S. Grimwade (Teller),
 H. M. Hamilton,
 V. T. Hauser,
 C. A. M. Hider,
 W. V. Houghton,
 A. J. Hunt,
 O. G. Jenkins,
 S. R. McDonald,
 A. R. Mansell,
 C. A. Mitchell,
 Haddon Storey,
 I. A. Swinburne,
 H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 20.—WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Clause 3—

Clause 1 of the clauses appended to section 9 of the Principal Act shall be amended as follows :—

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(b) In paragraph (b)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (i)—

for the expression “ \$26 ” (where twice occurring) there shall be substituted the expression “ \$43 ” ;

for the expression “ \$8 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$12 ” ;

for the expression “ \$3 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$4 ” ;

for the expression “ \$41 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$63 ” ;

for the expression “ \$24 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$32 ” ;

for the expression “ \$34 ” there shall be substituted the expression “ \$55 ” ;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (iii) for the expression “ \$13,149 ” (where twice occurring) there shall be substituted the expression “ \$15,260 ”.

—(Hon. Murray Byrne.)

Amendment proposed—That sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (b) be omitted with a view of inserting in place thereof—

‘ (i) For sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph :—

“ (i) An injured person shall continue to be entitled to his wage or salary as if he were still employed by the person by whom he was employed at the time of the injury ; ”’.

—(Hon. J. W. Galbally.)

Question—That the sub-paragraph proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 22.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
H. M. Hamilton (Teller),
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald (Teller),
A. R. Mansell,
C. A. Mitchell,
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 6.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy (Teller),
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas (Teller),
J. M. Walton.

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

No. 21.—WORKERS COMPENSATION BILL.—Proposed new clause A (proposed to follow clause 4)—

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any rule of law or construction, the provisions of the Principal Act as amended by the foregoing provisions of this Act, so far as they relate to rates or amounts of compensation, shall apply with respect to every payment of compensation after the commencement of this Act irrespective of the date of occurrence or origin of the injury or disease giving rise to the right to compensation and notwithstanding that an award for a lesser rate or amount may have been made by the Board before the commencement of this Act, and every policy of accident insurance or indemnity in force under the Principal Act or any previous corresponding Act at the said commencement shall, notwithstanding anything to the contrary therein, be read and construed as fully insuring or indemnifying the employer against the increased liability accordingly.

—(Hon. J. W. Galbally.)

Question—That proposed new clause A be now read a second time—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 6.

The Hon. R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
A. W. Knight,
H. A. Thomas (*Teller*),
J. M. Walton (*Teller*).

Noes, 22.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury,
Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
M. A. Clarke,
V. O. Dickie,
B. P. Dunn,
W. G. Fry,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade,
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser (*Teller*),
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
S. R. McDonald,
A. R. Mansell,
C. A. Mitchell (*Teller*),
Haddon Storey,
I. A. Swinburne,
H. R. Ward.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 22.—LIQUOR CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL.—Clause 9—

In paragraph (*b*) of sub-section (4) of section 45 of the Principal Act for the words “ten in the evening” (where first occurring) there shall be substituted the word “midnight”.

—(*Hon. Murray Byrne.*)

Question—That clause 9 stand part of the Bill—put.

Committee divided—The Hon. G. J. Nicol in the Chair.

Ayes, 20.

The Hon. Murray Byrne,
W. M. Campbell,
G. L. Chandler,
V. O. Dickie,
R. J. Eddy,
D. G. Elliot,
J. W. Galbally,
S. E. Gleeson,
F. J. Granter,
F. S. Grimwade (*Teller*),
H. M. Hamilton,
V. T. Hauser,
C. A. M. Hider,
W. V. Houghton,
A. J. Hunt,
O. G. Jenkins,
A. W. Knight (*Teller*),
Haddon Storey,
J. M. Walton,
H. R. Ward.

Noes, 6.

The Hon. A. K. Bradbury (*Teller*),
M. A. Clarke,
B. P. Dunn,
S. R. McDonald (*Teller*),
C. A. Mitchell,
I. A. Swinburne.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

1971.

VICTORIA.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

JOINT SITTING

OF THE

HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA

TO CHOOSE THREE MEMBERS OF

THE PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA

TO BE

RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT

TO THE

COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY

26TH OCTOBER, 1971.

*Held in accordance with the provisions of Section 7 of the Monash University Act 1958
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MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

JOINT SITTING

HELD IN THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

TUESDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1971.

The Members of the Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly having, pursuant to resolutions of the two Houses, assembled in the Legislative Assembly Chamber—

1. ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.—The Attorney-General, the Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., moved—
That the Honorable Raymond William Garrett, A.F.C., A.E.A., M.L.C., President of the Legislative Council, be appointed President of this Joint Sitting, which motion, being seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Raymond William Garrett, A.F.C., A.E.A., M.L.C., having expressed his acknowledgments for the honour conferred upon him by the Joint Sitting, then took the Chair.

2. RULES OF PROCEDURE.—The President announced that section 7 of the *Monash University Act 1958* provided that the Joint Sitting shall be conducted in accordance with rules adopted for the purpose by Members at the Sitting. Accordingly, the Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., submitted the following rules of procedure for the consideration of Honorable Members, and moved that they be adopted as the rules of procedure of this Joint Sitting :—

1. On any debate arising the same shall be conducted according to Parliamentary usage.

2. A Member, addressing himself to the President, shall propose a Member to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University and such proposal shall be duly seconded. When any Member is so proposed his proposer shall state that such Member is willing to be so recommended for appointment, if chosen.

3. If only three Members be proposed and seconded, the President shall declare—“ That
have been chosen to be recommended for
appointment to the Council of the Monash University.”

4. If more than three Members be proposed and seconded, the Members to be recommended for appointment shall be chosen by ballot in the following manner :—

5. The President shall announce the names of the Members proposed and shall cause each Member present to be provided with a ballot-paper initialled by the Clerks of the two Houses.

6. Upon such ballot-paper the Members receiving it shall write the names of the three Members he wishes to be recommended for appointment ; and if any ballot-paper contains a larger number of names it shall be rejected. Having marked his ballot-paper as provided, the Member voting shall deposit it in a ballot-box provided for the purpose.

7. The President shall appoint three Members to be scrutineers, who, with the Clerks, shall ascertain the number of votes for each Member ; and the three Members who shall be reported to have the greatest number of votes shall be deemed to be duly chosen to be recommended for appointment. In any case of doubt arising through two or more Members having an equality of votes, the scrutineers by drawing lots shall determine which of such Members shall be chosen to be recommended for appointment.

8. No informal vote shall be taken into account.

9. The President shall be entitled to a vote.

10. As soon as the ballot is concluded the President shall declare—“ That
have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council
of the Monash University.”

11. The records of the proceedings and the ballot-papers shall be retained by the Clerk of the Parliaments of the State of Victoria, who shall be the custodian thereof, and shall keep the ballot-papers safely for one year and thereafter destroy them.

Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., seconded the motion.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

3. MEMBERS PROPOSED AND CHOSEN TO BE RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE COUNCIL OF THE MONASH UNIVERSITY.—The President announced that, the rules having been adopted, he was now prepared to receive proposals from Honorable Members with regard to the Members to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University.

The Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., proposed the Honorable Graham John Nicol, M.L.C., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Nicol was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by the Honorable Sir Henry Edward Bolte, K.C.M.G., M.P.

Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., proposed Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. Fordham was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by the Honorable Valentine Joseph Doube, M.P.

Peter Ross-Edwards, Esquire, M.P., proposed the Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., for recommendation for appointment to the Council, and stated that Mr. McDonald was willing to be recommended, if chosen, which proposal was seconded by Milton Stanley Whiting, Esquire, M.P.

The President, having asked if there were any further proposals and there being no further proposals, thereupon declared that the Honorable Graham John Nicol, M.L.C., Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., and the Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., had been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University.

4. NOTIFICATION TO THE HONORABLE THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.—The Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., moved—That the President inform the Honorable the Minister of Education that the Honorable Graham John Nicol, M.L.C., Robert Clive Fordham, Esquire, M.P., and the Honorable Stuart Richard McDonald, M.L.C., have been chosen to be recommended for appointment to the Council of the Monash University which motion, being seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., was resolved in the affirmative.

5. VOTE OF THANKS TO THE PRESIDENT.—The Honorable George Oswald Reid, Q.C., M.P., moved a vote of thanks to the President, which motion was seconded by Frank Noel Wilkes, Esquire, M.P., and carried unanimously.

The President, having returned thanks, declared the Joint Sitting closed.

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

G. N. H. GROSE,
Acting-Clerk of the Legislative Council.

VICTORIA MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEG. COUNCIL, SESSION 1971-72

THE
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THE
PRESIDENT