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1878.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the Minutes.)

THURSDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER, 1878.

Clause 24. The Colonial Secretary may subject to the provisions hereinafter contained by writing under his hand as nearly as conveniently may be in the form in Schedule 13 to this Act grant to any person or to two or more persons jointly a license for any period not exceeding twelve months three years to keep a house for the reception of a certain number of insane patients to be mentioned in such license and may renew or revoke such license. And every license granted under the Act thirty-first Victoria number nineteen in force at the date of the passing of this Act shall be deemed to have been granted and to be held under and subject to the provisions of this Act. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Fitzpatrick) and Question put,—That the blank in lines 3 and 4 be filled with the words "two years" Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Cohen, Mr. Farnell, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Burns, Mr. W. H. Suitor, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Leary.

Noes, 18.

Mr. Jacob, Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Driver, Mr. Hurley (Hartley), Mr. Greville, Mr. Balfour, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. J. Davies, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Driver, Mr. Hurley, Mr. Greville, Mr. Balfour, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Harris.

And the words "three years" having been inserted, on motion of Mr. Greenwood,—Clause agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Wednesday next.

FRIDAY, 27 SEPTEMBER, 1878.

No. 2.

RAILWAY REFRESHMENT ROOMS BILL.

(Resolution.)

Mr. Copeland moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution, viz.:

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to provide for licensing Railway Refreshment Rooms.

Question
Question put.
Committee divided.
Ayes, 18.
Mr. Farnall, Mr. McElhone,
Mr. Burns, Mr. Moses,
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Day,
Mr. Hurley (Hartley), Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Leary, Mr. Terry,
Mr. P. E. Smith, Mr. Eckford,
Mr. Badgery, Tellers,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Barbour, Mr. Copland,

Noes, 10.
Sir John Robertson,
Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. W. H. Sutter, Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Greville,
Mr. McPhail,
Mr. Beyers,
Mr. Hoskins,

On motion of Mr. Copeland, the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Resolution to the House.

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No. 2.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

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FRIDAY, 4 OCTOBER, 1878.

No. 1.

DRUNKARDS PUNISHMENT ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

Clause 1. It shall be lawful for any Justice of the Peace before whom any person shall be charged on information with being drunk or drunk and disorderly in any highway, street, road or public place to issue his summons directed to such person stating shortly the matter of such information and requiring him to appear at a certain time and place before the same or such other Justice or Justices as shall then be there to answer to the said charge and such person may thereafter be dealt with under the Act aforesaid as if he had been apprehended and taken before a Justice in terms thereof and in default of his appearing in answer to the said summons a warrant may be issued for his apprehension or the case may be heard ex parte under the provisions of any Act or Acts in force for the time being regulating proceedings on summary convictions. Provided that every such information shall be laid within forty-eight hours of the commission of the alleged offence.

Motion made (Mr. Fitzpatrick), that the words "drunk or," line 2, be omitted.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Hurley, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. George, Mr. J. Davis, Mr. Windley, Mr. W. B. Suttor, Sir John Robertson, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Thompson, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Hurley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Stephens Brown, Mr. Danger, Mr. Terry, Mr. Butt, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Driver, Dr. Bowker, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. McElligton, Mr. Farnell, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Leary.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Burns, Mr. Humberford, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Smith, Mr. Charles, Mr. B. Suttor, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Horton, Mr. Boyne, Tellers, Mr. Day, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Simson, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Hume, Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Thomsen.

And the Clause having been further amended, as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 2.

(Same Bill)

Clause 2. Any person who shall for a fourth time or oftener during any period of twelve months be convicted under the Act first mentioned of either being drunk or drunk and disorderly shall if such conviction is had before two or more Justices be liable to imprisonment or without hard labour for any period not exceeding fourteen days. (Read)

Motion made (Mr. Terry),—That the word "either" line 2, be omitted.

Question
Question put,—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the Clause.

Committee divided.

**Ayes, 19.**

Mr. Leary, Mr. Benne, Mr. Bennett,
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Rosby, Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Windger, Mr. McCullough,
Mr. P. B. Suttor, Mr. Harbour,
Mr. T. R. Smith, Tellers,
Mr. Greveille,
Mr. Hurley (Hartley), Mr. Macintosch,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. Simon,
Mr. Davies,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. Shepherd,

**Noes, 22.**

Mr. Fernell, Mr. Leckey,
Sir John Robertson, Mr. Long,
Mr. Lackey, Dr. Bowker,
Mr. Todd, Mr. Day,
Mr. Budgey, Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. McElpatrick, Mr. Hodgson,
Mr. Burns, Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Taylor, Mr. Boyen,
Mr. Haugerford, Tellers,
Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Driver,

And the Clause having been further amended, as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jacob, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments.

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THURSDAY, 10 OCTOBER, 1878.

SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL.

Clause 11. If at the time of the roll being so amended it shall be proved on oath or otherwise to the satisfaction of the said Revision Court that any rate or part of such rate payable by any citizen is in arrear and unpaid his name shall not be inserted or retained therein. (Read.)

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill. (Mr. Fitzpatrick.)

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32. Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Harris, Mr. Cohen, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Moses, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Harris, Mr. Lockey, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Veec, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Driver, Mr. Day, Mr. Greville, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Harbourne, Mr. Taylor, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Leary, Mr. Simson, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Brickwood, Mr. Baillie, Mr. Whytes, Mr. Bridgery, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Hurley, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Driver, Mr. Day, Mr. Greville, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Harbourne, Mr. Taylor, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Leary, Mr. Simson, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Brickwood, Mr. Baillie, Mr. Bridgery, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Hurley.

Noses, 9. Mr. Bowdman, Mr. R. H. Smith, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. Henry Parke, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Hulston (Harley), Tellers. Mr. Moloney, Mr. Coomans.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 2.

(Clause 33.) On the ninth day of December in every year the Mayor then holding office shall retire and on the same day a new election shall take place in the manner hereinafter mentioned but the retiring Mayor shall be eligible for re-election. And all citizens entitled to vote at the election of an Alderman shall be entitled to vote at the election of a Mayor and for the purposes of such election the same or similar booths or rooms and ballot-boxes shall be used as in the elections of Alderman and such election shall be held before one or more Presiding Officers or other persons appointed for each ward by the Town Clerk in the same manner as hereinbefore provided in respect to the election of an Alderman. And every citizen voting at such election shall vote at the polling place or room in one ward only for which he is entitled to vote according to the said roll. And the election of a Mayor shall be carried out as far as practicable in the same way as is herein provided in regard to the election of Alderman. But the Mayor elected shall be the Alderman for whom there shall be a majority of votes in all the wards collectively. (Read.)

Question
Question put.—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill. (Mr. Fitzpatrick.)

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.  
Mr. Farrell,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Burns,  
Mr. Sutherland,  
Mr. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Leroy,  
Mr. W. H. Sutor,  
Mr. Greer,  
Mr. Winter,  
Mr. T. E. Smith,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Shepherd,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Berlour,  
Mr. O’Connor,  
Mr. R. B. Smith,  
Mr. Macintosch,  
Mr. Lynch,  
Mr. Sloane,  
Mr. Horikins,  
Tellers.  
Mr. McElhassie,  
Mr. O’connor.

Noes, 22.  
Sir John Robertson,  
Mr. Leckey,  
Mr. Besby,  
Mr. Long,  
Mr. Luhrs,  
Mr. J. Davies,  
Sir Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Jacob,  
Mr. Boyce,  
Mr. Davies,  
Mr. H. H. Brown,  
Mr. Haugrerd,  
Mr. Riddock,  
Mr. Baker,  
Mr. Greenwood,  
Mr. Bowmam,  
Mr. Teasco,  
Mr. Wisdom,  
Mr. Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Bagetry,  
Mr. McCulloch,  
Tellers.

The numbers being equal, the Chairman gave his casting vote with the Ayes.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again this day week.
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THURSDAY, 17 OCTOBER, 1878.

No. 4.

SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL.
Clause 56. The Council shall appoint a Town Clerk, a City Treasurer, a Health Officer (being a duly qualified medical practitioner) a City Engineer, a City "Surveyor" and an Inspector of Nuisances and such other officers and servants as may be necessary, and shall either at the time of their appointment or from time to time by special resolution of the Council in that behalf or by any by-laws assign to them respectively such duties, salaries, wages or other remuneration as the Council may deem right. But every such officer or servant who by virtue of his office or employment may receive or have in his hands or under his control any moneys the property of the Corporation or Council shall give security sufficient in the opinion of the Council for the duly accounting for any such moneys and until he shall have given such security shall not enter upon the discharge of his duties nor be entitled to receive any salary. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. O'Connor) and Question put,—That after “Surveyor,” line 2, there be inserted the words “an Auditor”

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Farrell,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Greig,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. W. H. Sutter,
Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. McElhone,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. McKelvy,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. O'Brien,
Tellers.

Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Cooman,
Mr. Devitt,
Mr. Biddell,
Mr. J. Davidson,
Mr. Gray,
Mr. Simco,
Mr. Bulger,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. W. Devitt,
Mr. Charles,
Tellers.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Wobb,
Mr. B. B. Smith,
Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Twoe,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Harris

On motion of Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Wednesday next.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
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No. 5.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the Minutes.)

TUESDAY, 22 OCTOBER, 1878.

No. 1.

BIRDS AND ANIMALS PROTECTION BILL.

Clause 6. Any birds animals or reptiles known to be destroyers of snakes vermin or insects injurious to vegetation may by the authority of the Colonial Secretary by a notice published in the Gazette at any time be added to the lists of birds and animals set forth in the First or Second Schedule and after publication of such notice all the provisions of this Act (so far as they may be applicable) shall be held to apply to the birds animals or reptiles therein mentioned. (Read.)

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill. (Mr. Day.)

Committee divided.


Mr. Burns, Mr. W. G. Brown, Mr. Cohen, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Farewell, Mr. Driver, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. W. H. Suter, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Tellers, Mr. Day, Mr. Graville, Mr. Harin, Mr. Leary, Mr. Greenwood.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Day, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Friday, 8th November.

THURSDAY, 24 OCTOBER, 1878.

No. 2.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION IN SYDNEY.

(Resolution.)

Mr. Fitzpatrick moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution, viz.:

Resolved,—That an Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to recommend to this House the grant to the Agricultural Society of New South Wales of a sum of money (not to exceed £10,000) equal to the sums that may be advanced by the Society for the like purpose, from its own resources or from private contributions, to enable the said Society to make adequate provision for the holding in Sydney of an International Exhibition during the year 1879.

Debate ensued.

Question put. Committee
Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. J. Davies, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Macintosh.
Mr. Barnall, Mr. Murphy, Mr. McElhone.
Mr. Cohen, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Seabour.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Charles, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Harris, Mr. Seomnan.
Mr. Burns, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Telfer.
Mr. Leary, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Day.
Mr. Greville, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Dillon.
Mr. W. H. Sutton, Mr. Shepherd.
Mr. Driver, Mr. Harvey (Narelis).
Sir John Robertson, Mr. Rosbly.
Mr. F. B. Sutton, Mr. Taylor.
Mr. Beyers, Mr. Simon.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Hungerford.
Mr. Mce, Telfer.
Mr. Lynch, Teller.
Mr. Tepee, Teller.
Mr. McCulloch, Teller.

On motion of Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Resolution to the House.

FRIDAY, 25 OCTOBER, 1878.

No. 3.

CITY OF SYDNEY IMPROVEMENT BILL.

Clause 16. Three clear days before any building on old or new foundations or on foundations partly new and partly old or any wall or fence fronting the building-line of any street shall be begun to be built and also before any addition or alteration shall be made to any building and also before any other matter or thing shall be commenced which by this Act is placed under the supervision of the Surveyor the person causing such building or wall or fence to be built or such work to be executed shall give to the said Surveyor notice in writing in the form or to the effect set forth in Schedule H No. 1 and shall forward with such notice plans and particulars of such building or work for the approval of the said Surveyor and if such person as aforesaid shall neglect to give such notice or shall begin or allow any person to begin to build or to do any of the works matters or things aforesaid without giving such notice or furnishing such plan and particulars or before the expiration of the said period of three days he shall for every such default be liable to a penalty not less than fifteen pounds and not exceeding twenty pounds and if any such person having duly begun any such building or other work matter or thing as aforesaid shall for any period exceeding one month suspend the progress thereof and again go on with the same then two clear days before any such recommencement or resumption of work he shall give notice in writing to the said Surveyor in the form or to the effect set forth in Schedule H No. 2 of this Act and if any such person shall neglect to give such notice he shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty of not less than two pounds and not more than twenty pounds And any such building or other work matter or thing so begun to be built or altered as aforesaid or proceeded with after suspension thereof as aforesaid without such notices and plans and particulars being given respectively as aforesaid shall be liable to be declared and abated as a common nuisance under the provisions hereinafter in that behalf contained Provided always that if by reason of any emergency any act matter or thing hereby placed under the supervision of the said Surveyor be required to be done immediately or before such notice as aforesaid respectively can be given then any such person as aforesaid may do such act matter or thing so requisite but such person shall within twenty-four hours of commencing such work give to the said Surveyor notice thereof in writing or in default be liable in all respects as if no such emergency had arisen.

Motion made (Mr. Webb).—That the words “less than fifteen pounds and not” lines 12 and 13, be omitted.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 80.

Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Harris.
Mr. Barnall, Mr. P. B. Suttor.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Sir Henry Parkes.
Mr. Burns, Mr. W. C. Brown.
Mr. Leary, Mr. Babour.
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Beyers.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Morphy.
Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Moses.
Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Stephen Brown.
Mr. Claren, Mr. Clarke.
Mr. Greville, Mr. Hungerford.
Mr. Driver (Narelis), Mr. Copeland.
Mr. Harlax (Narelis), Teller.
Mr. Dillon, Teller.
Mr. Driver, Mr. Day.
Mr. Lackey, Mr. W. Davies.

And the blank, in line 19, having been filled with the word “two.”

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 4.
Clause 57. If the chimney of any building or premises shall take fire by reason of the owner or occupant of such building or premises having neglected to cause such chimney to be regularly swept or cleaned or from any other neglect of such owner or occupant then and in every such case such owner or occupant shall be liable to a penalty of a sum not exceeding five pounds and not less than one pound. And in every case the proof that such chimney did not take fire through the neglect of such owner or occupant shall rest upon such owner or occupant. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. R. B. Smith),—That the words "And in every case the proof that such chimney did not take fire through the neglect of such", lines 5 and 6, be omitted.

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

Committee divided.

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Mr. Farnell, | Mr. Manby,
Mr. Leary, | Sir John Robertson,
Mr. Sutherland, | Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Rossby, | Mr. Toose,
Mr. Driver, | Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Burns, | Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Charles, | Mr. Badgery,
Mr. Greville, | Mr. Harris,
Mr. Hoskins, | Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Stephen Brown, | Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Macintosh, | Tellers.
Mr. W. Davies, | Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. Thompson, | Mr. Hungerford.

The Clause having been amended, as indicated, on motion of Mr. Driver,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Driver, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Friday, 22nd November.
Mr. Burns moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

That this House approves of the following Agreement for the construction of a second cable from Singapore direct to Banjoewangie, and thence direct to Port Darwin, as agreed upon by the Representatives of the Colonies of New South Wales, Victoria, New Zealand, and South Australia, and empowers the Government to enter into a contract, in conjunction with the other Governments named, on the terms therein stated, for the purpose of carrying out this undertaking:—

Memorandum of Agreement between the Governments of New South Wales and Victoria, on behalf of the Australian Colonies and New Zealand (hereinafter called the Governments), on the one part, and the Eastern Extension Australasia and China Telegraph Company (Limited) hereinafter called the Company—on the other.

1. That the Company shall, subject to the approval of the shareholders, contract with the Governments for the construction of a second cable from Singapore direct to Banjoewangie, and thence direct to Port Darwin, for an annual subsidy of £82,400, and shall sign the contract and necessary conditions on or before the 1st July, 1879.

2. That such subsidy shall be payable for a period of twenty years, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained.

3. That the Company shall throughout the whole of the period during which such subsidy shall be payable maintain in full working order, except where the act of God or the Queen's enemies excepted, such second cable, and also its present lines of cable between Singapore and Batavia, and Banjoewangie and Port Darwin.

4. That the Company shall before such subsidy shall become payable lay a second cable between Singapore and Penang, and thereafter shall, in like manner, maintain the same except where the act of God or the Queen's enemies excepted, and its present lines of cable between Singapore and Penang, Penang and Madras, Penang and Rangoon, in full working order.

5. That the Company shall, in consideration of the subsidy herein agreed to be paid, and whilst that subsidy is payable, allow a rebate on Government messages, hereinafter defined, exchanged between England and Port Darwin, reducing their own proportion of the charge to the extent of 50 per cent. upon the present rate; and on press messages exchanged between England and Port Darwin, as hereinafter defined, will reduce their own proportion of the charge to the extent of 75 per cent., upon the present rate: Provided that such reduction shall not be extended to any Colony other than such as may contribute towards the subsidy.

6. That the Government shall have the right during the currency of the subsidy aforesaid to purchase the Company's cable lines and other property between Singapore and Port Darwin on equitable terms, to be fixed, in case of difference, by arbitration, twelve months previous notice to be given to the Company of the intention to exercise this right: Provided always that the right shall not be exercisable till the Company shall, for five years have paid a dividend equal to 10 per cent.
7. That the Company shall complete and open for communication the second cables above-mentioned between Singapore and Port Darwin and Singapore and Penang within eight months from the date of the signing of the contract: Provided always that the Company shall not be held liable for any loss or damage which the Colonies may sustain in consequence of delay in completing the said cables, in the event of such delay being caused by war, inevitable accident, or other contingency over which the Company can have no control.

8. That in the event of the Company completing and having the duplicate cable above-mentioned open for communication within the period herein contracted for, the subsidy payable by the Government shall commence and accrue four months after the signing of the contract: but the Company shall not be entitled to any payment under this clause until the said cables shall have been actually completed and are open for communication as above stated.

9. That the said subsidy shall be payable quarterly in London to the Company in sterling money, free of all deductions.

10. That in the event of any total interruption in the communication between Port Darwin and Singapore the subsidy shall cease pro rata for the period of such interruption: Provided that if the interruption be caused by reason of war or any such like cause the subsidy shall continue, but the Company shall be bound to restore such communication at the request and cost of the Government as soon as the war or other contingency shall have terminated.

11. The Company shall at all times hereafter give priority in transmission through the said cable to all Government messages; being such as are exchanged between Her Majesty’s Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies or the various Agents-General on the one hand, and the Governors or Chief Secretaries of the various Colonial Governments on the other, on matters relating to the administration of the Governments.

12. Press messages must be addressed to registered newspapers only, and shall be for bona fide publication in full. They must be in English, in plain language, and intelligible; no cypher, code, groups of figures or of letters, or words of concealed meaning to be used.

13. The maximum charges for the transmission of messages between Port Darwin and London, during the currency of this agreement, shall not exceed—For Governmental messages, per word, 6s. 4d.; for Press messages, per word, 5s. 1d.; for other messages, per word, 9s. 5d.

And Mr. Burns requiring that the paragraphs be considered seriatim—

Paragraph 1. That the Company shall, subject to the approval of the shareholders, contract with the Governments for the construction of a second cable from Singapore direct to Banjoewangie, and thence direct to Port Darwin, for an annual subsidy "of £32,400," and shall sign the contract and necessary conditions on or before the 1st July, 1879.

(Red.)

Motion made (Mr. Copeland)—To omit "of £32,400," and insert in their place the words, "at the rate of six per cent. on the cost of construction, provided such subsidy shall not exceed £32,400 per annum, and the accounts of the Company in connection with the business herein referred to shall be submitted for audit at least once in each year to two auditors, to be appointed by the contracting Governments."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.
Mr. Parnell,
Mr. Sutherland,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. Huggins,
Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. W. R. Sutton,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Wisdom,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Eckford,
Mr. J. Davie,
Mr. Taylor,
Mr. Graville,
Mr. Johnstone,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Bennett,
Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Harley (Harley),
Mr. Rowan,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Teese,
Mr. Rosby,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Rawden,
Mr. Kohins,
Mr. Clarke,
Mr. Mainstock,
Mr. Driver,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. Webb,
Mr. Boyce,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Rambour,
Mr. O’Connor,
Mr. W. Davie,
Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. Colenso,
Mr. Copeland.

Noes, 3.
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. McElhone,
Mr. Copeland.

And the paragraph having been amended, as indicated, on motion of Mr. Webb,—

Paragraph, as amended, agreed to.

No. 2.

(Same Resolution.)

Paragraph 2. That such subsidy shall be payable for a period of "twenty" years, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. W. Davie)—To omit the word "twenty" and insert "fifteen."

Question put.—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the paragraph.

Committee
Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. J. Davics, Mr. Hurley (Hartley),
Mr. Cohen, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Tece, Mr. Harris, Mr. Terry,
Mr. Farrell, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Wyse, Mr. Burns, Mr. Hartley,
Mr. Burns, Mr. Greville, Mr. W. Davies, Tellers,
Mr. Burns, Mr. Greville, Mr. W. Davies, Tellers,
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hurley (Hartley),
Mr. Cohen, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Tece, Mr. Harris, Mr. Terry,
Mr. Farrell, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Wyse, Mr. Burns, Mr. Hartley,
Mr. Burns, Mr. Greville, Mr. W. Davies, Tellers,
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hurley (Hartley),
Mr. Cohen, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Tece, Mr. Harris, Mr. Terry,
Mr. Farrell, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Wyse, Mr. Burns, Mr. Hartley,
Mr. Burns, Mr. Greville, Mr. W. Davies, Tellers,
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hurley (Hartley),
Mr. Cohen, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Tece, Mr. Harris, Mr. Terry,
Mr. Farrell, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Wyse, Mr. Burns, Mr. Hartley,
Mr. Burns, Mr. Greville, Mr. W. Davies, Tellers,
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Mr. Farrell, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Wyse, Mr. Burns, Mr. Hartley,
Motion made (Mr. Copeland) and Question put.—That the following words be added to the paragraph, viz.: "Provided that if the Company shall not complete and open for communication such second cable within twelve mouths the within agreement shall cease and become void."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Farwell, Mr. B. R. Smith.
Mr. Burns, Mr. Bowman.
Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Hangerford, Sir John Robertson.
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Driver.
Mr. Charles, Mr. Rawden.
Mr. Leary, Mr. Greville.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. W. C. Brown.
Mr. Gray, Mr. Gray.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Farrill, Mr. W. C. Brown.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Fitzgerald.
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. O'Connor.
Mr. Burns, Mr. Rawden.
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Harris.
Mr. Day, Mr. Charles.
Mr. Gray, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Driver, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Leary.
Tellers.
Mr. Greville, Mr. Lewis.
Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Evans.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Bowd

Paragraph, as read, agreed to.

No. 6. (Same Resolution.)

Paragraph 8. That in the event of the Company completing and having the duplicate cable abovementioned open for communication within the period herein contracted for, the subsidy payable by the Government shall commence and accrue four months after the signing of the contract: but the Company shall not be entitled to any payment under this clause until the said cables shall have been actually completed and are open for communication as above stated. (Read.)

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY 1 NOVEMBER, 1878, A.M.

Question put,—That the paragraph as read stand part of the Resolution.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Farwell, Mr. R. R. Smith.
Mr. Burns, Mr. Bowman.
Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Hangerford, Sir John Robertson.
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Driver.
Mr. Charles, Mr. Rawden.
Mr. T. B. Smith, Mr. Day.
Mr. Leary, Mr. Greville.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. W. C. Brown.
Mr. Gray, Mr. Gray.

Noes, 11.

Mr. Harris, Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Bowd, Mr. Bowd.
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Day.
Mr. Terry, Mr. Day.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. McElhone.
Tellers.
Mr. W. Davies, Mr. W. Davies.

Paragraph, as read, agreed to.

No. 7. (Same Resolution.)

Paragraph 10. That in the event of any total interruption in the communication between Port Darwin and Singapore the subsidy shall cease pro rata for the period of such interruption: Provided that if the interruption be caused by reason of war or any such like cause the subsidy shall continue, but the Company shall be bound to restore such communication "at the request and cost of the Governments" as soon as the war or other contingency shall have terminated. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Copeland),—To omit the words "at the request and cost of the Governments" lines 4 and 5.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Farwell, Mr. Bowd.
Mr. Burns, Mr. Burns.
Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. O'Connor.
Mr. Hangerford, Mr. Day.
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Gray.
Mr. Charles, Mr. E. R. Smith.
Mr. Rawden, Mr. Sutherland.
Mr. Murphy, Mr. Leary.
Mr. John Robertson, Mr. T. R. Smith.
Tellers.
Mr. Greville, Mr. Lewis.
Mr. W. Davies, Mr. W. W. Davies.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Thompson.

Noes, 5.

Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Bowd.
Tellers.
Mr. Copeland, Mr. McElhone.

And the paragraph having been amended, as indicated, on motion of Sir John Robertson,—

No. 8. (Same Paragraph.)

Question put,—That the paragraph, as amended, stand part of the Resolution. Committee
Committee divided.

Ayes, 27:
Mr. Parnell, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Burns, Mr. Boyers, Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. W. H. Sutton, Mr. Charles, Sir John Robertson, Mr. Rawden, Mr. Leary, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Gray, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Bowman.

Noes, 5:
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Copeland, Tellers.

Mr. Terry, Mr. Harris.

Paragraph, as amended, agreed to.

No. 9.

(Same Resolution.)

Mr. Burns proposed the following new paragraph, to follow No. 12, viz.:

New Paragraph 13. The maximum charges for the transmission of messages between Port Darwin and London during the currency of this agreement shall not exceed:

For Governmental messages .... per word, 6d. 4d.
For Press messages .... per word, 8d. 1d.
For other messages .... per word, 9s. 5d. (Read.)

Point of Order.—Mr. Terry submitted, as a Point of Order, that the new clause was improperly before the Committee.

The Chairman stated that in his opinion the proposed amendment was in order.

Motion made (Mr. Terry) and Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, to report the Point of Order to the House, and obtain leave to sit again when Mr. Speaker's decision shall have been given.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 4:
Mr. Harris, Mr. Webb, Tellers.

Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Terry.

Noes, 28:
Mr. Parnell, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Burns, Sir John Robertson, Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Driver, Mr. W. H. Sutton, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. O'Conner, Mr. Charles, Mr. Day, Mr. Thompson, Tellers.

Mr. Bennett, Mr. Boyers, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Rawden, Mr. W. Davies.

New Paragraph, as read, agreed to.

And the Resolution having been agreed to, with the amendments indicated therein,—

On motion of Mr. Burns, the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Resolution to the House.
WEDNESDAY, 6 NOVEMBER, 1878.

No. 1.

Duplication of the Port Darwin Telegraph Cable.

(Resolution, as recommitted for reconsideration of paragraph 12 and consideration of a new paragraph.)

Resolved,—

That this House approves of the following Agreement for the construction of a second cable from Singapore direct to Banjoewangie, and thence direct to Port Darwin, as agreed upon by the Governments of the Colonies of New South Wales, Victoria, New Zealand, and South Australia, and empowers the Government to enter into a contract, in conjunction with the other Governments named, on the terms therein stated, for the purpose of carrying out this undertaking:

Memorandum of Agreement between the Governments of New South Wales and Victoria, on behalf of the Australian Colonies and New Zealand (hereinafter called the Governments), on the one part, and the Eastern Extension Australasia and China Telegraph Company (Limited), hereinafter called the Company—on the other.

1. That the Company shall, subject to the approval of the shareholders, contract with the Governments for the construction of a second cable from Singapore direct to Banjoewangie, and thence direct to Port Darwin, for an annual subsidy of £32,400, and shall sign the contract and necessary conditions on or before the 1st July, 1879.

2. That such subsidy shall be payable for a period of twenty years, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained.

3. That the Company shall throughout the whole of the period during which such subsidy shall be payable maintain in full working order, the act of God or the Queen's enemies excepted, such second cable, and also its present lines of cable between Singapore and Batavia, and Banjoewangie and Port Darwin.

4. That the Company shall before such subsidy shall become payable lay a second cable between Singapore and Penang, and thereafter shall, in like manner, maintain the same, the act of God or the Queen's enemies excepted, and its present lines of cable between Singapore and Penang, Penang and Madras, Penang and Rangoon, in full working order.

5. That the Company shall, in consideration of the subsidy herein agreed to be paid, and whilst that subsidy is payable, allow a rebate on Government messages, hereinafter defined, exchanged between England and Port Darwin, reducing their own proportion of the charge to the extent of 50 per cent. upon the present rate; and on press messages exchanged between England and Port Darwin, as hereinafter defined, will reduce their own proportion of the charge to the extent of 75 per cent. upon the present rate: Provided that such reduction shall not be extended to any Colony other than such as may contribute towards the subsidy.

6. That the Company shall complete and open for communication the second cables above-mentioned between Singapore and Port Darwin and Singapore and Penang within eight months from the date of the signing of the contract: Provided always that the Company shall not be held liable for any loss or damage which the Colonies may sustain in consequence of delay in completing the said cables, in the event of such delay being caused by war, inevitable accident, or other contingency over which the Company can have no control.
7. That in the event of the Company completing and having the duplicate cable above-mentioned open for communication within the period herein contracted for, the subsidy payable by the Government shall commence and accrue four months after the signing of the contract; but the Company shall not be entitled to any payment under this clause until the said cables shall have been actually completed and are open for communication as above stated.

8. That the said subsidy shall be payable quarterly in London to the Company in sterling money, free of all deductions.

9. That in the event of any total interruption in the communication between Port Darwin and Singapore the subsidy shall cease pro rata for the period of such interruption: Provided that if the interruption is caused by reason of war or any such cause the subsidy shall continue, but the Company shall be bound to restore such communication at the request and cost of the Governments.

10. The Company shall at all times hereafter give priority in transmission through the said cable to all Government messages; being such as are exchanged between Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies or the various Agents-General on the one hand, and the Governors or Chief Secretaries of the various Colonial Governments on the other, on matters relating to the administration of the Governments.

11. Press messages must be addressed to registered newspapers only, and shall be for bond fide publication in full. They must be in English, in plain language, and intelligible; no cypher, code, groups of figures or of letters, or words of concealed meaning to be used.

12. The maximum charges for the transmission of messages between Port Darwin and London, during the currency of this agreement, shall not exceed—For Governmental messages, per word, 5s. 6d. ; for Press messages, per word, 5s. 5d. ; for other messages, per word, 5s. 4d.

13. The Company shall not, during the currency of this agreement, increase its own proportion of the charges for messages exchanged between Port Darwin and London beyond the rates provided for herein, viz.:

- For Governmental messages, per word ... ... ... 2s. 10d.
- For Press messages, per word ... ... ... 1s. 5d.
- For all other messages, per word ... ... ... 5s. 6d.

13. That the Government shall have the right, during the currency of the subsidy aforesaid, to purchase the Company's cable lines and other property between Singapore and Port Darwin on equitable terms, to be fixed, in case of difference, by arbitration; twelve months previous notice to be given to the Company of the intention to exercise this right: Provided always that the right shall not be exercisable till the Company shall for five years have paid a dividend equal to ten per cent. per annum, or shall for that period have passed ten per cent. per annum to its Reserve or other accumulated Fund.

Paragraph 12 having been omitted, and a new paragraph inserted, as shown,—

Mr. Burns proposed the following new paragraph, to stand paragraph 13, viz.:

13. That the Government shall have the right during the currency of the subsidy aforesaid, to purchase the Company's cable lines and other property between Singapore and Port Darwin on equitable terms, to be fixed, in case of difference, by arbitration; twelve months previous notice to be given to the Company of the intention to exercise this right: Provided always that the right shall not be exercisable till the Company shall for five years have paid a dividend equal to ten per cent. per annum, or shall for that period have passed ten per cent. per annum to its Reserve or other accumulated Fund.

Motion made (Mr. Greenwood):—To omit the words "Provided always that the right shall not be exercisable till the Company shall for five years have paid a dividend equal to ten per cent. per annum, or shall for that period have passed ten per cent. per annum to its Reserve or other Accumulated Fund."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.
Mr. Dillen, Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Farrell, Mr. Robford,
Mr. Cohen, Mr. Tewce,
Mr. Byrne, Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Hatton,
Sir John Robertson, Mr. Beddys,
Mr. Lecuy, Mr. Taylor,
Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Day,
Mr. W. H. Satter, Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Lynch, Mr. Grevelle,
Mr. Bayes, Mr. Terrey,
Mr. Thompson, Mr. M. C. Browne,
Mr. Clarke, Mr. Haskins,
Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Murphy.

Noes, 6.
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Greenwood,
J. Davies,
Tellers.
Mr. Terry,
Mr. McCulloch.

Parlament, as read, agreed to.
On motion of Mr. Burns, the Chairman left the Chair to report the resolution, with amendments, to the House.

No. 2.

SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL.

Clause 130. No land vested in Trustees for purposes of public recreation, health or enjoyment and no hospital, benevolent asylum or any other building used solely for charitable purposes and assessed or rated in respect of any rate under this Act. Buildings exempt from rate.
Motion made (Mr. Lucas), That the words "and no land or building owned by the Crown," lines 2 and 3, be omitted.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.
Mr. Farrell, Mr. Lynch.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. W. C. Brown.
Mr. Lucas, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Tellers.
Mr. Cohen, Mr. T. R. Smith.
Mr. Leary, Mr. R. Smith.
Mr. R. H. Smith, Mr. Rawden.
Mr. Bayers.
Mr. Tecco.
Mr. W. H. Suttor.

Nees, 18.
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Terry.
Sir John Robertson, Mr. Dillon.
Mr. Lucas, Mr. McCulloch.
Mr. Gray, Mr. Barbour.
Mr. Charles, Mr. Merriman.
Mr. Lackey, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Greville, Mr. O'Connor.
Mr. Greenwood, Tellers.
Mr. Jacob, Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Baker.

Words omitted.

No. 3.
(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. O'Connor), That the words "or as a public school," line 4 be omitted, with a view to insert "or any school under the Public Schools Act."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 10.
Mr. J. Davies.
Mr. Greville.
Mr. Greenwood.
Mr. Lucas.
Mr. Baker.
Mr. McCulloch.
Mr. Terry.
Mr. Merriman, Tellers.
Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Barbour.

Nees, 23.
Mr. Farrell.
Mr. Sutherland.
Mr. Cohen.
Mr. Lucas.
Mr. Leary.
Mr. Gray.
Mr. Charles.
Mr. Fitzpatrick.
Mr. W. H. Suttor.
Sir John Robertson.
Mr. Jacob.
Mr. Rawden.
Mr. W. C. Brown.

And the clause having been further amended, as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 4.
(Same Bill.)

Clause 124. Whenever it appears to the Council that any work which they are authorized to execute is for the special benefit of any particular locality in the City the Council may for defraying the expenses incurred in executing such work pass a special resolution which shall distinctly define such locality and exhibit such work on a map annexed thereto and upon the same being approved by the Governor the Council may make and levy a special rate equally on all taxable property situated within such locality but no such rate made in any one year shall exceed the amount of sixpence in the pound of the annual value of such property Provided always that no such special resolution shall be passed unless a petition signed by not less than two-thirds of the ratepayers in such locality shall have been presented to the Council praying that a separate rate may be made and levied and stating for what period it is desired that such separate rate shall be made and levied And every rate made under this section may be made for and in respect of such period But no such special resolution shall prevent the Council from making or levying during any such period another special rate in a different locality if so empowered by this or any other Act. (Read.)

And the clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Question put,—That the clause, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.
Mr. Farrell.
Mr. Sutherland.
Mr. Fitzpatrick.
Mr. Leary.
Mr. Burns.
Mr. Cohen.
Mr. O'Connor.
Mr. Lucas.
Sir John Robertson.
Mr. McCulloch.
Mr. Lackey.
Mr. Greville.
Mr. Day.

Noes, 4.
Mr. J. Davies.
Mr. Merriman, Tellers.
Mr. Taylor.
Mr. Charles.

Words omitted.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress, and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

THURSDAY,
THURSDAY, 7 NOVEMBER, 1878.

SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL.

Clause 127. The Council may take all necessary measures for lighting the public ways and may make all contracts necessary in that behalf and shall make and levy a lighting rate not exceeding three pence in the pound on the assessed annual value of all premises. (Read.)

Question put,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.
Mr. Greenwood, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Dillin, Mr. Webb, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Bayers, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Rawten.

Noes, 18.
Mr. Burns, Mr. Cohn, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Koschy, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Charles, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Leary, Mr. W. E. Sutter, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. O'Connor.

Clause negatived.

No. 6.

Clause 129. Every person carelessly or negligently breaking, destroying or damaging any lamp set up as aforesaid or any appendage thereof and not upon demand making satisfaction shall be liable to pay such sum of money to the complaining party as any Justice may like hearing and confession or proof order and in case the sum so ordered shall not be paid forthwith the same together with the expenses attending the recovery thereof may be levied and recovered by distress and sale of the offender's goods and chattels with the reasonable charges of such distress and sale and for want of such distress such offender may be committed to gaol for any term not exceeding one month unless full satisfaction be sooner made. (Read.)

Question put,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.
Mr. Farnell, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Bennet, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Merriman, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. B. B. Smith, Mr. Burns, Mr. Leary, Mr. W. E. Sutter, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Thompson, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. O'Connor.

Noes, 12.
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Charles, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Beverley, Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Copland, Mr. Terry, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Adam, Mr. Charles, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Leary, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Webb.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 7.

Clause 134. It shall be lawful for the Council to enclose such portion of the said Park as they may think fit and to let the land so enclosed together with such buildings thereon erected for any continuous period or periods during the year not exceeding in the whole four calendar months and any public right-of-way or other easement attaching to such land so enclosed shall during such period only as aforesaid in each year cease and determine Provided that such portion or the whole of the said Park may continue to be enclosed for a further period of two months with the consent of the Governor. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Webb) and Question put,—That the blank, line 3, be filled with the word "four." Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Leary, Mr. Burns, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Roseby, Mr. W. E. Sutter, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Copland, Mr. Merriman, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Harris, Mr. Bennet.

Noes, 10.
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Charles, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Jacob, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Beverley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Adam, Mr. O'Connor.

And the clause, having been amended, as indicated,—Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 8.

Clause 135. The Council may grant leases of any premises or any part thereof held by or belonging to the Corporation for any period not exceeding twenty-one years upon the best terms which may be obtained for the same provided that they be let by competition either by public auction or tender. (Read.)

Motion
Motion made (Mr. T. Davies),—That the word "twenty-one," line 2, be omitted, with a view to insert "thirty."

Question put,—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.
Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Forrester, Mr. Burns, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. W. H. Satter, Mr. Merriman, Mr. Meakin, Mr. Leary, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Charles, Mr. Beaton, Mr. Haworth, Mr. W. Davies,

Noes, 13.
Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Windley, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Webb, Mr. McColloch, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Buyers, Mr. Gippsland, Mr. Harris, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Bowmann,

Tellers.
Mr. Roseby, Mr. Greenwood.

And the clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again on Wednesday next.

FRIDAY, 8 NOVEMBER, 1878.

No. 9.

BIRDS AND ANIMALS PROTECTION BILL.

Clause 10. All if need against this Act may be tried and determined. All penalties imposed by this Act or sums of money made payable thereunder may be recovered before any two Justices in a summary way by any two Justices and the said sum of money imposed by them shall belong to the informer. Provided that this Act the provisions of this Act relating to native game shall not extend to any aboriginal native as it respects native game, "unles" employed by another person nor (as regards animals and birds included in the Second Schedule) to any person authorised by the Colonial Secretary to collect specimens of Natural History for any public Museum. (Read.)

Motion under (Mr. Jacob),—To omit the word "unless," line 6.

Question put,—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 10.
Mr. Cohen, Mr. Day, Mr. W. H. Satter, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Buyers, Mr. Murphy,

Noes, 16.
Mr. Forrester, Mr. Leary, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Webb, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Burns, Sir John Robertson, Mr. Greville, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Leary, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Webb, Mr. Leary, Mr. Burns, Sir John Robertson, Mr. Greville, Mr. Parnell,

Tellers.
Mr. Johnston, Mr. W. C. Browne.

Word omitted.
And the clause having been further amended, as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 10.

(Same Bill.)

Schedule 2.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

Native Game.


The eggs or progeny of such birds. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Webb),—To omit the word "Satin-bird," line 9.

Question
Question put,—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the schedule.
Committee divided.

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No. 11.
(Same Schedule.)

Motion made (Mr. Webb).—To omit the word "Quail," line 10.
Question put,—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of Schedule
Committee divided.

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Word omitted.

And the Schedule having been amended, as indicated,—
Schedule, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Day the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again this day week.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the minutes.)

FRIDAY, 15 NOVEMBER, 1878.

No. 1.

SMALL DEBTS ACT FURTHER EXTENSION BILL.

Mr. Driver proposed the following new clause, to stand clause 2, viz.:

2. No cause of action other than those hereinafter specified shall be within the jurisdiction of a Petty Debts Court sitting within the Police District of Sydney that is to say:

1. For goods bargained and sold and for goods sold and delivered.
2. For work and labour done (including wages).
3. For board and lodging.
4. For the carriage of goods.
5. For the hire of chattels.
6. For money lost.
7. For agistment &c.
8. For driving of stock.
9. For money due on a promissory-note bill of exchange or other negotiable instrument.

Question put,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.
Mr. Dirndl, Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Filcher, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Dillon, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Greville, Mr. Burns, Mr. Driver, Mr. Leary, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Johnston, Mr. W. H. Sutton, Mr. Day, Mr. Coonan, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. O'Connor.

Noes, 13.
Mr. Simeon, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Charles, Mr. Gray, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Greenwood, Tellers.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Mr. Jacob proposed the following new clause, to stand clause 4, viz.:

4. The power and authority given by section four of the Act aforesaid to Courts of Petty Sessions to hear and determine all actions in manner therein provided shall be and are hereby enlarged so as to include all actions over which such Courts have now jurisdiction for the recovery of any debt demand or damage whether liquidated or unliquidated to an amount in any case not exceeding twenty-five pounds Provided that such Courts "may" allow costs to be paid by the losing party for attorney's fees for work done by him such fees not to be more than the amounts mentioned in Schedule C of the Act aforesaid.

Question put,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Parry, Mr. McIlhonne, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Dillon, Mr. Greville, Mr. Driver, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Johnston, Mr. O'Connor.

Noes, 13.
Mr. Jacob, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Greenwood, Tellers.
Motion made (Mr. R. B. Smith).—To omit the word "may," line 5, and insert "shall."

Question put.—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Parcell,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Sutherland,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Roseby,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Coonan,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. Driver,
Tellers.

Noes, 5.

Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. Driver,
Tellers.

Mr. Beyers,
Mr. McElhonc.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments.

No. 3.

SYDNEY INFIRMARY AND DISPENSARY BILL.

Clause 10. Ministers of religion shall subject to the by-laws to be made by the Board have free admission to the Institution for the purpose of giving and administering religious instruction and consolation to any patients in the Institution of such minister's own denomination but in no case shall any minister of religion of any denomination be eligible to be elected a Director of the Institution: Provided that in consideration of valuable past services rendered by them the following persons, viz. the Reverend Alfred Hewlett Stephen the Reverend Michael John Dwyer—shall not be eligible to be elected Directors so long as they shall continue to be elected in accordance with the Rules now in force of the said Institution.

And the clause having been amended, as indicated, on motion of Mr. Roseby,—

Question put.—That the clause, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Parnell,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Sutherland,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. Greville,
Tellers.
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Roseby.

Noes, 17.

Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Roseby,
Mr. Dillon,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Murphy.

Mr. Merriken,
Mr. McElhone,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Tellers.
Mr. Bowman,
Mr. Thompson.

Clause omitted.

On motion of Mr. Driver, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments.

Sydney : Thomas Richards, Government Printer.—1878.
WEDNESDAY, 22 JANUARY, 1879.

No. 8.

SUPPLY.—INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

Mr. Watson moved, That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

(4.) Resolved,—That there be granted to Her Majesty for the Services of the year 1879, a sum not exceeding £905,993, being £305,000 to defray the expenses of the various Departments and Services of the Colony for the month of January, 1879, at the rates which have been sanctioned for 1878, subject to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1879; £80,000 to enable the Treasurer to make advances to Public Officers; £50,000 for wages of Railway Employes for the month of February, 1879; £7,000 for wages of Employes in the Department of Harbours and Rivers for the month of February, 1879; £128,093 for Roads and Bridges; and £50,000 towards meeting the expenses connected with the International Exhibition to be held in Sydney in 1879.”

Debate ensued.

Motion made (Mr. McEllone),—That the Resolution be amended by the omission of the words “and £50,000 towards meeting the expenses connected with the International Exhibition to be held in Sydney in 1879.”

Question,—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the proposed Resolution, put and passed.

Question then put,—That the Resolution as read be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Burns,
Mr. Leckey, Mr. Harby (Hartley),
Mr. Watson, Mr. Simonson,
Mr. Windley, Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. W. B. Suttor,
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Barbour,
Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Beyers,
Mr. O’Connor, Mr. Long,
Mr. Charles, Mr. Terry,
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Leary,
Mr. Baker, Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Driver, Tellers,
Mr. Greville, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Teiere, Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Wildeyer, Mr. Harris.

Noes, 2.

Tellers. Mr. Bowman, Mr. McEllone.

On motion of Mr. Watson, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again, and also to report the Resolution to the House.
The Council to cause cesspits to be emptied.

Clause 136. It shall be lawful for the Council to establish in such place or places as they may determine either within or beyond the city adjoining the Great Southern and Western Railway not more than fourteen miles from the City of Sydney buildings yards and other premises for the sale of cattle and for such purposes may purchase acquire and hold any lands and any estate or interest therein and may sell and dispose of and exchange the same and to provide funds for the erection and maintenance of such buildings yards and premises the Council may borrow any sum of money not exceeding in the aggregate twelve thousand twenty-five thousand pounds at a rate of interest not exceeding six pounds per centum per annum by debentures secured upon their corporate revenues from whatever source arising Provided that it shall be obligatory upon the Council to erect the said yards within a period of two years. (Read.)

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

Question put,—That the Clause, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. W. B. Suttor,
Mr. Lackey, Mr. Harvey (Harley),
Mr. Watson, Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. M. H. Brown, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. McKhene, Mr. Harris,
Mr. Driver, Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Farwell, Mr. Moss,
Mr. Burns, Mr. Merriman,
Dr. Bowler, Tellers.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Tellers.
Mr. Hingford, Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Copeland, Mr. O'Connor.

Noes, 6.

Mr. Charles,
Mr. Eckford,
Mr. Bowman,
Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Stephen Brown.

The numbers being equal, the Chairman gave his casting vote with the Noes.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 3.

(Same Bill.)

Clause 171. The Council shall cause its own servants or contractors under the direction of the Inspector of Nuisances or other officers appointed in that behalf to empty all cesspits within the City once in every six months or oftener if necessary in the opinion of the Inspector of Nuisances and the Council shall cause such implements and appliances to be used and shall take all such other measures in the performance of the work as shall be deemed best adapted for the suppression of offensive smells or of other nuisances. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Lucas) and Question put,—That the blank in line 3 be filled with the word "twelve."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Baker, Mr. Lucas,
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Harris,
Mr. Cohen, Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Charles, Tellers.
Mr. Copeland, Mr. Woodward,
Mr. Lackey, Mr. Barbour,
Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Merriman,
Mr. McCulloch.

Noes, 15.

Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Driver, Mr. Merriman,
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Watson,
Mr. Stephen Brown, Tellers.
Mr. W. Davies, Tellers.
Mr. Boysen, Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. Green, Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Charles, Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Lucas, Mr. Driver,
Mr. Charles, Mr. Watson,
Mr. Cohen, Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Stephen Brown, Tellers.
Mr. Lackey, Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. O'Connor.

The numbers being equal, the Chairman gave his casting vote with the Noes.

No. 4.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Lucas) and Question put,—That the blank be filled with the word "nine."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Cohen, Mr. Woodward,
Mr. Lucas, Mr. Copeland,
Mr. T. R. Smith, Tellers.
Mr. Harris, Tellers.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Charles,
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. R. B. Smith.

Noes, 17.

Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Merriman,
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Baker, Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Mr. Driver, Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. Green,
Mr. Roebuck, Tellers.
Mr. Stephen Brown, Tellers.
Mr. Boysen, Mr. Davies,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. Watson.

The numbers being equal, the Chairman gave his casting vote with the Noes.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Wednesday next.
FRIDAY, 24 JANUARY, 1879.

No. 5.

Bridge across the Myall River at Bulahdelah.

Mr. Johnston moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution —

Resolved,—That an Address be presented to the Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be placed on an Additional Estimate for 1879, a sum not exceeding £2,500, for the erection of a Bridge across the Myall River at Bulahdelah.

Debate ensued.

Point of Order.

A Point of Order having arisen,—on motion of Mr. Burns the Chairman left the Chair to submit the same for Mr. Speaker's decision, and obtain leave to sit again when that decision had been given.

The Committee having resumed,—

Question put,—That the Resolution, as read, be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 10.

Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Burns, Mr. Baynes, Mr. W. H. Sutton, Mr. Greiville, Mr. Bower, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Filipaite.

Tellers.

Mr. Day, Mr. Johnston.

Noes, 13.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Watson, Mr. Wodeyur, Mr. Lackey, Mr. J. Davis, Mr. Buxtedford, Mr. Dillon, Mr. W. Davies.

Mr. Driver, Mr. Teice, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Hurley (Hartley), Mr. Greenwood.

On motion of Mr. Johnston, the Chairman left the Chair.

Sydney: Thomas Richards, Government Printer.—1879.
WEDNESDAY, 29 JANUARY, 1879.

No. 1.

SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL.

Clause 208. The Council may by notice in writing signed by the Town Clerk require the owner or occupier of any building within fifty yards of any completed sewer or drain vested in the Council with which such building or premises is capable of being communicated by means of a sewer or drain to make such sewer or drain to communicate with such public sewer or drain and all such communicating sewers or drains shall be made within such time and according to such plans and directions as the Council may prescribe in such notice and any by-laws in that behalf or either of them. (Read.)

Motion made (Sir Henry Parkes) and Question put,—That the blank in line 2 be filled with the word “fifty.”

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Watson, Mr. Windridge, Mr. Lackey, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Driver, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Jacob, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Tolkier, Mr. Dilbin, Mr. Terry, Mr. Mortimer, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Beyers.

Noes, 2.

Tellers.

Mr. Cooman, Mr. Lucas.

No. 2.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

(Same Bill.)

Clause 228. The Council may make by-laws for carrying out the provisions of this Act and for by-laws enforcing and securing the observance thereof. And the Council may also make by-laws for or relating to the following matters and subjects so far as the same are not expressly provided for in this Act—

The regulation of their own proceedings and the duties and salaries of their officers and servants—
The mode of holding, regulating, and determining the validity of elections—
The collection of all rates—
The preparation of the rolls—
The regulation and suppression of all nuisances and of houses of ill-fame and disorderly houses—
The promotion of public health and public decency—
The keeping of all premises in the city free from offensive or unwholesome matter—
The regulation of traffic of all kinds in the City—
The regulating the pace at which all horses shall be ridden and vehicles driven in the City—
The regulating the hawking of all goods in the City—
The appointing the place or places for the inspection and wholesale disposal of fish not being preserved or salted—
The regulation and licensing of all public vehicles and of the drivers and conductors of public vehicles within the City—
The opening maintaining and regulating public ways and the use and traffic of and in the same—
For the inspection and prevention of the sale of unwholesome or adulterated food—
The slaying of cattle and the sale and mode of delivery of butcher's meat by carcasses or otherwise and the disposal and removal of any blood or other refuse from such slaughtering or sale—
The preserving the purity of water for the water supply and preventing any pollution thereof—
The regulation or suppression of any trade causing a nuisance or which is in any way offensive or noisome—
The consumption by factory chimneys of their own smoke—
The form and mode of service of all notices and process and the form of mortgages and other instruments—
The construction of communicating drains with main sewers—
The due regulation of the markets and cattle sale yards and the amount of tolls and fees on produce and cattle brought thereto—the sale of all articles and cattle therein—the rents or tolls for the occupation of stalls or standing-places therein and of tolls for the sale of cattle therein or for weighing articles at any weigh-bridge and the effectual collection of all such tolls rents and fees—
For regulating the use by the public of all public parks gardens shrubberies and places and the removal of trespassers and offenders therefrom—
The regulation of the manner and times of driving cattle along the public ways of the City—
The regulation of bathing and the observances of decency therein and the setting apart places for bathing for the sole use of either sex respectively and for requiring persons bathing to wear appropriate clothing—
The erection and use of baths or bathing-houses or machines and charging license and other fees for the same—
The preventing the erection of any tent pavilion booth shed or other structure of calico canvas or other inflammable material without the consent of the Council.

And the Council may by any such by-laws fix the maximum penalty for every offence against such by-laws or any of them not exceeding the penalty if any already lawfully fixed for the same offence and in any other case not exceeding ten pounds. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Jacob), That the words "regulation and" line 10, be omitted.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.
Mr. Cohen, Mr. McEhenoe, Mr. Driver, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Bevers.

Tellers.
Mr. Cockle, Mr. McCulloch.

Nos, 24.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Baker, Mr. F. H. Satter, Mr. Lackey, Mr. R. H. Brown, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Harris, Mr. Rosby, Mr. Jacob, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Maciutesh, Mr. Dilcon, Mr. Terry, Mr. Burns, Mr. Simon, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. J. Davises, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. W. S. Satter, Mr. Horkins, Tellers.

Words omitted.

And the Clause having been further amended, as indicated,—
Clause, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.
SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL.

Clause 116. The Council shall on the assessment so made as aforesaid cause such rate to be raised as to them may seem proper for the general expenditure of the City (exclusive of lighting), not exceeding two shillings in the pound upon the assessment aforesaid. Which rate shall be designated the "City Rate" And all such rates shall on or before the first thirty-first day of March in every year be fixed and ordered by the Council to be paid into the office of the City Treasurer by such instalments and on such days as may be fixed by the Council. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Roseby) and Question put—That the blank in line 3 be filled with the words "one shilling."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Roseby,
Mr. Moses,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Hurley (Narellan),
Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. Long,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Macintosh,
Tellers.
Mr. Terry,
Mr. Mafflyne.

Noes. 25.
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Windleyer,
Mr. P. B. Suttor,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. McColloch,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Beyers,
Mr. Copeland,
Captain Onslow,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Greville,
Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Mr. Hosking,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Ross,
Mr. Johnstone,
Mr. Shepheard,
Tellers.

No. 2.

Motion made (Mr. Macintosh) and Question put—That the blank be filled with the words "one shilling and three pence."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.
Mr. McBlhone,
Mr. Roseby,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Long,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Coonan,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Eckford,
Tellers.
Mr. Moses,
Mr. Barbour.

Noes. 23.
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Windleyer,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Ross,
Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Beyers,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Johnstone,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. O'Connor,
Tellers.
Mr. McColloch,
Mr. W. Davies.
Motion made (Sir Henry Parkes) and Question put,—That the blank be filled with the words "two shillings."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Lucas, Tellers.

Mr. Long.

Mr. Roeby.

Mr. Macintosh.

Mr. Burrey.

Mr. R. B. Smith.

Mr. J. Davies.

Mr. Merriman.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. Eckford.

Mr. Moses.

Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Lucas, Tellers.

Mr. Long.

Mr. Macintosh.

Mr. Harris.

Mr. Roeby.

Mr. Eckford.

Mr. Merriman.

Mr. J. Davies.

Mr. B. R. Smith.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. Moses.

Mr. Lynch.

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 4.

(Same Clause.)

Question put,—that the clause, as amended, be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Lucas, Tellers.

Mr. Long.

Mr. Macintosh.

Mr. Harris.

Mr. Roeby.

Mr. Eckford.

Mr. Merriman.

Mr. J. Davies.

Mr. B. R. Smith.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. Moses.

Mr. Lynch.

Noes, 13.

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 5.

(Same Bill.)

Clause 204. The Council may at any time construct any sewers or drains of such materials and in such manner as they shall think necessary for all purposes of health and cleanliness and may enlarge alter or otherwise improve any sewer or drain vested in them and for such purposes may cause any such new sewers and drains to communicate with the sea or any arm thereof according to the system now in use. And the Council may also enlarge alter the level or course of or otherwise improve any sewer or drain communicating with any sewer or drain vested in them for securing a better communication of any such sewer or drain with the sewer or drain vested in the Council but so that no person shall by means of any such alteration be deprived except during the progress of the work of any private sewer or drain to which he is entitled.

Motion made (Sir Henry Parkes) and Question put,—that before the word "sewers" line 4 there be inserted the word "new."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Lucas, Tellers.

Mr. Long.

Mr. Macintosh.

Mr. O'Connor.

Mr. Roseby.

Noes, 11.

Mr. Driver.

Mr. McElhone.

Mr. Long.

Mr. Greenwood.

Mr. O'Connor.

Mr. B. R. Smith.

Mr. J. Davies.

Mr. Moses.

Mr. Lynch.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

FRIDAY, 7 FEBRUARY, 1879.

BIRDs AND ANIMALs Protection Bill.

Mr. Day brought up the following new clause, to follow clause 6, viz.:—

If any person within the period stated in the 4th section shall buy sell or knowingly have in his possession or under his control any dead game whether native or imported he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds unless it can be proved to the satisfaction of the Justices hearing the case that such dead game were imported from any neighbouring Colony and the burden of such proof shall rest with the accused.

Question put,—That the clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.
Ayes, 17.

Mr. Watson, Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Windyer, Mr. Hurley (Hartley),
Mr. Day, Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. F. B. Sutter, Tellers.
Mr. Cohen,
sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Barbour,
Mr. N. E. Smith, Mr. McGilpoch.
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Draper,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Beyers,

Noes, 10.

Mr. Baker,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. W. H. Sutter,
Tellers.
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Teese.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Day, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments.
1878–9.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 12.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES)

THURSDAY, 13 FEBRUARY, 1879.

No. 1.

SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL.

Mr. McElhone brought up the following new Clause, to follow Clause 218:—

The Government shall be empowered to appoint an Accountant to audit the accounts of the Council who shall be paid a salary not exceeding £100 per annum which salary shall be paid by the City Treasurer on the certificate of the Colonial Treasurer that the audit has been duly performed.

Question put,—That the Clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 3.

Mr. Harris,

Mr. McElhone,

Mr. O'Connor.

Noes, 26.

Mr. Colsen,

Mr. Watson,

Mr. F. B. Satter,

Mr. Fitpatrick,

Mr. Leary,

Mr. Windeyer,

Mr. Hoskins,

Sir Henry Parkes,

Mr. Baseby,

Mr. Lyne,

Mr. Garrett,

Mr. Driver,

Mr. Macintosch,

Mr. Greenwood,

Mr. Baker,

Mr. R. B. Smith,

Mr. J. Davies,

Mr. Dillon,

Mr. Bachelor,

Mr. T. B. Smith,

Mr. Webb,

Mr. W. Davies,

Mr. Lynch,

Mr. Seysers,

Tellers.

Mr. MeElhone,

Mr. O'Connor.

Clause negatived.

On motion of Mr. Windeyer the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Wednesday next.

FRIDAY, 14 FEBRUARY, 1879.

No. 2.

RAILWAY REFRESHMENT ROOMS BILL.

Clause 1. From and after the passing of this Act it shall be lawful for the "Minister for Power to grant Justice" for the time being to issue yearly licenses to such persons as shall be approved of by him for the sale of fermented and spirituous liquors at railway refreshment rooms but such license shall have effect only at such places as shall be approved of by the Commissioner for Railways not being nearer than thirty miles to any railway terminus nor nearer than thirty miles to each other. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Copeland).—That the words "Minister for Justice," lines 1 and 2, be omitted, with a view to insert the words "Colonial Treasurer."

Mr.
Mr. Roseby moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

Question put.

Committee divided.

**Ayes, 15.**

Mr. Garrett, Mr. Hussey (Hartley), Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Greville,
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Dangar, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Baker,
Mr. McColloch, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Acey,
Mr. Teese, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Driver,
Mr. Masintoch, Tellers.

**Noes, 15.**

Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Leacy, Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Windy, Mr. Barrett, Mr. Simon,
Mr. P. B. Suttor, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Baker, Mr. Day, Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Clarke, Tellers.

The numbers being equal, the Chairman—in order that the business should be proceeded with—gave his casting vote with the Noes.

On motion of Mr. Copeland the Chairman left the Chair.
THURSDAY, 20 FEBRUARY, 1879.

FELONS APPREHENSION BILL.

Clause 11. If upon an application by or on behalf of the Attorney General to any Judge of the Supreme Court in Chambers it shall be proved to the satisfaction of such Judge by affidavit that any person who has been duly adjudged an outlaw in accordance with the law in force for the time being in that behalf in any Australian Colony other than New South Wales after the commission by him in such first-mentioned Colony of any crime for which he might have been outlawed under the third and fourth sections of this Act had the said crime been committed in this Colony then and in any such case it shall be lawful for such Judge if satisfied that such person has been or is then at large in this Colony to adjudge and declare such person to be an outlaw by a declaration to that effect under his hand and to be filed of record in the said Court. And for the purposes of this Act the term "Australian Colony" includes Victoria South Australia Tasmania Western Australia Queensland and New Zealand.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

Question put,—That the Clause, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

AYES, 30.

Sir Henry Parkes,  Mr. Lackey,  Mr. Farnell,
Mr. Wodeyer,  Mr. Hoskins,  Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Watson,  Mr. Clarke,  Mr. Cohen,
Mr. P. B. Suttor,  Mr. Greenwood,  Mr. Leary,
Mr. Baker,  Mr. Wisdom,  Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Captain Oxley,  Mr. Hungerford,  Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Driver,  Mr. Duigan,  Tellers.
Mr. J. Davies,  Mr. Macleod,  Mr. Day,
Mr. Muse,  Mr. Webb,  Mr. O'Conor,
Mr. McCulloch,  Mr. Hurley (Hurley),
Mr. W. Davies,  Mr. Simpson,  Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. Roseby,  Mr. Beyers,  Tellers.
Mr. Thompson,  Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. Lynch,  Mr. Terry,  Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Harbou,  Mr. Greville.

Noes, 8.

Mr. Lackey,  Mr. Hoskins,  Mr. Leary,
Mr. Farnell,  Mr. Fitzpatrick,  Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Wodeyer,  Mr. O'Conor.

Committee divided.

Clause as amended agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wodeyer the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Bill with Amendments.
SUPPLY—SYDNEY CORPORATION.

Mr. Watson moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:

(6.) Resolved,—That there be granted to Her Majesty for the Services of the year 1879, a sum not exceeding £397,000, being £305,000 to defray the expenses of the various Departments and Services of the Colony for the month of February, 1879, at the rates which have been sanctioned for 1878, subject to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1879; (£25,000 for Special Grant to the Corporation of Sydney for the year 1879; £200,000 for wages of Railway Employees for the month of March, 1879; and £7,000 for wages of Employees in the Department of Harbours and Rivers for the month of March, 1879.

Motion made (Mr. Fitzpatrick),—That the Resolution be amended by the omission of the words "£25,000 for Special Grant to the Corporation of Sydney for the year 1879," and the insertion in their place of the words "£25,000 to meet the payment to the Municipal Council of the City of Sydney of a sum equal to half the City Rates of the Municipal year ended 31 December, 1878."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Watson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Winsdor, Mr. E. B. Suttor, Mr. Baker, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. E. B. Smith, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. J. Davises, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Driver, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Merriman, Mr. Tweed, Mr. Webb, Mr. Eckford.

Noes, 11.

Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Lasy, Mr. W. B. Suttor, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Burns, Mr. Groville, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Day, Mr. Johnston.

Resolution, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Watson the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again, and also to report the Resolution to the House.

FRIDAY,
No. 2.

COPYRIGHT BILL.

FRIDAY, 28 FEBRUARY, 1879.

Clause 10. If any person shall in this Colony after the passing of this Act print or cause to be printed either for sale or exportation any book in which there shall be a subsisting registered copyright as aforesaid without the consent in writing of the proprietor thereof or his agent duly authorized in that behalf in writing, or shall import for sale or hire any such book so unlawfully printed or imported shall sell, publish or expose to sale or hire or shall have in his possession for sale or hire any such book so unlawfully printed or imported without such consent as aforesaid such offender shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds to be recovered by the proprietor against whom such offence shall have been committed "with full costs of suit" before two or more Justices in a summary manner and also to an action at the suit of the proprietor of such copyright in the Supreme Court. (Read.)

And the Clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Motion made (Mr. Jacob) to omit the words "with full costs of suit" lines 10 and 11.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20. 
Mr. Henry Barker, 
Mr. Windeyer, 
Mr. F. B. Suttor, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Stuart, 
Mr. Lackey, 
Mr. Roseby, 
Mr. Hangerford, 
Mr. W. E. Suttor, 
Mr. Shepherd, 
Mr. J. Davies, 

Noes, 4. 
Mr. Greville, 
Mr. Jacob, 
Mr. Johnston, 
Mr. Barbour, 

Tellers, 
Mr. Murphy, 
Mr. Driver, 
Mr. Macintosh, 
Mr. Greenwood.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Windeyer the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Friday, 21st March.
WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the Minutes.)

TUESDAY, 4 MARCH, 1879.

No. 1.

Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Bill.

(Consideration of Legislative Council's Amendments.)

Clause 3. Subject to the provisions of this Act and to the qualification hereinafter expressed, the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales and the Committees and Members thereof respectively shall hold and enjoy such and the like privileges, immunities and powers as at the time of the passing of this Act are held and enjoyed and exercised by the Commons House of Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland and by the Committees and Members thereof whether such privileges, immunities or powers are so held possessed or enjoyed by custom, statute or otherwise. Provided always that no act done or word spoken written or published shall be dealt with as a contempt or breach of privilege by either House unless done spoken or published in the Chamber itself or within the precincts thereof and that nothing in this section contained shall affect the provisions of the Constitution Act being the Act of the Imperial Legislature cited as eighteen and nineteen Victoria chapter fifty-four and the Act contained in the Schedule (1) thereto.

(Considered.)

Motion made (Sir Henry Parkes) and Question put,—That the Committee disagree to the Amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Clause.

Committee divided.


Tellers.

Amendments negatived.

No. 2.

(See Bill.)

Clause 6. Any offence against the privileges of Parliament if committed by a person who is not a Member of either House and not within the precincts of Parliament may be dealt with in due course of law and retribution provided and not otherwise. Upon any such offence being reported to the House against the privileges of which the same shall have been committed it shall be lawful for such House by resolution to direct that Her Majesty's Attorney General do prosecute the offender in the Supreme Court. (Considered.)

Motion
Motion made (Sir Henry Parkes) and Question put,—That the Committee disagree to the omission of this Clause.

Committee divided.

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Clause restored.

No. 3.

(Same Bill.)

Clause 7. It shall be lawful for either House of Parliament by resolution to direct Her Majesty's Attorney General to prosecute any person committing any offence against the privileges of Parliament within the meaning of this Act and every prosecutions so deemed to be a misdemeanour for which offences committed and tried before a Judge of the Supreme Court in the same manner as on ordinary trials for misdemeanour and if found guilty such offender shall be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both. (Considered.)

Motion made (Sir Henry Parkes) and Question put,—That the Committee disagree to the omission of this Clause.

Committee divided.

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Clause restored.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report that the Committee had agreed to some and disagreed to others of the Council's Amendments.

No. 4.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.

(Legislative Council.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £6,400, to defray the salaries and contingencies of the Legislative Council, for the year 1879. (Sir Henry Parkes.)

Motion made (Mr. Wisdom) and Question put,—That item £1,200, salary of President, be reduced by £200.

Committee divided.

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No. 5.
No. 5. (Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £500, salary of Chairman of Committees, be reduced by £100.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. Driver, Mr. Eckford, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Barbour, Tellers.
Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Roseby.

Noes, 10.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Baker, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Heald, Mr. Watson, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Simpson, Mr. Windsor, Sir Henry Parkes.

No. 6. (Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £200, salary of Chief Messenger, be reduced by £50.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.
Mr. Watson, Mr. Hoskins; Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Baker, Tellers. Mr. McElhone, Mr. Driver, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. Thompson.

Noes, 14.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Cohen, Mr. V. H. Suter, Mr. Simpson, Mr. J. Davies, Tellers, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Terry, Mr. Murphy.

The item having been reduced by £47,—Estimate, as reduced (£5,103), agreed to.

No. 7. (Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—General Staff)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,055, to defray salaries and contingencies of Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—General Staff, for the year 1879. (Sir Henry Parkes)

Motion made (Mr. Roseby) and Question put,—That item £600, salary of Commandant, be reduced by £200.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 3.
Mr. Driver, Tellers, Mr. Roseby, Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 22.
Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Watson, Mr. Charles, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Barbour, Mr. W. H. Suter, Mr. Macintosh, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Baker, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Cohen, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Simpson, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Thompson.

No. 8. (Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. Driver) and Question put,—That item £320, forage allowance, be reduced by £60.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Driver, Mr. Barbour, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Murphy, Mr. E. R. Smith.

Noes, 10.
Mr. Watson, Mr. Hoskins, Tellers, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Baker, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. R. B. Smith, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Heald, Mr. Charles, Mr. Terry.

Estimate as reduced (£2,995) agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

THURSDAY, 6 MARCH, 1879.

No. 9. CHINESE IMMIGRATION REGULATION BILL.

Clause 2. The master of every vessel having Chinese on board shall immediately on his arrival from beyond this Colony in any port of this Colony and before making any entry at the port of Epping on board the Collector or other principal officer of Customs deliver to the Collector a list to the Collector a list of such Chinese on board of such Chinese as "specifying the name of the place of birth the apparent age the ordinary place of residence the place and date of shipment and the calling or occupation of each such Chinese." And for "each" default herein each master shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two hundred pounds. (Read.)

Motion...
Motion made (Mr. Stuart).—To omit the words "specifying the name the place of birth the apparent age the ordinary place of residence the place and date of shipment and the calling or occupation of each such Chinese" lines 4 and 5.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.  
Mr. Henry Parkes,  Mr. Watson,  Mr. R. B. Suiton,  Mr. Lackey,  Mr. R. B. Smith,  Mr. Macintosh,  Mr. Harrow,  Mr. Murphy,  Mr. Beere,  Mr. Sutherland,  Mr. Beggars,  Mr. Thompson,  Mr. Eddofo,  Mr. O'Connoor,  Mr. Greenwoof,  Mr. Toes,  Mr. Hawkins,  Mr. J. Davies,  Mr. Terry.

Noes, 15.  
Mr. Farnoull,  Mr. W. H. Suttow,  Mr. Fitupafrick,  Mr. Leary,  Mr. Burna,  Mr. Charles,  Mr. W. Davies,  Mr. Bowman,  Mr. Stuart,  Mr. Osnlotow,  Mr. Colou,  Mr. Copeland,  Mr. Driver.

No. 10.  
(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Stuart).—To omit the words "each" line 6.

Question put.—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the Clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.  
Mr. Henry Parkes,  Mr. Watson,  Mr. Windesyer,  Mr. F. B. Suiton,  Mr. Lackey,  Mr. Baker,  Mr. R. B. Smith,  Mr. Macintosh,  Mr. Melphon,  Mr. Sutherland,  Mr. Beere,  Mr. Eddofo,  Mr. Greenwoof,  Mr. Shephered,  Mr. Toes,  Mr. Hawkins,  Mr. J. Davies,  Mr. Roseby,  Mr. Barbour.

Noes, 18.  
Mr. Cohen,  Mr. Fitupafrick,  Mr. Leary,  Mr. W. H. Suttow,  Mr. Burna,  Mr. Murphy,  Mr. Terry,  Mr. W. C. Browne,  Mr. T. R. Smith,  Mr. Farnoull,  Mr. W. H. Suttor,  Mr. Roseby,  Mr. T. R. Smith,  Mr. McEllione,  Mr. W. Davies,  Mr. Sutherland,  Mr. Farnoull,  Mr. C. Browne,  Mr. Farnoull,  Mr. Burns,  Mr. W. H. Suttor,  Mr. Charles,  Mr. W. C. Browne,  Mr. Charles,  Mr. Lackey,  Mr. Wheen,  Mr. Sutherland,  Mr. Macintosh,  Mr. McEllione,  Mr. Driver,  Mr. Barbour.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 7 MARCH, 1879, A.M.

No. 11.  
(Same Bill.)

Clause 3. If any vessel shall arrive in any port in this Colony having onboard a greater number of Chinese passengers than in the proportion of one to every ten tons of the tonnage of such vessel according to the registry thereof if British and if not then according to the measurement prescribed by the Act of the Imperial Legislature seventeenth and eighteenth Victoria chapter one hundred and four being the "Merchant Shipping Act of 1854" the owner master or charterer of such vessel shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds for each Chinese passenger so carried in excess.

(Motion read.)

Motion made (Mr. McEllione).—To omit the word "ten" line 2, and insert in its place the word "fifty."

Question put.—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the Clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.  
Mr. Henry Parkes,  Mr. Watson,  Mr. Windesyer,  Mr. F. B. Suiton,  Mr. Lackey,  Mr. R. B. Smith,  Mr. Charles,  Mr. Macintosh,  Mr. Thompson,  Mr. W. Davies,  Mr. Thomas,  Mr. Bowdor,  Mr. Eddofo,  Mr. Barbour.

Noes, 9.  
Mr. Macintosh,  Mr. Driver,  Mr. Davies,  Mr. W. C. Browne,  Mr. Sutherland,  Mr. T. R. Smith,  Mr. Boyer,  Mr. McEllione,  Mr. Terry.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Tuesday next.

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No. 16.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 11 MARCH, 1879.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.

(Naval Brigade.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty, a sum not exceeding £5,864, to defray the salaries and contingencies of the Naval Brigade, for the year 1879. (Sir Henry Parkes.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £250, salary of Gunnery Instructor, Sydney, be reduced by £50.

Committee divided.


Mr. Driver, 
Mr. Bowerman, 
Mr. J. Davis, 
Mr. Bennett, 
Mr. Barbour, 
Mr. McElhone, 
Mr. Webb, 
Mr. Murphy, 
Mr. Beyers, 

Tellers. 
Mr. W. G. Brown, 
Mr. Roseby.

Mr. Cohen, 
Mr. Watson, 
Mr. W. H. Sutter, 
Mr. F. R. Sutter, 
Mr. Shepherd, 
Sir Henry Parkes, 
Mr. Luckey, 
Mr. Winderley, 
Mr. Jacob, 
Mr. Simon, 
Mr. Serrey, 
Mr. R. B. Smith, 
Mr. Garrett, 
Mr. Copeland, 
Mr. Greenwood, 
Mr. Kerr, 
Mr. Burns, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Hoskins, 
Tellers. 
Mr. Boys, 
Mr. Jacob, 
Mr. Thompson, 
Mr. Macintosh.

The item having been reduced by £49,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 12 MARCH, 1879, a.m.

Estimate, as reduced (£5,815), agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

WEDNESDAY, 12 MARCH, 1879.

No. 2.

ADDITIONAL JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT.

(Resolution.)

Mr. Windeyer moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to authorize the appointment of an additional Judge of the Supreme Court.

Question
Question put. Committee divided.

Ayes, 28:  
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Terry, Mr. Terry, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Terry, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Terry, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Watson, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Bums, Mr. Bums.
Mr. Bakers, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Shepherd.
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Shepherd.
Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Shepherd.
Mr. L. Smith, Mr. Smith, Mr. Smith.
Mr. Webb, Mr. Smith, Mr. Smith.
Mr. Thomas, Mr. Smith, Mr. Smith.
Mr. Heyers, Mr. Smith, Mr. Smith.
Mr. Hangar, Mr. Smith, Mr. Smith.
Mr. Bennett, Mr. Smith, Mr. Smith.
Mr. Clarke, Mr. Smith, Mr. Smith.
Mr. Sturt, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Garrett, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Johnston, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Simonson, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Kurr, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Macintieh, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Toon, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Driver, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Hockman, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Copeland, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Bakers, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.

Noes, 13:  
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Cohen, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Terry, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Badgeri, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. F. J. Smith, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Bowker, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Day, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Murphy, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.

On motion of Mr. Windeyer the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Resolution to the House.

Clause 4. Before any Chinese arriving from beyond this Colony shall be permitted to land therein from any vessel and before making any entry at the Customs the master of the vessel shall pay to such Collector or other principal officer the sum of ten pounds for every such Chinese to be landed, and no entry shall be deemed to have been legally made or to have any legal effect until such payment shall have been made. And if any master shall neglect to pay any such sum or shall land or permit to land any Chinese at any port or place in this Colony before such sum shall have been paid for or by him or before such list shall have been delivered such master shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty not exceeding twenty fifty pounds for each Chinese so landed or permitted to land in addition to the amount of such “sum.” And in every such case in addition to any such penalty the vessel shall be forfeited and may be seized, condemned, and disposed of in like manner as ships forfeited for breach of any law relating to the Customs. (Read.)

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

Question put,—That the Clause as amended stand part of the Bill.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 24:  
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Terry, Mr. Terry, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Terry, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Terry, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Watson, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Bums, Mr. Bums.
Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Garrett.
Mr. Macintieh, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Eskford, Mr. Eskford.
Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Bakers, Mr. Bakers.
Mr. Hockman, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Baker, Mr. Bums, Mr. Bums.
Mr. Greenwood, Teller.
Mr. T. R. Smith, Teller.
Mr. L. Smith, Teller.
Mr. W. C. Brown, Teller.
Mr. Clarke, Teller.

Noes, 7:  
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Cohen, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Terry, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Badgeri, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. F. J. Smith, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Bowker, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Day, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.
Mr. Murphy, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 13 MARCH, 1879, A.M.

Clause 11. The sum of ten pounds aforesaid shall not be payable by any Chinese duly accredited to the Colony by the Government of China or by any public body on any special mission or in respect of any Chinese who is one of the crew of any vessel unless he shall land from such vessel except for other than the temporary and necessary purposes of such vessel or unless such vessel is at the time registered at any port or place in this Colony or is a coast-trade ship within the meaning of the Act 35 Victoria number 7 wherever registered. (Read.)

And the Clause having been amended as indicated in line 4,—

Motion made (Sir Henry Parkes) to add to the Clause the words “or is a coast-trade ship within the meaning of the Act 35 Victoria number 7 wherever registered.” Question put,—That the words proposed to be added be so added.

Committee
Committee divided.  

**Ayes, 19.**  
Mr. Watson, Mr. McElhone,  
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Beyers,  
Mr. Lackey, Mr. Eddy,  
Mr. F. B. Sutter, Mr. Greenwood,  
Mr. Baker, Mr. E. B. Smith,  
Mr. Barbour, Mr. Windeyer,  
Mr. Garrett,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Macintosh,  
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Shepherd.  

**Noes, 3.**  
Mr. Fitzpatrick,  
Tellers.  
Mr. Driver,  
Mr. Webb.

Amendment agreed to.  

**No. 5.**  
(Same Clause.)  
Question put.—That the Clause, as amended, stand part of the Bill.  
Committee divided.  

**Ayes, 21.**  
Mr. Manion, Mr. Beyers,  
Mr. Eckford,  
Mr. Greenwood,  
Mr. B. B. Smith,  
Mr. Windeyer,  
Tellers.  
Mr. Macintosh,  
Mr. Shepherd,  
Mr. J. Davies,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. W. C. Browne.

**Noes, 1.**  
Mr. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Driver,  
Tellers.  
Mr. Jacob,  
Mr. Webb.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.  

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

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**THURSDAY, 13 MARCH, 1879.**

No. 6.  
**REDFERN TO HUNTER-STREET TRAMWAY BILL.**  
(Resolution.)  
Mr. Lackey moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—  

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to enable the Government to construct a Tramroad from the Redfern Railway Station to Hunter-street, Sydney.  

Debate ensued.  

Question put.  
Committee divided.  

**Ayes, 31.**  
Mr. Lackey,  
Mr. Eddy,  
Mr. R. B. Smith,  
Mr. W. C. Browne,  
Mr. Terry,  
Mr. M. Badgery,  
Mr. Macintosh,  
Mr. J. Davies,  
Mr. H. P. Sutter,  
Mr. Garrett,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. Greville,  
Mr. Day,  
Mr. Copeland.  

**Noes, 10.**  
Mr. J. Davies,  
Mr. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Driver,  
Mr. Baker,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Terry,  
Mr. Windeyer,  
Mr. Baker,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Terry,  
Mr. Barbour.

On motion of Mr. Lackey the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Resolution to the House.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 17.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.
(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 16 MARCH, 1879.

No. 1.

SUPREME COURT (ADDITIONAL JUDGE) BILL.

Mr. Stephen Brown brought up the following new Clause, to stand Clause 6:

6. In case of any future vacancy in the office of a Judge of the said Supreme Court any attorney of the said Court of not less than ten years standing shall be eligible for such office.

Debate ensued.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 19 MARCH, 1879.

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Dillon, Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Driver,
Mr. Leary, Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Grey,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. Wiseman,
Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Stuart, Telfers,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. W. H. Sutter,
Mr. Boys,
Mr. Shepherd,

Noes, 17.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. F. R. Suttor,
Mr. Windeyer,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Kerr,
Mr. Simon,

Tellers.

On motion of Mr. Windeyer the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Bill with Amendments.

WEDNESDAY, 19 MARCH, 1879.

No. 2.

CHINESE IMMIGRATION REGULATION BILL.

(Re-committed for consideration of a new Clause.)

Mr. Terry brought up the following new Clause to stand Clause 14:

14. No Chinese immigrant arriving in this Colony after the passing of this Act (other than a naturalized or British subject) shall acquire hold or enjoy real estate any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Question:
Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Dillon,
Mr. Watson, Mr. Eckett,
Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Shephard,
Mr. Wodgoyer, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Holman, Mr. Baker,
Mr. Harris, Mr. Clarke,
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Ruckour, Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Garrett, Teller.
Mr. Gray, Teller.
Mr. Revers, Teller.
Mr. Terry, Teller.

Nees, 16.
Mr. Farrell, Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. R. R. Smith, Mr. Driver,
Mr. Baras, Teller.
Mr. Chown, Teller.
Mr. Webb, Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Harley (Harley).
Mr. Jacob, Mr. Jacob.
Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Stuart,
Mr. C. Brown, Mr. Teece,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. Teece,
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Thompson.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Bill 2° with a further Amendment.
No. 18.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the Minutes.)

WEDNESDAY, 26 MARCH, 1879, A.M.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.

(Agent General for the Colony.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,000 to defray the salaries and contingencies of the Department of the Agent General for the Colony, for the year 1879. (Sir Henry Parkes.)

Motion made (Mr. Roseby) and Question put,—That item £850, salary of Emigration Officer, be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Harris, Mr. Gray,
Mr. Benett, Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Macintosh, Mr. F. B. Sutton,
Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Beyers, Mr. Baker,
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Baker,
Mr. Gray, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Kerr,
Mr. Webb, Tellers.

Noes, 19.
Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Roseby,
Mr. P. B. Setter, Mr. Kerr,
Mr. B. Smith, Mr. Baker,
Mr. Smith, Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Dillon, Mr. MeElhone,
Mr. Charles, Mr. Webb.

No. 2.

(IMMIGRATION.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £76,076 to defray the salaries and other expenses for Immigration, for the year 1879. (Sir Henry Parkes.)

Motion made (Mr. Roseby) and Question put,—That item £75,000 for "Immigration Generally" be reduced by £25,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Watson,
Mr. Macintosh, Mr. F. B. Sutton,
Mr. Roseby, Mr. Windeyer,
Mr. Harris, Mr. Baker,
Tellers, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Beyers, Mr. Driver,
Mr. Gray, Mr. Dillon,
Mr. Charles, Mr. Thompson.

Noes, 18.
Mr. Driver, Mr. Garret,
Mr. Windeyer, Mr. W. Watson,
Mr. Lackey, Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Baker, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Gray,
Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Driver,
Mr. P. B. Setter, Mr. Dillon,
Mr. Kerr, Mr. Charles,
Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Webb.

No. 3.
No. 3.
(Same Item.)
Motion made (Mr. Harris) and Question put,—That the item be reduced by £24,500.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.  
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Harris, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Boyce, Mr. Bennett, Tellers: Mr. Macintoch, Mr. Roseby.

Noes, 17.  
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Watson, Mr. Baker, Mr. P. B. Satter, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Charles, Mr. Driver, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Driver, Mr. Wilkinson, Mr. Webbe, Mr. Simeon, Mr. Hopkin, Mr. Terry, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Edwards, Mr. Lackey, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Driver, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. F. B. Satter, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Charles, Mr. Driver, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Thompson.

Original Estimate (£76,576) agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

WEDNESDAY, 26 MARCH, 1879.

No. 4.
SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.
(Industrial Schools.)
Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £5,987 to defray the salaries and contingencies for Industrial Schools, for the year 1879. (Sir Henry Parkes.)

Motion made (Mr. Stuart) and Question put,—That the Estimate be reduced by £434.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.  
Mr. Farnell, Mr. Coburn, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Barns, Tellers: Mr. McElhone, Mr. Dillon.

Noes, 29.  
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. P. B. Satter, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Watson, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Baker, Mr. Charles, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Day, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Winner, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simeon, Mr. Hopkin, Mr. Terry, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Driver, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Driver, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. F. B. Satter, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Charles, Mr. Driver, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Thompson, Tellers: Mr. Driver, Mr. Wilkinson, Mr. Webbe.

Original Estimate (£5,987) agreed to.

No. 5.
(Charitable Allowances—Sydney Infirmary.)
Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £263,221 to defray charges for Charitable Allowances, for the year 1879. (Sir Henry Parkes.)

Motion made (Mr. Charles) and Question put,—That item £12,500, first instalment of a proposed contribution of £25,000 towards the rebuilding of the Sydney Infirmary, be omitted.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 5.  
Mr. Lucas, Mr. Bauchy, Mr. Charles, Tellers: Mr. Lynch, Mr. Bayers.

Noes, 26.  
Mr. Baker, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Watson, Mr. P. B. Satter, Mr. Lackey, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Dillon, Mr. Harris, Mr. Driver, Mr. Redford, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Simon, Mr. Hopkin, Mr. Watson, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Green, Mr. Green, Mr. Smith, Mr. Terry, Tellers. Mr. Driver, Mr. Wilkinson, Mr. Webbe.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 27 MARCH, 1879, A.M.

Original Estimate (£263,221) agreed to.

No. 6.
(Quarantine.)
Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £1,241 to defray the salaries and contingencies for Quarantine, for the year 1879. (Mr. Watson.)

Motion
Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £300, salary of Resident Medical Officer in Charge, be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 2.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Driver,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Zechy, Mr. McElhone,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. Zechy.

Noes, 24.

Mr. Driver, Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. Zechy,
Mr. Zechy, Mr. McElhone,
Mr. Zechy, Mr. McElhone.

On motion of Mr. Watson, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

THURSDAY, 27 MARCH, 1879.

SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL.

(Recommitted.)

Clause 133. After such Sale-yards shall in the opinion of the Governor be ready for the reception of cattle he shall forthwith by his proclamation to be published in the Gazette declare the same to be the Metropolitan Sale-yards for selling cattle and the same shall thenceforward become the only market or place within the City of Sydney and the limits mentioned in the last section for the sale of cattle except as provided for in section 143. And if any person shall sell or offer for sale any cattle except as hereinafter provided any cattle in any other place within the said city or within the said limits fourteen miles from the boundaries thereof he shall on conviction before two Justices be liable to a penalty of ten shillings for every head of such cattle so sold or offered for sale. Provided nothing herein contained shall apply to cattle arriving in Sydney by sea or to sheep so arriving in numbers not exceeding fifty in any one shipment. Provided that the provisions of this section shall not apply to private sales of cattle not exceeding six animals at one place or in one lot.

(Read.)

And the Clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Leary,
Mr. Watson, Mr. Creville,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Zechy, Mr. Watson,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. Creville,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. Creville.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Parkes, Mr. Driver,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. Driver,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. W. Davies.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 8.

(Same Bill.)

Clause 220. For the purpose of making provision for the interval during which the revenues of the Council may be insufficient to meet their requirements a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand pounds shall be appropriated from and paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund as an annual endowment to the City Fund during each and every year for the period of ten years commencing from the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine and such sum shall be paid by quarterly payments commencing on the thirty-first day of March next and thereafter on the last day of each succeeding quarter until the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine. And such sum shall be paid by quarterly payments commencing on the thirty-first day of March thirtieth day of June next and thereafter on the last day of each succeeding quarter until the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine when all such payments shall cease. And each quarterly payment authorized under this section shall be made by the Colonial Treasurer under the warrant of the Governor and the receipt of the Mayor countersigned by the City Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to the Colonial Treasurer for every such payment. Provided that such endowment shall not exceed the proportion of one pound for each pound raised by the City rate in excess of one shilling in the pound on the assessed annual value of city property.
The Clause having been amended, as indicated in lines 6 and 7,—
Motion made (Mr. Greenoress) and Question put,—That the following proviso be added to the Clause: "Provided that such endowment shall not exceed the proportion of one pound for each pound raised by the City rate in excess of one shilling in the pound on the assessed annual value of city property."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.
Mr. Henry Parkes, Mr. F. R. Sutton, Mr. Windsor, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Baker, Mr. Watson, Mr. Badgery, Mr. Day, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Webb, Mr. Boyen, Mr. Bennet, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Stuart,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Widdow, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Driver, Tellers, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Charles, Mr. Farrer, Mr. Terry, Mr. Merriman, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. B. B. Smith, Mr. O'Connor, Tellers, Mr. McIlhone, Mr. Coonan.

No. 9.
(Same Clause.)

Question put,—That the Clause, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.
Mr. Henry Parkes, Mr. F. R. Sutton, Mr. Windsor, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Baker, Mr. Watson, Mr. Badgery, Mr. Day, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Webb, Mr. Boyen, Mr. Bennet, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Driver, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Kerr, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Boysen, Mr. Charles, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Bennett, Tellers,
Mr. Terry, Mr. O'Connor,

Noes, 8.
Mr. Charles, Mr. Farrer, Mr. Terry, Mr. Merriman, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. B. B. Smith, Mr. Driver, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. O'Connor,

Words added.

No. 9. (Same Clause.)

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—
FRIDAY, 28 MARCH, 1879, A.M.

No. 10.
(Same Bill.)

Clause 221. Upon the passing of this Act the liability of the Municipal Council to repay the several sums advanced as temporary loans from the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the said Council during the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five amounting in the aggregate to the sum of forty thousand pounds together with the interest thereon amounting to four thousand five hundred and twenty-one pounds and eighteen shillings, accrued due up to the date of the commencement of this Act shall and the same is hereby declared to be cancelled and discharged and the said Municipal Council and the revenues thereof to be absolutely extinguished and relieved therefrom. And for the further relief of the said Council from liabilities incurred by or devolving on the said Council under and by virtue of the several Acts hereinafter cited it is hereby declared that all sums of money borrowed whether for purposes of sewerage or of water supply or for general purposes under the authority of the Act seventeen Victoria number thirty-four intituled "An Act for the better Sewerage and Cleansing the City of Sydney and portions of the Suburbs thereof" or of the Act of the same year of Her Majesty and numbered thirty-five intituled "An Act for supplying the City of Sydney and portions of the Suburbs thereof with Water" or of the Act twenty Victoria number thirty-six intituled "An Act to re-establish a Municipal Council in the City of Sydney", or of the Act of the same year of Her Majesty numbered forty-intituled "An Act to Appropriate and apply certain sums raised or to be raised under the Sydney Sewerage Act of 1853 and the Sydney Water Act of 1853 for the service of the year 1857", and paid to the Commissioner for the City of Sydney as to the Municipal Council thereof for any of the purposes authorised by the said recited Acts respectively and which on the passing of this Act shall be a charge upon any revenues of the said Council shall together with all sums accrued due thereon by way of interest cease to be a charge upon the sewerage or water rates or other revenues of the said city from the passing of this Act but the same shall be chargeable only upon and payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Colony. And the several sums so borrowed with the interest accrued thereon shall for the purposes of this section be considered as secured upon such fund and payable thereout in the same manner as if the persons or bodies corporate from whom the same were originally borrowed held Government Debentures for the respective amounts so borrowed, including interest due thereon secured in the customary way and all the provisions usually included in Loan Acts authorising the raising of money by Debentures or Treasury Bills for public purposes shall and
may be applied in order to give effect to the meaning and intent of this section. Provided always that the remission and transfer of indebtedness hereby provided for shall not be construed to entitle the said Council to the payment of any sum due to such Council as for past endowment against which the Colonial Treasurer shall have set off any debt due by such Council to the Consolidated Revenue Fund. And provided also that the Council shall not be entitled to any compensation or grant of money from the Consolidated Revenue Fund in the event of the existing sewerage and water works being heretofore transferred to any other authority by Act of Parliament the Council shall not be entitled in respect thereof to any further grant of money from the Consolidated Revenue Fund beyond the sum of £36,634 17s. 3d. owing by the Council on 28th February 1879 in respect of such works together with interest thereon and any amount which may be subsequently expended on the extension and improvement thereof. (Read.)

The Clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Motion made (Mr. Stuart).—To omit the words "and provided also that" line 5 above.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25. 
Mr. Stuart, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Watson, Mr. Coonan, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Davies, Mr. Driver, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Harris, Mr. Haynes, Mr. Bennett.

Noes, 5.
Mr. Parnell, Mr. Driver, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Baker, Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Terry.

No. 11.
(Statute.)

Motion made (Mr. Stuart).—To omit the words "the Council shall not be entitled to any compensation or grant of money from the Consolidated Revenue" lines 5 and 6.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.
Mr. Driver, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Terry, Mr. Harris, Mr. McPherson, Mr. Driver, Mr. McConnell, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Driver, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Driver, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Driver.

Noes, 23.
Mr. Parnell, Mr. Driver, Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Baker, Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Terry.

Words omitted.

And the Clause having been further amended, as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 12.

(Same Bill.)

Clause 33. On the ninth day of December in every year "the" Mayor—then holding office of mayor—shall retire, and on the same day a new election shall take place in the manner hereinafter mentioned but the retiring Mayor shall be eligible for re-election. And all Aldermen entitled to vote at the election of an Alderman shall be entitled to vote in the election of a Mayor and for the purpose of such election the same or similar booths or rooms and ballot boxes shall be used as in the elections of Aldermen and each election shall be held before one or more Presiding Officers or other persons appointed for such use by the Town Clerk in the same manner as before provided in respect to the election of an Alderman. And every person voting at each election shall vote at the polling place or room in one ward only for which he is entitled to vote according to the said roll. And the election of a Mayor shall be carried out as far as practicable in the same manner as herein provided in regard to the election of Aldermen. But the Mayor elected shall be the Alderman for whose election he voted in the said election. 

Aldermen shall assemble at noon within the premises occupied as a Town Hall the doors of the said premises being closed against all other persons except the Town Clerk or person acting as such and shall then and there elect one of their own body to be Mayor of the City who shall enter on office (except upon any extraordinary vacancy) on the first day of January next following his election and shall retire at the end of the year. Provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the retiring Mayor from being re-elected with his own consent if still duly qualified. (Read.)

Motion made (Sir Henry Parkes).—To omit all the words from "the," line 1, to the end of the clause, and substitute the words printed in black letter.

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

Committee
Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.

Mr. O’Connor,
Mr. Coonan,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. McElhone.

Tellers.

Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Bennett.

Noes, 21.

Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. W. Davies,
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Mr. Wisdom,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Parnell,
Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Beyers,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Webb.

Words inserted.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 13.

(Same Bill.)

Clause 223. The Council may grant licenses to persons for hawking and selling in the City any poultry, fish, vegetables, garden produce and such other "articles" as may be provided in any by-law in that behalf and may make by-laws as to the granting of such licenses the fees payable in respect thereof, the period and conditions for and under which such licenses shall be in force and for regulating such hawking generally. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Sutherland) and Question put.—That after the word "articles," line 2, there be inserted the words "except in baskets carried by hand."

Question put,—That the words proposed to be inserted be there inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 0.

Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Sutherland,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. Beyers.

Noes, 17.

Mr. Baker,
Mr. Windeler,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Lackey,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Welsh,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Stuart,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Wisdom,
Tellers,
Mr. Coonan,
Mr. Murphy.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill 3°, with further amendments.
SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.

Question again proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £1,241, to defray the salaries and contingencies for Quarantine, for the year 1879. (Mr. Watson.) Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £300, salary of Resident Medical Officer in charge, be reduced by £299.

Committee divided.

Ayres.
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Driver, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Harris, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Boyers, Tellers.
Mr. Coonan, Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 28.
Mr. Hocking, Mr. Fitespatrick, Mr. Farrelly, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Watson, Mr. Baker, Mr. Leery, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Gray, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Kerr, Sir Henry Parry, Tellers.
Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Driver, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Coonan, Mr. Harris, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Boyers, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Terce, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Harris, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Boyers, Tellers.

Original Estimate (£1,241) agreed to.
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No. 3.
No. 3.

(Board of Pharmacy.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £100, salary of Secretary to the Board of Pharmacy, for the year 1879. (Mr. Watson.) Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That the estimate be reduced by £50.
Committee divided.

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Original Estimate (£100) agreed to.

No. 4.

(Miscellaneous—Tug-boat for the Macleay, Bellinger, and Nambucca Rivers.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £47,057, to defray Miscellaneous Services for the year 1879. (Mr. Watson.) Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £960, to subsidize a Tug-boat at the rate of £80 per month, for the Macleay, Bellinger, and Nambucca Rivers, be omitted.
Committee divided.

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Estimate as reduced (£46,757) agreed to.

No. 5.

(Advance to Treasurer.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £100,000, to enable the Treasurer to make Advances to Public Officers and on account of other Governments, and to pay expenses of an unforeseen nature which will afterwards be submitted for Parliamentary appropriation: the whole amount to be adjusted not later than the 31st December, 1880. (Mr. Watson.) Motion made (Mr. Fitzpatrick) and Question put,—That the estimate be reduced by £40,000.
Committee divided.

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Original Estimate (£100,000) agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Watson the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again.
**SUPREME COURT (ADDITIONAL JUDGE) BILL.**

(Consideration of Legislative Council's Amendments.)

Clause 1. It shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, to appoint in Her Majesty's name a Barrister of England, Ireland, or of this Colony of not less than five years standing to be a Judge of the Supreme Court in addition to the present Chief Justice and the three Puisne Judges of the said Court.

Motion made (Mr. Windeyer) and Question put,—That the Committee agree to the Legislative Council's Amendment in clause 1, lines 3 and 4.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Harris,
Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Leary, Mr. Farrall,
Mr. Lackey, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Baker, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hoskins, Tellers,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Roseby, Mr. Copeland,
Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Eyers,
Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Wahl,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Wills,
Mr. Sheerlong,
Mr. Clarke,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. W. Davies.

Noes, 27.

Mr. O'Connell,
Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. B. B. Smith,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. McElhone,
Mr. Moses,
Mr. Sheerlong,
Mr. Clarke,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Barns.

No. 7.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Stephen Brown) and Question put,—That the Committee disagrees to the Council's Amendment in this Clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Parnell,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. Moses,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. T. H. Green,
Mr. Draper,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Gray,
Mr. W. R. Suttor,
Mr. Simeon,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Beyer,
Mr. Draper,
Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Harris,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Caspar,
Mr. Sheerlong,
Mr. Clarke,
Mr. B. B. Smith,
Mr. Gray,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Boseby,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Mr. R. B. Smith.

Council's Amendment negatived.

No. 8.

(Same Bill.)

Clause 6. In case of any future vacancy in the office of a Judge of the said Supreme Court any appointment of an Attorney of the said Court of not less than ten years standing shall be eligible for such office.

Motion made (Mr. Windeyer) and Question put,—That the Committee agree to the Legislative Council's Amendment omitting Clause 6.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Harris,
Mr. Water, Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Lackey, Mr. Day,
Mr. Baker, Mr. Kerr,
Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Copeland, Mr. Stuart,
Mr. W. Davies, Tellers,
Mr. Roseby, Mr. Webb,
Mr. Lynch, Mr. Toone,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Garret,
Mr. Boyce,
Mr. Eldford.

Council's Amendment negatived.

Noes, 27.

Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Farrall,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Dillon,
Mr. Moses,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Clarke,
Mr. Simon,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. Stephen Brown.

On
On motion of Mr. Windeyer the Chairman left the Chair, to report that the Committee disagreed to some and agreed to others of the Amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill.

**No. 9.**

**Loan Funds Amalgamation Bill.**

Clause 3. From and after the commencement of this Act all sums of money borrowed under the authority of any of the Acts specified in the Schedule hereto and not already applied for or towards any of the purposes to which such sums were directed to be respectively applied by such Act may notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any such Act contained be applied for or towards the purpose of any Loan Service whether specified in any of the said Acts or in any special Act hereafter to be passed in such manner and in such proportions as the Governor shall by warrant under his hand addressed to the Colonial Treasurer from time to time order and direct. And all sums of money hereafter to be borrowed under the authority of any special Act may be in like manner but subject to the like limitation be applied to any such Loan Service as aforesaid. Provided that nothing in this section contained shall authorize the application to any such Loan Service of any larger sum of money than is or shall be by the special Act authorizing such Service expressly appropriated or set apart therefor. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Stuart),—To omit the words "of the Acts specified in the Schedule hereto" line 2, and insert the words "Special Act."

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

Committee divided.


Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Simon, Mr. Fitzpatrick.
Mr. Baker, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Lucas.
Mr. Watson, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Watson.
Mr. Lackey, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Kerr.
Mr. Gray, Mr. Harris, Mr. Baker.
Mr. W. R. Brown, Mr. Garrett, Mr. W. R. Brown.
Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Driver, Mr. Thomas.
Mr. Stanley, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Beyer.
Mr. Day, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Molesworth.
Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Driver, Mr. Hoakins.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Hoakins, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Beyer, Mr. Macintosh, Teller.
Mr. Molesworth, Teller.

Clause as read agreed to.

**No. 10.**

(Same Bill.)

**Schedule.**

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Motion made (Mr. Stuart),—That the following Amendment be inserted in the Schedule, above line 3,—

"19 Vic. No. 83."

"20 Vic. No. 49."

"20 Vic. No. 34."

"23 Vic. No. 5."

"23 Vic. No. 10."

"24 Vic. No. 29."

"26 Vic. No. 19."

"28 Vic. No. 14."

"27 Vic. No. 14."

"29 Vic. No. 9."

"29 Vic. No. 28."

"30 Vic. No. 23."

"31 Vic. No. 31."

"31 Vic. No. 27."

"32 Vic. No. 24."

"34 Vic. No. 2."

Question put,—That the words proposed to be inserted be there inserted.
Committee divided.

Mr. Parkes, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Teller.
Mr. Webb, Mr. Greenwood.

Ayes, 24.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Teller.
Mr. H. R. Smith, Mr. Eckford, Mr. MacIlhane, Mr. J. Davies.
Mr. Leckey, Mr. Driver, Mr. Davis.
Mr. Web, Mr. Burns, Mr. Marston, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Simpson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Kerr.
Mr. Mack, Mr. McElhone, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Hardy.
Mr. W. Davies, Mr. MeElhone, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Garrett.
Mr. Stewart, Mr. W. H. Suttor.
Mr. Web, Mr. Davis.
Mr. Driver.

Noes, 25.
Mr. W. Davies, Mr. McIlhane, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Garrett.
Mr. Watson, Mr. Davis.
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Barrett.
Mr. Leckey, Mr. Driver.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Roseby.
Mr. E. E. Smith, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Sinne, Mr. Lackey.
Mr. Kerr, Mr. Burns, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Day, Mr. Driver.

Schedule, as read, agreed to.
On motion of Mr. Watson, the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Bill without Amendment.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—
FRIDAY, 4 APRIL, 1879, A.M.

PARLIAMENTARY POWERS AND PRIVILEGES BILL.

Consideration of Legislative Council's Message of 26th March, viz.—

Mr. Speaker,
The Legislative Council having taken into consideration the Legislative Assembly's Message, dated 5th March, 1879, in reference to the Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Bill,—Agrees to the Assembly's amendments upon the Council's amendments in clause 2.

But insists upon its other amendment in that clause, which proposes the insertion after the word "that," in line 9, of the words "no act done or word spoken written or published shall be dealt with as a contempt or breach of privilege by either House unless done spoken or published in the Chamber itself or within the precincts thereof and that"

(1.) Because the Council does not deem it expedient to vest in the Legislature any powers to deal with offences alleged to be in contempt or breach of the privileges of Parliament other than those committed in the Chambers of either House or within the precincts thereof.

(2.) Because no necessity has been shown for the existence of any powers in excess of those which the Council has already sanctioned for securing the orderly and efficient conduct of public business.

(3.) Because the ordinary judicial tribunals of the country are open to any Member of either House of Parliament who may feel himself aggrieved by any act done or word spoken written or published to his injury by any person outside the precincts of Parliament.

Insists upon its amendments which omit clauses 6 and 7,—

(1.) Because the Council does not deem it fair to a person accused of any offence against the privileges of Parliament, and who is afterwards to stand his trial for such offence, to have his case publicly discussed in one of the Chambers of the Legislature, his guilt affirmed, and the Attorney General directed by Resolution to prosecute such person.

(2.) Because the course prescribed would, in the judgment of the Council, seriously interfere with the discretion of the Attorney General, would be an invasion on the part of one Chamber of the Legislature of his constitutional functions, and would tend to impair the usefulness and weaken the independence of that officer.

(3.) Because any such affirmation on the part of Parliament of the guilt of any person charged with any such offence would be calculated to bring the Parliament into collision with the Courts of Law, before which the guilt of such person would have to be established.

Legislative Council Chamber.
Sydney, 26th March, 1879.

Sir Henry Parkes moved,—That the Committee insists upon its disagreement from the Council's amendment in clause 2, which proposes to insert the words "no act done or word spoken written or published shall be dealt with as a contempt or breach of privilege by either House unless done spoken or published in the Chamber itself or within the precincts thereof and that"; and also insists upon its disagreements from the Council's amendments omitting clauses 6 and 7.

Question put. Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Eckford, Mr. MacIlhane, Mr. J. Davies.
Mr. Leckey, Mr. Driver, Mr. Davis.
Mr. Web, Mr. Burns, Mr. Marston, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Simpson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Kerr.
Mr. Mack, Mr. McElhone, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Hardy.
Mr. W. Davies, Mr. MeElhone, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Garrett.
Mr. Stewart, Mr. W. H. Suttor.

Noes, 4.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Barrett.
Tellers.
Mr. Leckey, Mr. Driver.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Roseby.
Mr. E. E. Smith, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Sinne, Mr. Lackey.
Mr. Kerr, Mr. Burns, Mr. Terry.
Mr. Day, Mr. Driver.

Tellers.
Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. W. H. Suttor.
Mr. W. Davies.

On
On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report that the Committee insists upon its disagreements from the Council's amendment in clause 3, which proposes to insert the words "no act done or word spoken written or published shall be dealt with as a contempt or breach of privilege by either House unless done spoken or published in the Chamber itself or within the precincts thereof and that," and also insists upon its disagreements from the Council's amendments, omitting clauses 6 and 7.

FRIDAY, 4 APRIL, 1879.

No. 12.

SMALL DEBTS ACT FURTHER EXTENSION BILL.

Consideration of Legislative Council's Message of 27th March, viz.:

MR. SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council having taken into consideration the Legislative Assembly's Message, dated 11th March, 1879, in reference to the Small Debts Act further Extension Bill,—

Insists upon its amendment in clause 1,—

1. Because the same necessity does not exist in the metropolis for the extension of the jurisdiction of unpaid Justices, inasmuch as stipendiary Magistrates are provided for the performance of the duties to be discharged under the Act.

2. Because it may be reasonably supposed that a far larger amount of business in such Courts, involving it may be questions of some legal difficulty, will be brought before the Metropolitan Courts, and it is undesirable to have such cases heard before any other than stipendiary Magistrates.

Legislative Council Chamber, Sydney, 27th March, 1879.

JOHN HAY, President.

Mr. O'Connor moved,—That the Committee "does not insist" upon its disagreement from the Council's Amendment in Clause 1.

Amendment proposed in (Mr. Jacob) to omit the words "does not insist" and insert in their place the word "insists"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Day, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Watson, Mr. Thompson, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Morrison, Mr. W. C. Brown, Teller,
Mr. Roper, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Shepherd, Teller,
Mr. Wedgeley, Mr. Boyers, Mr. Jacob, Teller,
Mr. Driver, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Hungerford, Teller,
Mr. Harris, Teller, Mr. W. Davies, Teller,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. Badgery, Mr. Moses, Teller,
Mr. Copeland, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Harby (Narrabri), Teller,
Mr. Garrett, Mr. O'Connor, Teller.

Noes, 14.

Mr. Greenwood, Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. W. C. Brown, Teller,
Mr. Shepherd, Teller,
Mr. Jacob, Teller,
Mr. Hungerford, Teller,
Mr. W. Davies, Teller,
Mr. Moses, Teller,
Mr. Harby (Narrabri), Teller,
Mr. Danger, Teller.
No. 20.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the Minutes)

TUESDAY, 8 APRIL, 1879.

No. 1.

Supply—General Estimates for 1879.

(Department of Justice and Public Instruction.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,865, to defray the salaries and contingencies of the Department of Justice and Public Instruction for the year 1879. (Mr. F. B. Suttor.)

Motion made (Mr. Driver) and Question put,—That item £400, salary of Chief Clerk, be reduced by £25.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.

Mr. Driver,
Mr. Badgery,
Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. Gray,
Mr. Cookan,
Mr. Beyers,
Mr. Barrett,
Mr. Day,
Mr. McEbone.

Noes, 29.

Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. R. B. Suttor,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Borne,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Buchanan,
Mr. Davies,
Mr. E. H. Brown,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Birkford,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. W. C. Brown,
Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Twee,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Terry,
Tellers.

Mr. Driver,
Mr. McEbone,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Barrett,
Mr. Beyers,
Tellers.

Mr. Harris,
Mr. Stephen Brown.

Original Estimate (£4,865) agreed to.

No. 2.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. Driver) and Question put,—That item £350, salary of First Clerk (in charge of Records) be reduced by £50.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.

Mr. Driver,
Mr. McEbone,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Barrett,
Mr. Beyers,
Tellers.

Mr. Harris,
Mr. Stephen Brown.

Noes, 24.

Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Windover,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Leary,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Hungerford,
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Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Brown,
Mr. Borne,
Mr. Buchanan,
Mr. O'Connor,
Tellers.

Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Cooke.

No. 3.
Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £12,559, to
defray the salaries and contingencies of the Department of the Prothonotary for the year
1879. (Mr. P. B. Sutton)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £150, salary of French, German,
and Italian Interpreter, be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 5.
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Beyers,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 22.
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Walsh,
Mr. Winder,
Mr. B. Smith,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. H. H. Brown.

Motion of Mr. F. B. Suttor the Chairmain left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to
sit again.

Thursda7y, 10 April, 1879.

Original Estimate (£12,559) agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Lackey the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to
sit again.

Sydney: Thomas Richards, Government Printer.—1879.
No. 21.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the Minutes.)

FRIDAY, 18 APRIL, 1879.

No. 1.

MUDGEE TURF CLUB BILL.

Clause 7. All lands, tenements, and hereditaments, and all chattels and effects which are now vested in or held by any person or persons whatsoever in trust for or for the benefit of the club or the members thereof shall immediately upon the passing of this Act become and be vested in and held by the chairman and his successors in such office in trust for the club and all lands, tenements, and hereditaments and all chattels and effects which may hereafter be contracted for or be acquired by or belong to the club or the members thereof collectively may be conveyed, assigned and assured to and shall thenceforth become vested in the chairman and his successors in such office in trust for the club. (Read.)

Motion made (Captain Oatley) and Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair.

Committee divided.

---|---
Mr. Stuart, | Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Barra, | Mr. Terry,
Mr. Webb, | Mr. Fitzgerald,
Mr. Roseby, | Mr. Badgery,
Mr. McElhone, | Mr. F. R. Sutton,
Mr. Greenwell, | Mr. W. C. Brown,
Mr. Mainfold, | Mr. Dangar,
Mr. W. Davies, | Mr. J. Davies (Hartley),
Mr. Sutherland, | Mr. Lackey,
Tellers, | Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Shephard, | Mr. Hoskia,
Mr. Murphy. | Mr. Driver,

And a Motion—That the Chairman leave the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again this day four weeks—having been put and negatived,—

No. 2.

(See Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Webb) and Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8. | Noes, 22.
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Mr. Stuart, | Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Webb, | Mr. F. R. Sutton,
Mr. Murphy, | Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Sutherland, | Mr. Barnes,
Mr. W. Davies, | Mr. J. Davies (Hartley),
Mr. Greenwell, | Mr. J. Davies,
Tellers, | Tellers,
Mr. Mainfold, | Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Roseby. | Mr. J. Davies (Hartley).

No. 3.
No. 3.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Webb) and Question put.—That the Chairman leave the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again this day week.

Committee divided.

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No. 4.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. MeElhone) and Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair.

Committee divided.

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No. 5.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Macintosh) and Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again this day week.

Committee divided.

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Chairman left Chair to report no Quorum.

The Committee having resumed, Question again put and negatived.

No. 6.

(Same Clause.)

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

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Clause as read agreed to.

Attention being called to the absence of a Quorum,—
The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 22.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.
(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES)

TUESDAY, 22 APRIL, 1879.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.
(Colonial Architect.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £12,903 to defray the salaries and contingencies of the Department of the Colonial Architect for the year 1879. (Mr. Lackey.)

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 23 APRIL, 1879, A.M.

Motion made (Mr. Driver) and Question put,—That the Estimate be reduced by £1,207.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.
Mr. McElhone,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Roach,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. W. C. Brown,
Tellers.
Mr. Badgery,
Mr. Barbour.

Noes, 21.
Mr. Windleyer,
Mr. Farnell,
Mr. Fitzgerald,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Lackey,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Webb,
Mr. J. Davies,
Tellers.
Mr. Lackey,
Tellers.
Mr. 3. Davies,

No. 2.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That the Estimate be reduced by £1,025.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Badgery,
Mr. Roach,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Greenwood,
Tellers.
Mr. W. C. Brown,
Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 22.
Mr. Farnell,
Mr. E. B. Suttor,
Mr. Fitzgerald,
Mr. W. H. Suttor,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Jacob,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Webb,
Mr. Eckford,
Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. Thompson.
Tellers.
Mr. Kerr,

No. 3.
No. 3.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. Stuart) and Question put,—That the estimate be reduced by £675.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.
Mr. Stuart, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Roseby, Mr. McElhone, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Driver, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Baebour, Mr. Bowman, Mr. Badgery, Teller.

Noes, 20.
Mr. Farnell, Mr. F. B. Sutter, Mr. Lackey, Mr. B. A. Smith, Mr. Jacob, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Beckford, Mr. Heynes, Mr. Thompson.

The Estimate having been reduced by £500, on motion of Mr. Stuart,—

Estimate, as reduced, (£12,403) agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Lackey, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

WEDNESDAY, 23 APRIL, 1879.

SUPPLY—INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

Mr. Watson moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

Resolved,—That there be granted to Her Majesty for the Services of the year 1879, a sum not exceeding £422,000, being £305,000 to defray the expenses of the various Departments and Services of the Colony for the month of April, 1879, at the rates which have been sanctioned for 1878, subject to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1879; £60,000 for wages of Railway Employes for the month of May, 1879; £7,000 for wages of Employes in the Department of Harbours and Rivers for the month of May, 1879; and £50,000 towards meeting the expenses connected with International Exhibition to be held in Sydney in 1879, further sum.

Motion made (Mr. McElhone),—That the Resolution be amended by the omission of the figures "£50,000" with a view to the insertion in their place of the figures "£25,000."

Question put,—That the figures proposed to be omitted stand part of the proposed Resolution.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Watson, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. F. B. Sutter, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Baker, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. J. Davie, Mr. W. Davie, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Heynes, Mr. Bowman, Teller.

Noes, 4.
Mr. Harris, Mr. McElhone, Teller.

Resolution, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Watson the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again; and also to report a Resolution to the House.

THURSDAY, 24 APRIL, 1879.

No. 5.

PARLIAMENTARY POWERS AND PRIVILEGES BILL.

(Resolution.)

Sir Henry Parkes moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

Resolved,—That it is expedient that this House should communicate with the Legislative Council in order to be informed of the steps taken by the Council, on the report of its Managers of the Free Conference on the subject of the Assembly's disagreements to the Council's amendments to the Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Bill.

Debate ensued.

Question put.
Committee
Committee divided.

**Ayes, 29.**

- Sir Henry Parkes
- Mr. Watson
- Mr. F. B. Suttor
- Mr. Windover
- Mr. Lockey
- Mr. Hobkins
- Mr. J. Davies
- Mr. Lacon
- Mr. Winsun
- Mr. Baker
- Mr. Badgory
- Mr. Webb
- Mr. Greenwood
- Mr. Driver
- Mr. Kerr
- Mr. Hungford
- Mr. McElhone
- Mr. W. Davies
- Mr. Jacob
- Mr. Garrick
- Mr. W. C. Browne
- Mr. Terry
- Mr. Barns
- Mr. Reckford
- Mr. Shepherd
- Mr. Stephen Brown
- Mr. Bennett
- Teller.

**Nees, S.**

- Mr. Fitzpatrick
- Mr. Farnell
- Mr. Copeland
- Mr. Beyers
- Mr. Mirsky
- Captain Onslow
- Teller.
- Mr. Lynch
- Mr. O'Connor

Resolution, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Resolution to the House.
1878-9.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 23.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 29 APRIL, 1879.

No. 1.

LANDS ACTS FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL.

Clause 1. The thirty-first "section" and the eighteenth section of the Lands Acts Amendment Act of 1875 and the twenty-fifth section of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861 of the "Lands Acts Amendment Act 1875" is hereby repealed. Provided that such repeal shall not prejudice or affect any rights of the Crown or of the lessee already lawfully acquired thereunder. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Barbour).—To insert after the word "section," line 1, the words "and the nineteenth section."

The list section No. 13 is repealed.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 30 APRIL, 1879, A.M.

Question put,—That the words proposed to be inserted be there inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16:

Mr. Farwell, Mr. D. Patrick, Mr. Golen, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Terry, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Burns, Mr. Leary.

Mr. McElhone, Tellers.

Noes, 24:

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. W. Driver, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Bowman, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. P. B. Sutton, Mr. Enkiss, Mr. Webb, Mr. Baker, Mr. B. G. Brown, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Jacob, Mr. Terry, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Burns, Mr. Leary.

Mr. MeElhone, Tellers.

Amendment negatived.

No. 2.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Farwell), and Question put,—That after the word "section," line 1, there be inserted the words "and the proviso in the twelfth section."

Committee.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.
Mr. Farren, 
Mr. Fitzpatrick, 
Mr. Cohen, 
Mr. W. C. Brown, 
Mr. Day, 
Mr. Murphy, 
Mr. Barber, 
Mr. Jacob, 
Mr. Burns, 
Mr. Harris, 
Tellers.
Mr. McIlhone, 
Mr. Greenwood.

Noes, 24.
Sir Henry Parkes, 
Mr. Watson, 
Mr. Windeyer, 
Mr. Lackey, 
Mr. F. B. Suttor, 
Mr. Hoskins, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Lucas, 
Mr. Garrett, 
Mr. Stuart, 
Mr. Webb, 
Mr. W. Davies, 
Mr. Eckford, 
Mr. Shepherd.

Amendment negatived.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—
Clause as amended agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY, 30 APRIL, 1879.

No. 3.
SUPREME COURT (ADDITIONAL JUDGE) BILL.
(Resolution.)
Sir Henry Parkes moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution,—
Resolved,—
That the Assembly still insists upon its disagreement from the Council's Amendment which omits from clause 1 the words "or an Attorney of the Supreme Court of the said Colony of not less than ten years standing"; " and also upon its disagreement from the Council's Amendment which omits Clause 6.

Debate ensued.

Motion made (Mr. Stuart),—To omit the words "and also upon its disagreement from," and insert in their place the words "but agrees with"

Question put,—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the Resolution.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 43. 
Noes, 11.
Sir Henry Parkes, 
Mr. Sutherland, 
Mr. Fitzpatrick, 
Mr. Watson, 
Mr. Boyers, 
Mr. Leary, 
Mr. Windeyer, 
Mr. Terry, 
Mr. Lackey, 
Mr. Harri, 
Mr. Lucas, 
Mr. Bradbury, 
Mr. Eckford, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Cohen, 
Mr. Harley (Harley), 
Mr. Terry, 
Mr. Mitchell, 
Mr. T. R. Smith, 
Mr. Davies, 
Mr. Murphy, 
Mr. Badger, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Harris, 
Mr. McIlhone, 
Mr. Stack, 
Mr. Harris, 
Mr. J. Davies, 
Mr. Lucas, 
Mr. Douglass, 
Mr. W. H. Suttor, 
Mr. Lackey, 
Mr. Sutherland, 
Mr. Lucas, 
Mr. Harris, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Terry, 
Mr. Leary, 
Mr. windeyer, 
Mr. Terry, 
Mr. Lackey, 
Mr. Lucas, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Terry, 
Tellers.

Mr. R. B. Smith, 
Mr. Greenwood.

No. 4.
(Same Resolution.)
Question put,—That the Resolution, as read, be agreed to.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 42.
Sir Henry Parkes, 
Mr. Watson, 
Mr. Windeyer, 
Mr. Lackey, 
Mr. Lucas, 
Mr. W. C. Brown, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Harley (Harley), 
Mr. Terry, 
Mr. Mitchell, 
Mr. T. R. Smith, 
Mr. Davies, 
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Mr. Terry, 
Mr. Lackey, 
Mr. Lucas, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. Terry, 

Resolution as read agreed to.
On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Resolution to the House.

THURSDAY,
THURSDAY, 1 May, 1879.

No. 5.

Lands Acts Further Amendment Bill.

Clause 2. So much of clauses sections one thirteen and eighteen of the "Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861" as may require that improvements should be made by the conditional purchaser upon land conditionally purchased to the value of one pound per acre is hereby "repealed" and from and after the passing of this Act it shall be sufficient for all the purposes of the said Acts or of this Act that if such improvements upon crown land so conditionally "purchased" should be of the value of ten shillings per acre provided that the reduction of the value of improvements above provided for shall not apply to conditional purchases which have been declared forfeited or otherwise finally dealt with. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Windenyer).—To insert after the word "repealed," line 4, the words, "except in respect of conditional purchases, made prior to the first day of January, 1875."

Question put.—That the words "except in respect of conditional purchases" proposed to be inserted, be there inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Webb, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Pitts, Mr. McColloch, Mr. Thompson, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Driver, Mr. Simson, Mr. Day, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Terry, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Gray, Mr. Eckford, Mr. W. E. Suttor, Mr. C. Brown, Mr. Leary, Mr. Driver, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hangerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Yard, Mr. Tench, Mr. Francis, Mr. Simmons, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Hay, Mr. Baker, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Leonard, Mr. Leary, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Baker, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simson, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Tench.

Noes, 25:

Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. webb, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Pitts, Mr. McColloch, Mr. Thompson, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Driver, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hangerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Gray, Mr. Eckford, Mr. W. E. Suttor, Mr. C. Brown, Mr. Leary, Mr. Driver, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hangerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Yard, Mr. Francis, Mr. Simmons, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Hay, Mr. Baker, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Leonard, Mr. Leary, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Baker, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simson, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Tench.

And the remainder of the proposed Amendment having been put and negatived,—

No. 6.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Windenyer).—To omit the words "from and after the passing of this Act," lines 4 and 5.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 2 May, 1879, A.M.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Webb, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Pitts, Mr. Thompson, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Driver, Mr. Shepheard, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hangerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Francis, Mr. Simmons, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Hay, Mr. Baker, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Leonard, Mr. Leary, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Terry, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Baker, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simson, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Tench.

Noes, 20:

Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Webb, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Pitts, Mr. McColloch, Mr. Thompson, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Driver, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hangerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Gray, Mr. Eckford, Mr. W. E. Suttor, Mr. C. Brown, Mr. Leary, Mr. Driver, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Hangerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Yard, Mr. Francis, Mr. Simmons, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Hay, Mr. Baker, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Leonard, Mr. Leary, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Baker, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Simson, Mr. Leesley, Mr. Terry, Mr. Tench.

Words omitted.

No. 7.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Windenyer).—To insert after the word "purchased," line 6, the words "after the passing of this Act."

Question put.—That the words proposed to be inserted be there inserted.

Committee
Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Finch, Mr. Nolan, Mr. G. Day, Mr. vector, Mr. W. H. Surgeon, Mr. W. C. Brown.
Mr. J. Jones, Mr. J. Davis, Mr. P. B. Suttor, Mr. Lathorne, Mr. B. Brown.
Mr. Baker, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Lackey, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Watson.
Mr. S. Morris, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. W. Davies.
Mr. Baker, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Warren.
Mr. Garrett, Mr. Farnell, Mr. Driver, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Barbour.
Mr. Archer, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Lynch, Mr. T. Davies, Mr. W. C. Brown.
Mr. Day, Mr. Coogan, Teller.
Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bowe.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Lynch, Mr. J. Brown, Mr. G. Day, Mr. J. Brown.
Mr. Barbour, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Harris, Mr. Bennett, Mr. W. Davies.
Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Leary, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Driver, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Garner, Mr. M. E. H. Brown.
Mr. W. Davies, Teller.
Mr. Driver, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Parnell.
Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Barnett, Mr. J. Davies.
Mr. W. C. Brown, Teller.
Mr. Coogan.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 8.

(Same Clause.)

Question put.—That the Clause as amended stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes 24.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Baker, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Day, Mr. Coogan.

Noes 5.

Mr. Cohen, Mr. W. B. Suttor, Mr. Jacob, Teller.
Mr. Greenwood, Captain Onslow.

Clause as amended agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Tuesday next.
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 24.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES)

TUESDAY, 6 MAY, 1879.

No. 1.

LANDS ACTS FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL.

Clause 3. Any conditional purchaser who may The holder of any conditional purchase who either by himself or those through whom he claims shall have resided upon his con-
ditional purchase for three years and made due declaration of such residence and paid the balance of his purchase money or interest or instalment thereof as by the said Acts required may make application to the Minister for an extension of the time for completion of his improvements to a further term not exceeding two years and if the Minister shall be satisfied that the several other conditions of such purchase have been duly performed he may grant such extension and on completion of the improvements within such extended term the conditional purchaser shall become entitled to a grant as provided by the said Acts. Provided that during such extended term the conditional purchase shall continue to be the residence bona fide of the conditional purchaser and shall be liable to forfeiture for non-residence as during the original term of three years. 

Motion made (Mr. Fitzpatrick),—That the Chairman leave the Chair.
Debate ensued.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 7 MAY, 1879, A.M.

Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 3.
Mr. W. H. Satter, Teller.
Mr. Bowman,
Captain Osmowl.

Noes, 34.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Murphy,
Mr. W. H. Satter, Mr. Burns,
Mr. Lockey, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. F. H. Satter, Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. Farrell, Mr. McIlhane,
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Watson, Mr. Bury,
Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Jacob,
Mr. J. Davis, Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Clarke,
Mr. Baker, Mr. McIlhoch,
Mr. Gray, Mr. E. R. Smith,
Mr. Leary, Mr. Wisdom,
Mr. Monckey, Mr. Charles,
Mr. Cohen, Teller.
Mr. Stuart, Mr. McIlhoch,
Mr. Garrett, Mr. Bury.
Mr. Day, Mr. W. C. Brown.

And the Clause having been amended in lines 1 and 2, as indicated, on motion of Mr. Garrett,—
On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.
No. 2.

Clause 3. Any conditional-purchase who—The holder of any conditional purchase who either by himself or those through whom he claims shall have resided upon his conditional purchase for three years and shall have made or shall hereafter make due declaration of such residence and paid or have paid the balance of his purchase money or interest or instalment thereof as by the said Acts required may make application to the Minister for an extension of the time for completion of his improvements to a further term not exceeding two years and if the Minister shall be satisfied that the several other conditions of such purchase have been duly “performed” and that improvements of a fixed and durable character of a value not less than six shillings per acre have been already made he may grant such extension and on completion of the improvements to the value of ten shillings per acre within such extended term the conditional purchaser shall become entitled to a grant as provided by the said Acts. Provided that during such extended term the conditional purchaser shall continue to be the residence of the conditional purchaser such holder and shall be liable to forfeiture for non-residence as during the original term of three years. (Further considered.)

Motion made (Mr. Hoskins)—To insert after the word “performed” line 3, the words “and that improvements of a fixed and durable character of a value not less than six shillings per acre have been already made.”

Amendment proposed (Mr. Bennett).—To omit from the proposed Amendment the words “fixed and durable.”

Question put,—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the proposed Amendment. Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. McIlwraith, Mr. Watson, Mr. Harris, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. E. B. Settor, Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Unrue, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Baker, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Barbour, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Murphy,

Noes, 16.

Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Grunwell, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Smith, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Terry.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

Clause as amended agreed to.

THURSDAY, 8 MAY, 1879, A.M.

No. 3. (Same Bill.)

Clause 4. The Minister may in like manner extend to five years the term for improvements within which the expenditure of two pounds per acre on mining operations other than gold-mining shall be completed upon any conditional purchase under the nineteenth section of the Act for the before-mentioned Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861 on being satisfied that the land has been used for mining purposes at the end of three years from the date of the purchase not less than twenty-four shillings per acre has been expended thereon in mining operations other than for gold. (Read.)

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

Question put,—That the Clause as amended stand part of the Bill. Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Watson, Mr. Harris, Mr. Lackey, Mr. E. B. Settor, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Eokford, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Garrett,

Noes, 16.

Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Leary, Mr. Leary, Mr. Grunwell, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Smith, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Copeland, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Barbour, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Macintosh.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

Clause as amended agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

THURSDAY,
THURSDAY, 8 MAY, 1879.

No. 4.

LANDS ACT FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL.

Clause 9. In the event of the Government not having made provision therefor, every purchaser of Crown lands and every holder of a lease or license shall be entitled to a road of access and also to free ingress and egress thereby to and from the lands held by him through and over any Crown lands whether under lease or not if no access to the lands held by him by means of a reserved or proclaimed road or track shall be provided And such person may for the purposes of this section enter on any Crown lands and mark out thereon as a road of access to his holding a road over such lands not more than one chain wide and following as direct a line as may be practicable to the nearest public road or other road of access leading thereto Provided that notice in writing of the intention to mark out such road shall in every case be given to the lessee or his agent where such road passes over his leased land at least seven days before the marking out of such road And that such road shall not interfere with any buildings garden stock or drafting yards belonging to such lessee and shall in every case follow such a direction and be so marked as to occasion as little damage or inconvenience to the lessee as may be possible And upon notice in writing being served upon any such person by a Crown lessee requiring him to fix such road such person shall within three months from the date of service thereof mark out such road of access and shall not be entitled to use any other road of access over the lands of such lessee in the event of any dispute between such person and any Crown lessee as to the position course or width of or any other matter connected with such road the matter in dispute shall be determined by "arbitration" Provided that any roads so marked shall not be alienated under the tenth section of the "Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861" Provided that the Minister shall have power to close roads provided for in this clause upon giving three months notice to that effect in the Gazette.

Motion made (Mr. Day),—To omit the word "arbitration," line 20, and insert in its place the words "the District Surveyor." And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 9 MAY, 1879, A.M.

Question put,—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the Clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Windsor, Mr. Rocheby,
Mr. Watton, Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Baker, Mr. Harris,
Mr. F. R. Sutter, Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. Huxley, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Coln, Mr. Simeon,
Mr. Parnell, Mr. Kerr,
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Murphy, Mr. Leacy,
Mr. W. Davies, Tellers,
Mr. Garrett, Mr. McElhone,
Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Bayers,
Mr. Jacob, Mr. W. H. Sutter,
Mr. McElhone, Mr. Boyers.

Noes, 4.

Mr. Lucas, Mr. Hitchens,
Tellers,
Mr. Day, Mr. Bennett.

And the Clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Clause as amended agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Huxley the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 25.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 13 MAY, 1879.

No. 1.

LANDS ACT FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL.
Clause 10. The acceptance by or on behalf of the Crown of any purchase money or part thereof, in respect of any conditional "purchase" or of interest money on any balance thereof or of rent or other payment under any lease or license shall not be held to have operated or to operate hereafter as a waiver by the Crown of any forfeiture accruing by reason of the breach of any condition precedent or subsequent annexed by law to the estate or interest of a conditional purchaser lessee or licensee. But nothing herein contained shall affect any proceedings instituted in any Court before the commencement of this Act or any case where it shall be proved that the Crown through the Minister or any authorized officer has had full knowledge by notice or otherwise of the breach of any such condition before the acceptance of such money interest rent or other payment. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Farnell),—To insert after the word "purchase," line 2, the words "hereafter made."

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 14 MAY, 1879, A.M.

Question put,—That the words proposed to be inserted be there inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.
Mr. Farnell, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Day, Mr. Boyers, Mr. Burns,
Tellers.
Mr. McCulloch, Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 10.
Mr. Henry Parkes, Mr. Lockey, Mr. Watson, Mr. Wrisdeyer, Mr. Baker, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. J. Davie, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Rosieby,
Tellers.
Mr. MacCallouch, Mr. McElhone.

Clause as read agreed to.

No. 2.

(Same Clause.)

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Watson, Mr. Wrisdeyer, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Baker, Mr. B. R. Smith, Mr. Leane, Mr. J. Davie, Mr. Rosieby, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Teece.

Noes, 10.
Mr. Farnell, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Barbour, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Beyers, Mr. Day, Mr. Barbour.
On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY, 14 MAY, 1879.

Clause 11. After the passing of this Act it shall not be lawful for any pastoral tenant or other person to cause any improvements to be made upon any Crown lands which have been temporarily reserved from sale by the Governor under the provisions of the fourth clause of the "Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861." And if any such improvements shall hereafter be so made by any person upon any such Reserve the same shall be deemed to be the property of Her Majesty and liable to removal or sale by auction or other disposition at the discretion of the Minister and where such removal or sale or other disposition shall not appear to the Minister to be expedient the lands on which they are situated shall not be held to be lands containing improvements within the meaning of the thirteenth section of the said Act or the second section of the "Lands Acts Amendment Act 1875." And whenever the temporary reservation of any such lands shall be revoked by the Governor and the Minister shall not within three months after such revocation deem it expedient to remove or sell or otherwise dispose of any such improvements the land upon which the improvements are situated may notwithstanding their existence be conditionally purchased or otherwise sold as if the same had not been in any manner "improved." And no increased price or value shall be put upon the same by the Minister for Lands by reason of any such alleged improvements excepting when offered for sale by auction. And should an application be made to conditionally purchase such land so improved the applicant must state in his application that he is willing to purchase and pay for the improvements the amount fixed by appraisal and shall at the time of making the application pay a deposit of ten per cent. upon the supposed value of such improvements and shall pay the balance within three months of the notification in the Gazette of the amount fixed in such appraisal or forfeit his conditional purchase. Provided also that no temporary reservation of any such lands shall be revoked until after survey by way of subdivision thereof.

Motion made (Mr. Barbour).—To omit all the words from the word "improved," line 15, to the end of the Clause, and insert in their place the words "And should an application be made to conditionally purchase such land so improved the applicant must state in his application that he is willing to purchase and pay for the improvements the amount fixed by appraisement and shall at the time of making the application pay a deposit of ten per cent. upon the supposed value of such improvements and shall pay the balance within three months of the notification in the Gazette of the amount fixed in such appraisal or forfeit his conditional purchase." Question,—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the Clause,—put and negatived. Question put,—That the words proposed to be inserted be there inserted. Committee divided. Ayes, 28. Noes, 11. Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Harris, Mr. B. B. Smith, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Barbour, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Barrett, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Barrett, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. O'Connor, Tellers.

THURSDAY, 15 MAY, 1879.

Clause 12. After the passing of this Act no land shall be sold to any "pastoral lessee" under the second clause of the "Lands Acts Amendment Act 1875" in virtue of improvements upon his run unless the Minister shall be satisfied that such improvements are of a fixed and durable character erected constructed or effected bona fide for the working and beneficial occupation of the run for pastoral purposes and unless the Minister be satisfied that the alienation of such lands is not likely to prejudice or affect injuriously the value or the sale by conditional purchase or otherwise of adjacent Crown land. And before any such land is submitted for appraisement the Minister may fix a higher minimum price than that provided by the said clause. And the total area to be sold to any pastoral-tenant in virtue of improvements hereafter applied for shall not exceed one twenty-fifth part of

No. 4.

Limitation as to improvements.
of the total area of such run on the first January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight or the commencement thereafter of the term of lease unless in the case of any run out of which the lessee has not already made purchases in virtue of improvements have not already been made to the extent of double the one twenty-fifth part aforesaid and in such cases up to double such twenty-fifth part in all of the area of the run Provided that the area to be sold in virtue of improvements as aforesaid shall be taken up in blocks not exceeding four in number Provided that land purchased in virtue of improvements having a frontage shall be measured in a rectangular form with a depth of not less than sixty chains.

Motion made (Mr. Jacob).—To omit the words "pastoral lessee" line 1, and insert in their place the words "holder of any lease or promise of lease of Crown Lands."

Proposed Amendment negatived.

No. 6.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Fitzpatrick).—To omit the words "unless the Minister shall be satisfied that such improvements are of a fixed and durable character erected or effectuated bond fide for the working and beneficial occupation of the run for pastoral purposes and" lines 3 to 5.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

No. 6.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Fitzpatrick) to omit the words "and before any such land is submitted for appraisement the Minister may fix a higher minimum price than that provided by the said Clause" lines 1 to 9.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 16 MAY, 1879, A.M.

Motion made (Mr. Fitzpatrick) to omit the words "and before any such land is submitted for appraisement the Minister may fix a higher minimum price than that provided by the said Clause" lines 1 to 9.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

And the Clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Clause as amended agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Tuesday next.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 26.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 20 MAY, 1879.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.

(Public Works and Buildings.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £242,726 to defray charges for Public Works and Buildings, for the year 1879. (Mr. Lackey.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £10,000, for furniture and fittings for Public Offices generally (irrespective of the date of claims), be reduced by £5,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Joyce,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. McColloch,
Mr. Badgery,
Mr. Webb,
Mr. McKellone.

Noes, 25.

Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Windsor,
Mr. Simon,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. J. Davie,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Stuart,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. T. B. Smith,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Tellers.

No. 2.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £7,000, for furnishing and fittings for new Public Works and Colonial Secretary's Offices, be reduced by £2,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Barbour,
Mr. McKellone,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Driver,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Stuart,
Mr. Badgery,
Mr. O'Connor.

Noes, 30.

Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Windsor,
Mr. Simon,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. McColloch,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. J. Davie,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Webb,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Beysa,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. Merriman,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. T. B. Smith,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Wisdom,
Tellers.

And
No. 3.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. Thompson) and Question put,—That item £3,000, for Erection of Court-house, Penrith, be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.
Mr. Simeon, Mr. Badgery, Mr. W. C. Brownes, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Grall, Mr. Simmons, Mr. Greaves, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Harris, Mr. Charles, Mr. Webb, Mr. Jacob, Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 15.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Lackey, Mr. W. C. Brownes, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Garrett, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Greenwoods, Mr. Bayers, Mr. Charles, Mr. McElhone.

Item omitted.

No. 4.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. McCulloch) and Question put,—That item £4,000, for erection of Court-house, Carcoar, be reduced by £2,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 2.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Thompson, Mr. W. C. Brownes, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Garrett, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Greenwoods, Mr. Bayers, Mr. Charles, Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 33.
Mr. Baker, Mr. Harris, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Coban, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Driver, Mr. Gray, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. W. G. Brownes, Mr. Watson, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Burns, Mr. Charles, Mr. T. B. Smith, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Wiseman, Mr. Lynch, Mr. J. Davie, Mr. Barbour, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Barrett, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Simons, Mr. Bayers, Mr. McElhone.

No. 5.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That item £2,300, for erection of Court-house, Taree, be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.
Mr. W. C. Brownes, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Simmons, Mr. W. C. Brownes, Mr. Harris, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Web, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Driver, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Badgery.

Noes, 14.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Clarke, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Baker, Mr. Watson, Mr. Wiseman, Mr. W. C. Brownes, Mr. Charles, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Bennett, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Simmons, Mr. Badgery, Mr. McCulloch.

Item omitted.

Estimate, as reduced (£207,126), agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Lackey the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

THURSDAY, 22 MAY, 1879.

No. 6.

Supply—General Estimates for 1879.

(Railways—Existing Lines—Working Expenses.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £575,598, to defray salaries and contingencies for Railways—Existing Lines—Working Expenses—Permanent Way and Locomotive Branches—for the year 1879. (Mr. Lackey.)
And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 23 MAY, 1879, A.M.

Motion made (Mr. McElhone) and Question put,—That the estimate be reduced by £450. Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.
Mr. Driver,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. McElhone,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Boysa,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Harris,

Tellers.
Mr. Gray,
Mr. Thompson.

Noes, 17.
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. F. B. Sutter,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Windeyer,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Burns,
Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Eckford,
Mr. Webb.

Original Estimate (£575,508) agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

Sydney : Thomas Richards, Government Printer.—1879.
No. 27.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 27 MAY, 1879.

No. 1.

LANDS ACTS FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL.

Clause 14. Whenever it shall become necessary or desirable that any price rent value or sum of money should be fixed or ascertained by appraisement under the hereinbefore recited Acts or this Act such appraisement shall be made by one or more appraisers appointed by the Minister anything in the said Acts to the contrary notwithstanding and every appraisement so made shall unless altered or vetoed by the "Minister" be binding final and conclusive as if made by appraisers or an umpire appointed in the manner in the said Acts provided and every appraiser so appointed shall have the like powers except as to awarding costs.

Motion made (Mr. Stuart), and Question put,—That after the word "Minister," line 5, there be inserted the words "or unless appealed against as hereinafter provided"

Committee divided.


Mr. Farnell, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Harris, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Bowman, Mr. Simson, Mr. Beyers, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Hungerford.

Tellers.

Mr. Copeland, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Harris, Mr. Hungerford.

No. 2.

(Same Clause.)

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Farnell, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Harris, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Bowman, Mr. Simson, Mr. Beyers, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Harris, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. McCulloch.

Tellers.

Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Guthrie, Mr. Bedford, Mr. Young, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Ross, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Webb.

Noes, 12.

Mr. Farnell, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Bowman, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Harris, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. McCulloch.

Tellers.

Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Guthrie, Mr. Bedford, Mr. Young, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Ross, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Webb.

Clause as read agreed to.

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Clause 15. No appraisement made for the purpose of determining the rent upon renewal of any existing lease of Crown land shall be at a lower rate than one pound per section of six hundred and forty acres. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Garrett) and Question put,—That the following proviso be added to the Clause,—"Provided that this provision shall not apply to any leasehold until after the expiry of the second renewal of the lease thereof."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.
Mr. Farnell, Mr. Kerr, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Hungerford, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Simson, Mr. Gray.

Noes, 22.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Watson, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Saynor, Mr. Sibber, Mr. Day, Mr. Harris, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Baker, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Rosby, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Thompson.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

Clause as read agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY, 28 MAY, 1879.

No. 5.

Mr. Barbour proposed the following new Clause, to stand Clause 14,—

14. If the owner or occupier of a run, whether he be the successful tenderer for the run or the purchaser thereof at auction or the squire of any such tenderer or purchaser, lessee of any run shall fail to occupy and stock such run continuously with not less than two hundred head of cattle or one thousand sheep to every twenty-five square miles of such run within twelve months of the passing of this Act or of the purchase at auction sale or in the event of its being necessary to provide water by artificial means within eighteen months three years thereafter the run shall be forfeited and after notification in the Gazette of such forfeiture it may be leased by auction sale.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

Question put,—That the Clause as amended stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.
Mr. Lucas, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Rosby, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Day, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Boyen, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Gray, Mr. Clarke.

Noes, 26.
Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Watson, Mr. Parcell, Mr. P. B. Suttor, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. R. K. Smith, Mr. Gairdner, Mr. Gray, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Parcell, Mr. Coopland, Mr. Badger, Mr. Simson, Mr. R. K. Smith, Mr. Watson, Mr. Thomas, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Stuart, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. W. G. Browne.

Proposed Clause negatived.

No. 6.
Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Watson, Mr. Baker, Mr. Lackey, Mr. J. Davies, Ayes, 7.
Mr. Kerr, Mr. MeElhone, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Parnell, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Day, Noes, 16.
Mr. Gerard, Mr. Watson, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Simson, Mr. Boyers, Mr. Parnell, Mr. W. H. Suttor, No. 6.
Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Parnell, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. Day, Mr. Barbour.

AyeS, 7.

Mr. Cohen, Mr. Parnell, Mr. W. W. Suttor, Mr. Day, Mr. Thompson, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Day, Mr. Thompson.

Mr. Cohen, Mr. Parnell, Mr. W. W. Suttor, Mr. Day, Mr. Thompson, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Day, Mr. Thompson.

Proposed Clause negatived.

Mr. W. H. Suttor proposed the following new Clause to stand Clause 23,—

23. From and after the passing of this Act section 19 Victoria 25 No. 1 and sections 27 and 28 Victoria 39 No. 13 are hereby repealed.

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.
Committee divided.
Ayes, 7.
Mr. Cohen, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Cranston, Mr. Watson, Mr. W. W. Suttor, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Day.

Noes, 18.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Relford, Mr. Dry, Mr. W. H. Suttor, Mr. MeElhone, Mr. Day. Mr. Harries.

Proposed Clause negatived.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

THURSDAY,

THURSDAY, 29 MAY, 1879, A.M.
THURSDAY, 29 MAY, 1879.

Mr. Copeland proposed the following new Clause to stand Clause 23,—

23. From and after the passing of this Act the Minister may by notice in the Gazette declare such portions of Crown lands as he shall think fit and shall therein describe to be grazing areas and such grazing areas shall one month after such notice shall have first appeared in the Gazette be open to selection as grazing farms and any person of the full age of twenty-one years and over may upon any land office day apply for any area not less than six hundred and forty nor exceeding two thousand five hundred and sixty acres Provided such grazing farm or any portion thereof shall not be within a proclaimed gold field or under occupation for mining purposes and not being within areas bounded by lines bearing north east south and west and distant five miles from the outside boundary of any town or village containing according to the then last census one hundred inhabitants and not reserved for the site of any town or village or for the supply of water or from sale for any public purpose or not containing improvements and not exempted from sale under section seven of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861.

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 2.

Mr. Copeland.

Mr. O'Connor.

Noes, 36.

Sir Henry Parkes.

Mr. Eckford.

Mr. Watson.

Mr. Stuart.

Mr. H. H. Brown.

Mr. Thompson.

Mr. Merriman.

Mr. Moss.

Mr. Lucas.

Mr. Macintosh.

Mr. Shepherd.

Mr. Bennett.

Mr. J. H. Smith.

Mr. Baker.

Mr. Baker.

Mr. McCallum.

Mr. T. R. Smith.

Mr. Garrett.

Mr. Roseby.

Mr. Farquharson.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. McCulloch.

Mr. Moses.

Mr. R. S. W.

Mr. Lucas.

Mr. Baker.

Mr. McCulloch.

Mr. Macintosh.

Mr. Murphy.

Mr. Long.

Mr. J. R. Smith.

Mr. F. B. Suttor.

Mr. McCulloch.

Mr. Lucas.

Mr. Green.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. Greenwood.

Mr. Garrett.

Mr. Copeland.

Mr. T. R. Smith.

Mr. Garrett.

Mr. Copeland.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. McCulloch.

Mr. Lucas.

Mr. Green.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. Greenwood.

Proposed Clause negatived.

No. 10.

(Same Bill.)

Mr. McElhone proposed the following new Clause to stand Clause 23,—

23. From and after the passing of this Act every original conditional purchaser who shall not have transferred his conditional purchase and who shall have made his declaration in accordance with the eighteenth section of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861 that he has complied with the requirements of the said section as regards residence and improvements and if the Minister shall have been satisfied with such declaration the said original conditional purchaser shall be released from the payment of interest on the balance of his purchase money And any balance of purchase money that may be unpaid shall be paid by annual payments of at least one shilling per acre until the whole balance shall be paid That all money paid as interest on Crown lands which may have been conditionally purchased under the Crown Lands Alienation Acts of 1861 and 1875 shall be credited to the said original conditional purchaser or his alienee or alienees as part of the balance money due on the land so purchased.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated on motion of Mr. Bennett,—

Question put,—That the Clause as amended stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.

Mr. McElhone.

Mr. Fitzpatrick.

Mr. Barbour.

Mr. Neyers.

Mr. Murphy.

Mr. Bennett.

Noes, 21.

Sir Henry Parkes.

Mr. Watson.

Mr. F. B. Suttor.

Mr. Kerr.

Mr. Hobkins.

Mr. Thompson.

Mr. Baker.

Mr. J. R. Smith.

Mr. Roseby.

Mr. Lucas.

Mr. McCulloch.

Mr. Copeland.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. Garrett.

Mr. Teene.

Mr. Gray.

Mr. Stephen Brown.

Mr. Greenwood.

Proposed Clause negatived.

No. 11.
No. 11.

(Same Bill.)

Mr. McElhone proposed the following new Clause to stand Clause 23.—

23. All original conditional purchasers who after the passing of this Act may conditionally purchase Crown lands under the provisions of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861 or the Lands Act Amendment Act of 1875 or this Act shall pay the balance of their purchase money by annual payments of at least one shilling per acre.

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Bennett, Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 18.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. McCollech, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. P. B. Suttor, Mr. E. T. Smith, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Watson, Mr. Watson, Mr. Suttor, Mr. McDonald, Mr. Day, Mr. McElhone.

Tellers.
Mr. McElhone, Mr. McElhone.

Proposed Clause negatived.

No. 12.

(Same Bill.)

Mr. McElhone proposed the following new Clause to stand Clause 23.—

23. So much of section eighteen of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861 and section eight of the Lands Act Amendment Act of 1875 as provides and requires that interest shall be paid by conditional purchasers on the balance of their purchase money on land conditionally purchased by them, is hereby repealed so far as they shall affect original conditional purchasers.

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Day, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Backhouse.

Noes, 18.
Mr. Parkes, Mr. McCollech, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Lackey, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Watson, Mr. Watson, Mr. Suttor, Mr. McDonald, Mr. Day, Mr. McElhone.

Tellers.
Mr. McElhone, Mr. McElhone.

Proposed Clause negatived.

No. 13.

(Same Bill.)

Mr. McElhone proposed the following new Clause to stand Clause 23.—

23. It shall be lawful for the parent of any child or children to make a conditional purchase hereinafter termed a “Family Selection” not exceeding three hundred and twenty acres in respect of each child but all such family selections shall be subject to the conditions and provisions following, viz.:

(1.) A family selection shall only be made of such Crown lands as are open to conditional purchase under the thirteenth section of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861 and shall not be made within any proclaimed gold field.

(2.) A family selection shall be permitted only in respect of a child living at the date of the application to purchase and being then under the age of sixteen years but a step-child shall entitle a parent to purchase under this section.

(3.) The parent applying to purchase in virtue of any child must make a statutory declaration that he is the parent of such child and must state in such declaration the name, sex, and age of such child and that such child is at the date of application actually maintained by the declarant.

(4.) No family selection shall be made unless by way of enlargement of the maximum area permitted to be conditionally purchased under this Act or by way of addition to a conditional purchase or purchases of or amounting in the aggregate to six hundred and forty acres but a family selection may be made from time to time.

(5.) All family selections shall be subject to the same conditions of payment, residence, improvement, measurement, and forfeiture for breach of conditions as other conditional purchases. All areas purchased as family selections shall be incorporated and form one holding with any area originally purchased.

(6.) No trust by way of advancement or otherwise in favour of a child shall be implied by or attach to a family selection.

(7.) No family selection shall be liable to forfeiture or shall be declared void by any Court or other authority by reason only of an error in stating the age of any child.

Question
Question put.—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Farnell, 
Mr. Shepherd, 
Mr. Roseby, 
Mr. McElhone, 
Mr. Day, 
Mr. Barber, 
Mr. Bennet, 
Mr. Murphy, 
Mr. Fitzpatrick, 

Tellers.

Mr. Clarke, 
Mr. Thompson. 

Noes, 16.

Mr. Windeyer, 
Mr. Lockey, 
Mr. F. B. Suttor, 
Mr. Watson, 
Sir Henry Parkes, 
Mr. Hoskins, 
Mr. Greenwood, 
Mr. Kerr, 
Mr. McCulloch, 

Tellers.

Mr. Garrett, 
Mr. B. B. Smith, 
Mr. J. Davies, 
Mr. Simson, 
Mr. Baker, 
Mr. T. R. Smith, 
Mr. Eckford.

Proposed Clause negatived.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Bill with amendments.
LENDS ACTS FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL.

Clause 2. So much of sections one thirteen and eighteen of the "Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861," and of section twenty-two of the "Lands Acts Amendment Act 1875," as may require that improvements should be made by the conditional purchaser upon land conditionally purchased to the value of one pound per acre is hereby repealed and it shall be sufficient for all the purposes of the said Acts or of this Act if such improvements upon land conditionally purchased shall be of the value of ten shillings per acre. Provided that the reduction of the value of improvements above-provided for shall not apply to conditional purchases which have been declared forfeited or otherwise finally dealt with except in cases where such forfeiture shall have been revoked by the authority of the Government.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,— Question put,—That the Clause as amended stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Bennett,
Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Farnell,
Mr. Terry,
Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 5.

Mr. Buchanan,
Mr. Cohn,
Mr. Moses,
Tellers.

Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. McCulloch.
Improvements upon Reserves declared to be unlawful and of no effect.

Clause 9. After the passing of this Act it shall not be lawful for any pastoral tenant or other person to "cause any improvements to be made upon" any Crown lands which have been temporarily reserved from sale by the Governor under the provisions of the fourth clause of the "Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1891" and if any such improvements shall hereafter be made by any person upon any such reserved lands the same shall be deemed to be the property of the Governor and subject to removal or sale by auction or other disposition at the discretion of the Minister. And whenever the temporary reservation of any such lands shall be revoked by the Governor and the Minister shall not within three months after such revocation direct it expedient to remove or sell or otherwise dispose of any such improvements the land upon which the any improvements are situated may notwithstanding their existence be conditionally purchased "or otherwise sold" and such improvements shall be held to be part of the improvements required to be made in conformity with the provisions of the second section of this Act.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

No. 3.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

No. 4.

No. 4.

(Same Clause.)

Motion made (Mr. Terry).—To omit the words "And should an application be made to conditionally purchase such" lines 11 and 12.

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

Committee divided.
Committee divided.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Zedford, Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Hawkins, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Terry,
Mr. Watson, Mr. Farnell, Mr. Day,
Mr. Baker, Mr. D. Davies, Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Shephard, Mr. R. R. Smith, Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Windleyer, Mr. Lockey, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Webb, Tellers, Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Tellers, Mr. McEllinoh,
Mr. Barbour, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Coonan,
Mr. Charles, Mr. McCalligloch, Mr. Milbahn,
Mr. Boyers, Tellers.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. McCalligloch, Mr. Wisdom,
Mr. Windleyer, Mr. Boyers, Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Watson, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Coonan,
Mr. Hawkins, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Day,
Mr. Baker, Mr. Farnell, Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Shephard, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Lockey, Mr. McCullloch,
Mr. Webb, Tellers, Mr. Bennett,
Mr. F. B. Suttor, Tellers, Mr. Terry,
Mr. Barbour, Mr. Charles, Mr. Thompson.

Proposed Amendment negatived.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. McCalligloch, Mr. Wisdom,
Mr. Windleyer, Mr. Farnell, Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Watson, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Hawkins, Mr. Baker, Mr. McElhone,
Mr. Baker, Mr. Terry, Mr. Coonan,
Mr. Shepherd, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Watts, Mr. Baker, Mr. McCalligloch,
Mr. Boys, Mr. Day, Mr. Parnell,
Mr. Lynch, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Terry, Mr. McCullloch, Mr. McElhone.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 7. (Same Clause.)

Question put,—That the Clause as amended stand part of the Bill.
Committee divided.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Windleyer, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Day,
Mr. Lockey, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. McCalligloch,
Mr. Hotkins, Mr. Charles, Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Watson, Mr. Lynch, Mr. McElhone,
Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Garrett, Tellers,
Mr. Lucas, Mr. Webb, Tellers,
Mr. Parnell, Mr. Harris, Tellers,
Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Eckford, Tellers,
Mr. Fitzpatrick, Tellers, Tellers,
Mr. Baker, Mr. McElhone, Tellers,
Mr. Wisdom, Mr. Boys, Tellers,
Mr. Garwood, Mr. Thompson, Tellers,
Mr. Terry, Tellers.

Clause as amended agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY,
Mr. Lucas proposed the following new Clause, to stand Clause 10—

10. Any person who by virtue of any conditional or additional conditional purchased Crown land should be entitled to a pre-lease of Crown land may upon payment to the Land Agent of the district the rent as provided by the fifth sub-section of the twelfth section of the Crown Lands Occupation Act may take possession of such land as he shall be entitled to pre-lease. And the surveyor who may be appointed to survey the conditionally purchased land by right of which the pre-lease is granted shall at the same time if requested by any person concerned and upon receipt of a fee equal to the amount paid by the Government for the survey of the conditionally purchased land survey and mark (in manner and form as is otherwise provided) such pre-leased land and within one week after such survey the pre-lessee shall at each corner thereof erect and maintain (until fenced) a post six inches square projecting at least three feet above the surface. And unless the Minister for some sufficient reason objects to such pre-lease he may so hold and occupy such land for the term of five years. Provided that if at the expiration of the said period of five years the pre-emptive lease land shall be enclosed with a fence sufficient to control cattle and sheep the holder thereof shall have the pre-emptive right to purchase such land upon the same conditions as though it was an original conditional purchase.

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.


Mr. Lucas, Mr. Garrett, Mr. W. C. Browne, Teller, Mr. Bowman, Mr. McKibbin.

Mr. Henry Parkes, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Day, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Colepand, Mr. Welsh, Mr. Bynum, Mr. Macintosh, Mr. Charles, Mr. Cockford, Mr. Windson, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Badgery, Mr. Simmons, Mr. Thompson.

Proposed Clause negatived.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight.—

THURSDAY, 5 JUNE, 1879, A.M.

No. 9.

(Same Bill.)

Mr. Copeland proposed the following new Clause, to stand Clause 5—

5. In all cases where application is made after the passing of this Act to purchase land other than town or suburban land either by auction or selection after auction or in consideration of improvements the minerals contained in such land shall be reserved to the Crown.

Question put,—That the Clause as read stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.


Mr. Farnell, Mr. Badgery, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Beaven.
Mr. Copeland, Mr. Bennett, Mr. P. B. Sutton, Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Johnston, Mr. Teller, Mr. W. C. Browne, Mr. Stott.
Mr. Badgery, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Beaven, Mr. Bosher.
Mr. Harbur, Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Roseby, Mr. B. Smith.
Mr. Murphy, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Baker, Mr. Macintosh.
Mr. Thompson, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Harris.
Mr. Day, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Farnell.
Mr. Garrett, Mr. Badgery, Teller.

Proposed Clause negatived.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins, the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Bill with further Amendments.

THURSDAY 5 JUNE, 1879.

No. 10.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.

(Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—Artillery Force.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £37,810, to defray Salaries and Contingencies of the Artillery Force—Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—for the year 1879. (Sir Henry Parkes.)

Motion
Motion made (Mr. Roseby), and Question put,—That the Estimate be reduced by £10,000.
Committee divided.
Ayes, 4.
Mr. Day,
Mr. Roseby,
Tellers.
Mr. Bowman,
Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 20.
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Windeyer,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. P. B. Suttor,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Barnhill,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. Hopkins,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. Badgery,
Mr. Kerr,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Lynch,
Mr. Wisdom,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Webb,
Mr. Simon,
Mr. R. B. Smith,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Belford,
Mr. Stuart,
Mr. Charles,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. Merriman,
Tellers.
Mr. Terme,
Mr. Barbour.

Estimate as reduced (£35,133) agreed to.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 6 JUNE, 1879, A.M.

On motion of Mr. Hoskins, the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again.
No. 29.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the Minutes.)

THURSDAY, 12 JUNE, 1879.

No. 1.

Supreme Court Temporary Judges Bill.

Clause 1. It shall be lawful for the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council by Commissions under the Great Seal of the Colony to appoint in Her Majesty's name in addition to the Chief Justice and three Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court six such persons not exceeding two and whether "Barristers" or not any person to the contrary notwithstanding to be Judges of the Supreme Court for a term not exceeding twelve calendar months from the date of each such Commission. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Wisdom).—To omit the word "Barristers," line 4, and insert the words "members of either branch of the legal profession"

Question put.—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the Clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Watson, Mr. Baker, Mr. P. B. Sutton, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Cohen, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Harris, Mr. Bowers, Mr. Garret, Mr. Day.

Noes, 16.

Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Farrell, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Burns, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Stephen Brown, Mr. Coon, Mr. McIlhonne, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Dillon, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. Driver, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Lynch.

And the Clause having been amended as indicated,—

Clauses as amended agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Windsor the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Bill with Amendments.
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 30.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN COMMITEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 17 JUNE, 1879.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.
(Conditional Land Sales.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £32,400, to defray salaries and contingencies of the Conditional Land Sales Department for the year 1879.

(Mr. Hoskins.)

Motion made (Mr. Thompson), and Question put,—That item £4,500, salaries of 9 Commissioners of Inquiry under Lands Acts Amendment Act, 1875, at £500, be reduced by £1,500.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.
Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Barrie, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Rodger, Mr. Thompson, Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 17.
Sir Henry Parke, Mr. W. M. W. Bion, Mr. P. H. B. Suttor, Mr. Baker, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Lockey, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Simm.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 18 JUNE, 1879, A.M.

Original Estimate (£32,400) agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parke the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

WEDNESDAY, 18 JUNE, 1879.

No. 2.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1879.
(Electric Telegraphs.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £107,058, to defray salaries and contingencies of the Electric Telegraph Department for the year 1879.

(Sir Henry Parke.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone), and Question put,—That item £200, salary of Superintendent, be reduced by £100.

Committee
Committee divided.

Ayes, 3.
Mr. Lucas,
Tellers,
Mr. Stephen Brown,
Mr. McElhone.

Noes, 27.
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Windeyer,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Macintosh,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Eckford,
Mr. Teese,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Sutherland,
Mr. Browne,
Mr. E. H. Smith,
Mr. Kerr,
Mr. Davies,
Mr. Huskina,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. deline.

Original Estimate (£107,058) agreed to.

No. 3.

(Secretary for Lands—Postponed Item.)

Question put,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £355, as Compensation for Law Expenses incurred by T. H. Mate, in case Mate v. Nugent. (Mr. Hoskins.)

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Windeyer,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Eckford,
Tellers.
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Copeland.

Noes, 20.
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Jacob,
Mr. McElhone,
Mr. Clarke,
Mr. McCulloch,
Tellers.
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. Tece,
Mr. Simson.

Item omitted.

No. 4.

(Same Estimate—Postponed Item.)

Question put,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £890, as Compensation for Law Expenses incurred by Patrick Nugent in case Mate v. Nugent. (Mr. Hoskins.)

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Windeyer,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. Day,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Clarke,
Mr. Tece,
Mr. W. Davies,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Sutherland,
Mr. F. B. Suttor,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. McCulloch,
Mr. W. Davies.

Noes, 10.
Mr. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Lucas,
Mr. Simson,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Mose,
Mr. Eckford,
Mr. W. C. Browne,
Mr. W. Davies.

Item agreed to.

On motion of Sir Henry Parkes the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

THURSDAY, 19 JUNE, 1879.

Supply—Supplementary Estimates for 1878 and previous years.

(Benevolent Society.)

Question put,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,817, to defray supplementary charge under the head “Charitable Allowances” for the year 1878. (Mr. Watson.)

Motion made (Mr. Greenwood), and Question put,—That item £500, to recoup the Benevolent Society of New South Wales the amount laid out on the Ophthalmic accommodation recently provided to the Benevolent Asylum.

Committee
Committee divided.

Ayes, 3.

Mr. Greenwood,  

Tellers.

Mr. O'Connor,  

Mr. MeElhone.

Noes, 22.

Mr. Fitzpatrick,  

Mr. Beyers,  

Mr. Cohen,  

Mr. Macintosh,  

Mr. Windsor,  

Mr. F. B. Suttor,  

Mr. Lackey,  

Mr. Hoskins,  

Mr. Watson,  

Mr. Kerr,  

Sir Henry Parkes,  

Mr. Sutherland,  

Mr. Roseby,  

Mr. Farnell,  

Mr. Day,  

Mr. Baker,  

Mr. Garrett,  

Tellers.  

Mr. Bennet,  

Mr. Ricketts,  

Mr. Clarke,  

Mr. Shepherd,  

Mr. Thompson.

Original Estimate (£4,817) agreed to.

No. 6.

(Colonial Secretary—Miscellaneous.)

Question put,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,654 18s. 10d. to defray supplementary charge under the head "Colonial Secretary—Miscellaneous," for the year 1878. (Mr. Watson.)

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Sir Henry Parkes,  

Mr. Watson,  

Mr. F. B. Suttor,  

Mr. Windsor,  

Mr. Fitpatrick,  

Mr. Henshaw,  

Mr. O'Connor,  

Mr. Lackey,  

Mr. Farnell,  

Mr. Baker,  

Mr. Greenwood,  

Tellers.

Noes, 5.

Mr. Roseby,  

Mr. MeElhone,  

Mr. J. Davies,  

Tellers.  

Mr. Beyers,  

Mr. Bennet.

Original Estimate (£3,654 18s. 10d.) agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Watson the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 31.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 25 JUNE, 1879.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1878 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

(Customs.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £270 11s. 3d., to
defray supplementary charge under the head “Customs.”

Motion made (Mr. McElnone).—That item £190, allowance to the First Landing Surveyor as
Acting Collector for twelve months, during the absence (on sick leave) of the Collector of
Customs, be omitted.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight—

THURSDAY, 26 JUNE, 1879, A.M.

Question put,—That item be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 5.

Mr. Day,
Mr. O’Connor,
Mr. Webb,
Mr. McEkhone,
Mr. Roseby.

Noes, 17.

Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Windley,
Mr. Lackey,
Mr. F. J. Suttor,
Mr. Watson,
Mr. Baker,
Mr. Greenwood,
Mr. Garrett,
Mr. Shepherd,
Mr. J. Davies,
Mr. Beyers,
Mr. Eckford,
Mr. Harris,
Mr. Hungerford,
Mr. Hoskins,
Tellers.
Mr. Tece,
Mr. Thompson.

Original Estimate (£270 11s. 3d.) agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Watson the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to
sit again.

[End]
WEDNESDAY, 2 JULY, 1879.

FURTHER ESTIMATE—ACUMULATED SURPLUS.

(International Exhibition.)

Question put,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a further sum not exceeding £75,000, towards meeting the expenses connected with the International Exhibition to be held in Sydney in 1879, to be defrayed out of the Accumulated Surplus on the Consolidated Revenue Fund. (Mr. Watson.)

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30. Noes, 4.

Mr. Watson, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Driver, Mr. Cohen, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Day, Mr. Terry, Mr. Simon, Mr. Garrett, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. T. K. Smith.

Tellers, Mr. Watson, Mr. J. Davies.

No Estimate agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Watson the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again.
TUESDAY, 8 JULY, 1879.

No. 1.

APPROPRIATION BILL—
(Clause XII.—Supplementary.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone).—That the Clause be amended by the omission of the words and figures, "Costs incurred by Messrs. R. and A. Landale in the case of ejectment by Thomas Rose, £330 10s. 1d."

Question put,— That the words and figures proposed to be omitted stand part of the Clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes. 9.  Noes. 18.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Burns, Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Watson, Mr. Driver, Mr. Harris,
Mr. Hotting, Mr. W. C. Brown, Mr. Clark,
Mr. P. B. Suttor, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Winsden,
Mr. Lackey, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Newby,
Mr. Baker, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Shepheard,
Mr. Cohen, Mr. Boyers, Mr. McElhone,
Tellers. Tellers.

Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Macintosh.
Mr. Garrett, Mr. Shepard.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Watson the Chairman left the Chair, to report the Bill with an Amendment.

THURSDAY, 10 JULY, 1879.

No. 2.

LOAN ESTIMATE—1879.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the year 1879, to be raised by Loan, a sum not exceeding £6,301,000 for Railways—exclusive of cost of land. (Mr. Watson.)

Motion made (Mr. Dillon), and Question put,—That item £735,000, for Railway from Wallerawang to Mudgee, 85 miles, be omitted.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.
Mr. Long, Mr. Driver, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Harris, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. McKillop, Mr. Dillon.

Noes, 17.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Watson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Beyarn, Mr. Beldom, Mr. Lynch.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 11 JULY, 1879, A.M.

No. 3.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. Roseby), and Question put,—That item £416,000, for Railway from Redfern to Circular Quay, 2½ miles, be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.
Mr. Driver, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Thompson, Mr. McKillop, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. Lucas.

Noes, 17.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Lackey, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Watson, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. McElhone, Mr. B. B. Smith, Mr. Long, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Lucas.

Item omitted.

No. 4.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. McElhone), and Question put,—That item £630,000, for Railway from a point between Redfern and Newtown to Randwick, Waverley, and Wollongong, and thence to connect with the proposed extension into Sydney, 10 miles, be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.
Mr. B. B. Smith, Mr. McKillop, Mr. Long, Mr. Driver, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Eckford, Mr. Lynch, Mr. McKillop, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. Lucas.

Noes, 17.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Watson, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Wisdom, Mr. McElhone, Mr. B. B. Smith, Mr. Long, Mr. Roseby, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Lucas.

Item omitted.

No. 5.

(Same Estimate.)

Motion made (Mr. Greenwood), and Question put,—That item £225,000, for the purchase of Railway Stores and materials which cannot properly be charged to the Appropriations of Parliament until actually issued for use—the vote to be recouped as issues take place—be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 2.
Mr. McKillop, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Stuart.

Noes, 19.
Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Beldom, Mr. Lackey, Mr. F. B. Suttor, Mr. Watson, Mr. Roseby, Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Driver, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr.教育部, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Long, Mr. McElhone, Mr. Lynche I Mr. Roseby, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Beldom.

Estimate, as reduced (£5,246,000), agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Watson the Chairman left the Chair, to report progress and ask leave to sit again at a later hour of the day.

Sydney : Thomas Richards, Government Printer—1879.
No. 34.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(Extracted from the Minutes)

WEDNESDAY, 16 JULY, 1879.

No. 1.

PUBLIC WORKS LOAN BILL.

Clause 1. It shall be lawful for the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council to raise by the
loan of Debentures secured upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Colony and bearing £7,352,768,
interest at a rate not exceeding four per centum per annum such several sums of money not
exceeding in the whole the sum of Seven millions three hundred and fifty-two thousand
seven hundred and sixty-eight pounds as may be required for the following several purposes
not exceeding for the same respectively the several sums respectively set against such
purposes:

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<td>From Tamworth to Tenterfield 205 miles</td>
<td>£2,211,000</td>
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<td>Less amount voted in 1876</td>
<td>£600,000</td>
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<td>From Dubbo to the vicinity of Bourke 227 miles</td>
<td>£1,450,000</td>
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<td>From Gunnedah to a point opposite Narrabri 60 miles</td>
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<td>&quot;From Wallerawang to Mudgee 85 miles&quot;</td>
<td>£735,000</td>
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<td>From Narrandera to Hay—105 miles</td>
<td>£735,000</td>
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<td>From Goulburn to Wagga Wagga to complete the line</td>
<td>£100,000</td>
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<td>For Trial Surveys</td>
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<td>For the purchase of Railway Stores and materials which cannot properly be charged to the Appropriations of Parliament until actually issued for use—the vote to be recouped as issues take place</td>
<td>£225,000</td>
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<td>For Rolling Stock required during four years ending 1882</td>
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<td>Harbours and Rivers—Water Supply—Sydney Water Supply as per estimate of Mr. Clarke</td>
<td>£1,056,768</td>
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<td>Sewerage—City of Sydney</td>
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<td>TOTAL</td>
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(Read.)

And
And the Clause having been amended, as indicated in line 8, on motion of Mr. Watson,—
Motion made (Mr. McElhone) to omit the words and figures "From Wallerawang to Mudgee 85 miles £736,000", line 16.
Question put,—That the words and figures proposed to be omitted stand part of the Clause.
Committee divided.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.
1878.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

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<td>Sept. 10</td>
<td>The Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough of the Glebe</td>
<td>Eleven</td>
<td>Mr. Stephen Brown</td>
<td>(Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Borough of the Glebe to sell and dispose of two portions of land situated in the county of Cumberland, parish of Petersham, at Grose Farm, on the Old Parramatta Road, granted to the Municipal Council of the Glebe as sites for Council Chambers and a School of Arts respectively, and to provide for the appropriation of the proceeds thereof.</td>
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<td>Nov. 11</td>
<td>The Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough of Parramatta</td>
<td>Nice</td>
<td>Mr. Taylor</td>
<td>(Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the erection of a Town Hall and other buildings on land granted as a site for a Market in the town of Parramatta, and for other purposes therein mentioned.</td>
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<td>Dec. 12</td>
<td>Inhabitants of Hill End and Tharawha</td>
<td>One hundred and ninety-six</td>
<td>Mr. Shepherd</td>
<td>(Deprecating Sunday traffic in intoxicating drinks, and praying that an Act may be passed to amend the existing Licensed Publicans’ Act.</td>
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<td>Jan. 13</td>
<td>The Chairman and Directors of the Sydney Tramway and Omnibus Company (Limited)</td>
<td>Six</td>
<td>Mr. Driver</td>
<td>(Representing that the proceedings in respect to this Bill were interrupted by the closing of the last Session of Parliament; and praying that leave may be given (under Standing Order 64 b.) to proceed with the Bill during the present Session of Parliament.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 18 September, 1878.

STEPHEN W. JONES,
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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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<td>Sept. 17 1878</td>
<td>The Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough Council of Paddington</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for circular Suburban Railways.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Borough of Woollahra</td>
<td>Seven</td>
<td>Sir Henry Parkes</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Borough of Waverley</td>
<td>Sixty-nine</td>
<td>Sir Henry Parkes</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>William Stafford</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>In reference to his dismissal from the Police Force, and praying for an investigation into the matter.</td>
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<td>The Inhabitants of the Town and District of the Murray</td>
<td>Two hundred and ninety</td>
<td>Mr. Barbour</td>
<td>Complaining of the present mode of compiling the Jury Lists, and praying that the law now in force for the revision of the Jury Lists may be amended.</td>
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<td>Residents of the New England District</td>
<td>One hundred and eighty-four</td>
<td>Mr. Dillon</td>
<td>Representing that large tracts of country are rendered valueless by reason of the ravages of marsupials, and praying that steps may be taken for the destruction of these animals.</td>
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<td>18</td>
<td>Residents of the Narrandera District</td>
<td>Four hundred and thirty-seven</td>
<td>Mr. Leary</td>
<td>Praying the House to take steps for the immediate construction of the direct line of Railway from Junee to Narrandera.</td>
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<td>The Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Sydney</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>Praying that certain Amendments may be made in the Stock Sales Yards Bill.</td>
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<td>1878</td>
<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Redfern</td>
<td>Two hundred and eighty-five</td>
<td>Mr. Greenwood</td>
<td>Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for Circular Suburban Railways.</td>
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<td>1878</td>
<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Victoria</td>
<td>Twenty-eight</td>
<td>Mr. Cameron</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Randwick</td>
<td>Ninety-one</td>
<td>Mr. Clarke</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Leichhardt</td>
<td>Six</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>1878</td>
<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Marrickville</td>
<td>Twenty-four</td>
<td>Mr. Harris</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>1878</td>
<td>George Alfred Tucker, of Bayview House, Cook's River, Superintendent and Proprietor of the Cook's River Lunatic Asylum</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Stephen Brown</td>
<td>Respecting a contract entered into by him with the Government for the treatment of lunatic patients, and praying that he may be allowed to fulfil the remainder of his contract under the now existing law, notwithstanding clauses 24 and 35 of the Lunacy Bill now before Parliament.</td>
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<td>1878</td>
<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Macdonald Town</td>
<td>Ninety-seven</td>
<td>Mr. Stephen Brown</td>
<td>Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for Circular Suburban Railways.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Waterloo</td>
<td>Seventy-six</td>
<td>Sir Henry Parkes</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>1878</td>
<td>Waggonette-owners of the City and Police District of Sydney</td>
<td>Six</td>
<td>Mr. Coonan</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Public Vehicles Regulation Act Repeal Bill.</td>
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<td>1878</td>
<td>Omnibus-owners of the City and Police District of Sydney</td>
<td>Thirteen</td>
<td>Sir Henry Parkes</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 27 September, 1878.

STEPHEN W. JONES,
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No. 4.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT

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<td>Oct. 1</td>
<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Darlington (7)</td>
<td>Seven</td>
<td>Mr. O'Connor</td>
<td>Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for Circular Suburban Railways.</td>
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<td>Chairman of a Public Meeting held at the Guild Hall, Sydney (1)</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Cameron</td>
<td>Praying the House to take immediate steps to prevent any further influx of Chinese into this Colony.</td>
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<td>The Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Sydney (2)</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for Circular Suburban Railways.</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Edward Augustus Scarvell, and others (4)</td>
<td>Four</td>
<td>Mr. Windeyer</td>
<td>Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the sale, mortgage, and leasing of certain lands and interests devised by the will of Winifred Redmond, deceased, and for other purposes therein mentioned.</td>
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<td>Farmers and others, resident at Raglan (18)</td>
<td>Eighteen</td>
<td>Mr. F. B. Sutter</td>
<td>Praying the House not to pass the Birds and Animals Protection Bill in its present form.</td>
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<td>Do. do. Meadow Flat (40)</td>
<td>Forty</td>
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<td>Do. do. Evans Plains (45)</td>
<td>Forty-five</td>
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<td>Do. do. George's Plains (37)</td>
<td>Thirty-seven</td>
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<td>Do. do. Oberon (70)</td>
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<td>Do. do. Denia Island (63)</td>
<td>Sixty-three</td>
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<td>Do. do. Macquarie Plains (24)</td>
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<td>Do. do. Bathurst (41)</td>
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Oct. 3 | Inhabitants of the Borough of Balmain | Sixteen | Mr. Driver | Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for Circular Suburban Railways.
Oct. 3 | The President, Vice-President, and other officials of the Sydney Infirmary and Dispensary | Four | Do. | Praying that leave may be given to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Sydney Infirmary and Dispensary.

Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 4 October, 1878.

STEPHEN W. JONES, Clerk of Legislative Assembly.
1878.

**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**

**NEW SOUTH WALES.**

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**No. 5.**

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<td>Oct. 8</td>
<td>Inhabitants of the City of Sydney</td>
<td>One hundred and seventy-five</td>
<td>Mr. Greenwood</td>
<td>Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for Circular Suburban Railways.</td>
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<td>Residents of Beckley</td>
<td>One hundred and eleven</td>
<td>Mr. Pitcher</td>
<td>In reference to the Birds and Animals Protection Bill, and praying that the hare and the larger species of magpie may not be protected.</td>
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<td>Citizens of Sydney</td>
<td>One hundred and sixteen</td>
<td>Mr. Cameron</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td>Residents of Parramatta</td>
<td>Twenty-three</td>
<td>Mr. Long</td>
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<td>Citizens of Sydney, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>One hundred and fifty-two</td>
<td>Mr. Greenwood</td>
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<td>Residents of Balmain</td>
<td>Twenty-seven</td>
<td>Mr. Greenwood</td>
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<td>Citizens of Sydney, in Good Templar's Lodge Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Forty-seven</td>
<td>Mr. Hungerford</td>
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<td>Residents of Wagga Wagga, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Mr. Lowry</td>
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<td>Citizens of Sydney</td>
<td>Nine hundred and ten</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies</td>
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<td>Citizens of Newcastle, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Dr. Bowker</td>
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<td>Members of the Unitarian Churches</td>
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<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
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<td>The Secretary and Chairman of the Bible Combination</td>
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<td>Officers and Members of Crystal Spring Division, Daughters of Temperance</td>
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<td>Persons at G.H. Lovett's Dining Rooms, Pitt-street</td>
<td>Fifty-one</td>
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<td>Members and others of the Temperance Alliance, Pitt-st.</td>
<td>Seventy-four</td>
<td>Mr. Hurley (Hurley)</td>
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<td>City Missionaries of Sydney, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Mr. Stephen Brown</td>
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<td>Vine-growers, Farmers, and others, Central Cumberland</td>
<td>Three hundred and forty-four</td>
<td>Mr. McCallach</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Birds and Animals Protection Bill.</td>
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STEPHEN W. JONES,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.
### LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

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**No. 6.**

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<td>Residents in the Eastern Suburbs of Sydney</td>
<td>Nine hundred and fifty-six</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>(Praying the House to take into consideration the desirability of the resumption by the Government of the low-lying land in Rushcutters Bay, situated south of the New South Head Road.)</td>
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<td><strong>1878.</strong></td>
<td>W. J. Trickett, Chairman of Public Meeting of residents and ratepayers in and about the Borough of Woollahra</td>
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<td>Sir John Robertson</td>
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<td>Officers of the Captain Cook Tent of Independent Order of Rechabites, in Tent Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
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<td>Captain Onslow</td>
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<td><strong>1878.</strong></td>
<td>Residents of Yass, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Mr. Fitzpatrick</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of the town of Windsor</td>
<td>Thirty-eight</td>
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<td>Officers and Members of Hope of Richmond Division, Sons of Temperance, Richmond, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Residents of Jones Island, Manning River</td>
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<td>1878 Oct. 17</td>
<td>Citizens of Bathurst and others, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Thirty-one</td>
<td>Mr. W. H. Sutter, for Mr. F. B. Sutter</td>
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<td>Mr. Shepherd</td>
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<td>Residents of the New England District</td>
<td>Two hundred and sixty-four</td>
<td>Mr. Dillon</td>
<td>(Representing that large tracts of country are rendered valueless by reason of the ravages of marauders, and praying the House to take the matter into consideration.)</td>
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<td>Omnibus and waggonette owners</td>
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<td>Mr. T. R. Smith</td>
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<td>Officers and Members of the Captain Cook Division, Sons of Temperance, Rotary, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Mr. Lucas</td>
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<td>Officers and Members, Rising Sun Division, Sons of Temperance</td>
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<td>Mr. Stephen Brown</td>
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<td>Residents of Camperdown, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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STEPHEN W. JONES, Clerk of Legislative Assembly.
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<td>Mr. Taylor</td>
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<td>One hundred and forty-three</td>
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<td>Seventeen</td>
<td>Mr. Cohen</td>
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<td>Residents of Albury, on the railways</td>
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<td>Mr. Roseby</td>
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<td>Members of the Happy Home Division of Sons of Temperance resident in the Borough of Singleton, in Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Officers and Members of Wonder of the World Division, Sons of Temperance, Luddenham, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Mr. T. R. Smith</td>
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<td>Farmers, Gardenees, and others</td>
<td>Two hundred and thirty-nine</td>
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<td>The Municipal Council of the Borough of Paddington</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Mr. Sutherland</td>
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<td>William Bailey, as Chairman of a Public Meeting held at the Town Hall, Newtown</td>
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<td>Mr. Stephen Brown</td>
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<td>Fifty-one</td>
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<td>Members, i.e., of the Baptist Church, Woolloomooloo; the Wesleyan Church, Bourke-street, Story Hill; St. Philip's Church, Church Hill; and the Workers of the Sunday Morning Breakfast</td>
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<td>Thirty-two</td>
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<td>Residents of Corowa</td>
<td>Sixteen</td>
<td>Mr. Lynch</td>
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<td>Ladies of the Evangelistic Committee</td>
<td>Seventeen</td>
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<td>Rectors and Resident Tutors of St. John's Roman Catholic College</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Mr. Dillon</td>
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<td>Residents of Lismore in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Twenty-four</td>
<td>Mr. D'Uillon</td>
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<td>Forty-three</td>
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<td>Sixty-eight</td>
<td>Mr. Farnell</td>
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<td>Officers and Members of We Hope to prosper Division Daughters of Temperance</td>
<td>Fourteen</td>
<td>Mr. Hungerford</td>
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<td>Four hundred and fourteen</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies</td>
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<td>Sixty-eight</td>
<td>Mr. Greenwood</td>
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<td>T. R. Hackett, of Queensland, and Andrew Armstrong, of Sydney</td>
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Alleging that they purchased the right, title, and interest in and to certain land in the parish of Werran, county of Wakool, and that the Department of Lands has declared such purchase void; and praying the House to take the matter into consideration.
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<td>Allan Lakeeman, of Hay, and Andrew Armstrong, of Sydney</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Mr. Barbour</td>
<td>Alleging that they applied, under the 25th clause of the Crown Lands Alienation Act, to purchase certain lands in the parish of Windowran, county of Wakool, and that their applications have been refused by the Department of Lands; and praying the House to take the matter into consideration.</td>
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<td>Directors of the City of Goulburn Gas and Coke Company</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Mr. W. Davies</td>
<td>Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the City of Goulburn Gas and Coke Company (Limited) and to enable the said City of Goulburn Gas and Coke Company (Limited) to construct Gas works within the Municipal boundaries and suburbs of the City of Goulburn.</td>
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Sydney, 25th October, 1878.

STEPHEN W. JONES,
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<td>Oct. 29</td>
<td>Owners of Property and Residents in the Borough of Woollahra</td>
<td>Four hundred and ninety-one</td>
<td>Complaining of the state of certain roads; and praying the House to take the subject into consideration.</td>
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<td>George James Bernard Kenny and James Studds, Members of the Primitive Methodist Church</td>
<td>Three</td>
<td>Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to regulate the temporal affairs of Churches and Chapels of the Religious Society denominated Primitive Methodists.</td>
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<td>Residents of Tambaroora</td>
<td>Eleven</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td>The Chairman of the Congregational Union of New South Wales</td>
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<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>The Mayor and Aldermen of the Suburban Borough and Municipal District of Waverley</td>
<td>Nine</td>
<td>Praying the House not to pass the Sydney Corporation Bill unless amended in certain respects.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of the Lower Clarence District</td>
<td>Four hundred and fifteen</td>
<td>Praying the House to take the necessary steps for vesting the granting and control of Publicans Licenses in the hands of Local Boards, and for the closing of public-houses on Sundays.</td>
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<td>Nov. 30</td>
<td>Residents of Hinton, Morpeth, and surrounding Districts</td>
<td>Eighty-seven</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Bega</td>
<td>Thirty-six</td>
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<td>The Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Sydney</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Praying that the clause in the Sydney Corporation Bill which provides for the election of the Mayor by the Citizens may be reconsidered.</td>
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<td>People of New South Wales</td>
<td>Fourteen thousand one</td>
<td>Mr. Cameron</td>
<td>Praying the House to adopt the necessary measures for preventing any further influx of Chinese into the Colony.</td>
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<td>Nov. 6</td>
<td>Citizens of Sydney, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Sixty</td>
<td>Mr. Rosby</td>
<td>Praying the House to reject the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Richard Sadleir, R.N.</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Day</td>
<td>Praying the House to take into consideration, when dealing with the Land Bill, certain provisions suggested by him.</td>
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1878.

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<td>1778</td>
<td>Nov. 12</td>
<td>Alexander Cooper, of Woodloomoosoo, Sydney</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>Representing that, in the month of December, 1877, he obtained, by auction selection, a portion of land in the county of Bourke, parish of Bacmeen, and that the issue of the Deed of Grant for the land is refused to him by the Crown, and praying the House to take his case into consideration.</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Residents of Balmain, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Fifteen</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies</td>
<td>Praying the House to reject the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Inhabitants of Mooling and Mount Vincent</td>
<td>Eighty-four</td>
<td>Mr. Badgery</td>
<td>Praying that the operation of the Dog Act may not be continued in Mooling and Mount Vincent.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>The Mudgee Turf Club, and Residents of the Town and District of Mudgee</td>
<td>Two hundred and one</td>
<td>Sir John Robertson</td>
<td>Praying that leave be given to bring in a Bill to enable the Trustees of certain lands at Mudgee, in the Colony of New South Wales, dedicated for the purposes of public recreation, to grant leases thereof, and to enable the members of the Mudgee Turf Club to sue and be sued in the name of the Chairman for the time being of the Committee, and for other purposes.</td>
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STEPHEN W. JONES,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.
### 1878.
### LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
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<td><strong>1878. Nov. 19.</strong></td>
<td>M. Guest, Chairman of a Public Meeting of Mechanics, Labourers, and others, Members of the Working Men's Defence Association.</td>
<td>One ..................</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh ......</td>
<td>Against the influx of Chinese to this Colony.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Residents of the Macay River</td>
<td>Thirty-two ..........</td>
<td>Mr. R. H. Smith ......</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td>Residents of Gladstone; Smithtown, Austral-Eden, and Belmont River ..........</td>
<td>Fifteen ..........</td>
<td>Mr. R. H. Smith ......</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Residents in the Gwydir District ..........</td>
<td>Two hundred and fifty-four ..........</td>
<td>Mr. Danger ..........</td>
<td>(Representing that large tracts of country are rendered valueless through the ravages of Marsupials, and praying that measures may be taken for their destruction.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Residents of Collector and its surrounding neighbourhood ..........</td>
<td>One hundred and forty-two ..........</td>
<td>Mr. W. Davies ......</td>
<td>Praying that the necessary steps may be adopted for eradicating the shrub commonly known as the &quot;sweet-brier.&quot;</td>
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<td>Municipal Council of the Borough of Paddington ..........</td>
<td>Two ..........</td>
<td>Mr. Sutherland ......</td>
<td>(Praying that the Roads in the Borough of Paddington, now under the control of the Commissioners of the South Head Roads Trust, may be taken over by the Government, and placed under the jurisdiction of the Roads Department, on the same conditions as other Public Roads.</td>
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<td>Owners of Property and Residents in the Borough of Paddington ..........</td>
<td>Nine hundred and twenty ..........</td>
<td>Mr. Sutherland ......</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman of a Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney assembled at the Guild Hall ..........</td>
<td>One ..........</td>
<td>Mr. McElhone ......</td>
<td>(Praying that immediate steps may be taken to prevent the introduction of Chinese into this Colony.</td>
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<td>Citizens of Sydney ..........</td>
<td>Sixty-six ..........</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies ......</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Balmain ..........</td>
<td>Thirty ..........</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davie ......</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough of Petersham ..........</td>
<td>Nine ..........</td>
<td>Mr. Lucas ......</td>
<td>(Praying the House not to pass the Sydney Corporation Bill unless amended in certain respects.</td>
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STEPHEN W. JONES,
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1878.

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<td>Nov. 26</td>
<td>Residents of and about the vicinity of Rushcutters Bay</td>
<td>Sixty-seven</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>Complaining of a nuisance arising from foul drains crossing from the neighbourhood of Glenmore, which empty into Rushcutters Bay; and praying the House to take the matter into immediate consideration.</td>
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<td>Nov. 27</td>
<td>Free Selectors and other Residents of the District of Young</td>
<td>Fifty-two</td>
<td>Mr. Watson</td>
<td>Praying that a Bill may be introduced to remedy certain defects in the present Land Law in regard to improved conditional purchases.</td>
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<td>Charles Hardy, Chairman of a Public Meeting of Inhabitants of the Town and District of Wagga Wagga</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Leary</td>
<td>Praying the House to take the necessary steps for the extension of the Southern Railway from South Wagga Wagga to South Hay, on the South side of the Murrumbidgee River, instead of from Junee to Narrandera.</td>
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STEPHEN W. JONES,
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<td>Dec. 3</td>
<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman)</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Greville</td>
<td>Praying the House to devise measures for restricting the influx of Chinese to this Colony.</td>
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<td>of Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney, assembled at the Haymarket</td>
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<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>T. R. Smith, M.P., Chairman)</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Greville</td>
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<td>of a Public Meeting of Residents of the Municipality of Redfern.</td>
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<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman)</td>
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<td>Mr. Greville</td>
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<td>of Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney, assembled at Belmore Markets.</td>
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<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman)</td>
<td>One</td>
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<td>of Public Meeting of Inhabitants of Balmain</td>
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<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Residents of the town and district of Mundoonan</td>
<td>One hundred and sixty</td>
<td>Mr. Coxan</td>
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<td></td>
<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman)</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Greville</td>
<td>Praying the House to devise measures for restricting the influx of Chinese to this Colony.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>of Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney, assembled under the auspices of the Political Reform Union, and kindred societies</td>
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<td>Dec. 18 1878</td>
<td>Henry J. Lambert, Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Wellington</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Shepherd</td>
<td>Praying the House to devise measures for restricting the influx of Chinese to this Colony. Alleging that he has been refused the necessary certificate to entitle him to a Volunteer Land Order; and praying the House to take his case into favourable consideration.</td>
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<td>Alfred Thomas Coombert</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Shepherd</td>
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<td>1879, Jan. 22</td>
<td>Residents of Kelso</td>
<td>Thirty-six</td>
<td>Mr. W. H. Sutter</td>
<td>Praying the House to reject the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Jerilderie, Yanko, Argoon, Colombo Creek, and surrounding district</td>
<td>Two hundred and eighty-three</td>
<td>Mr. Barbour</td>
<td>Praying that the Southern Railway may be extended from Wagga Wagga to Hay, on the South side of the Murrumbidgee, by way of Urns and Jerilderie.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 24 January, 1879.

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<td>Jan. 29</td>
<td>The Municipal Council of the Borough of Orange</td>
<td>One ..................</td>
<td>Mr. Lynch ..........</td>
<td>Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Municipal Council of Orange to sell the present and provide another site for the Town Hall.</td>
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<td>Residents of Tenterfield and the surrounding District</td>
<td>Two hundred and forty-four ....</td>
<td>Mr. Dillon ........</td>
<td>Praying the House permanently to restrict, or prohibit, the admission of Chinese into this Colony.</td>
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<td>Feb. 4</td>
<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Plattsburg and surrounding neighbourhood, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Four hundred and twenty-two</td>
<td>Mr. Hungerford</td>
<td>Praying the House to take steps for preventing the introduction of Chinese in large numbers into this Colony.</td>
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<td>James Samuels, junior, Walter Hugh Tibbits, and George Henry Taylor, Esquires, Trustees of the Dubbo Mechanics Institute</td>
<td>Three</td>
<td>Mr. Philber</td>
<td>Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Trustees of the Dubbo Mechanics Institute to sell and dispose of a certain portion of land, situate in the county of Lincoln, parish of Dubbo and town of Dubbo, granted to the Trustees of the said Institute as a site for the erection of a building for the said Institute, and to provide for the appropriation of the proceeds thereof.</td>
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<td>7</td>
<td>James Fullerton, LL.D., and others</td>
<td>Five</td>
<td>Mr. Clarke</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Railway Refreshment Rooms Bill.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>James Fullerton, LL.D., and others</td>
<td>Five</td>
<td>Mr. Clarke</td>
<td>Praying the House to adopt such measures as may be calculated to protect from violence and persecution all Chinese residing in this Colony who are peaceable and unoffending, and also to induce the British Government to have the Treaty which was made with the Chinese in 1842 carefully reconsidered, that such modifications may be made as may be beneficial to the Empire of Great Britain and China, and permit each of the Chinese as may desire to emigrate to take their wives and children with them; and reject all legislative enactments which may tend to prejudice the minds of the Chinese against Christians and obstruct the progress of commerce, by excluding the natives of heathen countries from trading and residing in this Colony.</td>
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<td>1879. Feb. 12</td>
<td>Residents of the Barrington Gold Field, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Mr. Copeland</td>
<td>Praying the House to adopt stringent measures for restricting the influx of Chinese to this Colony.</td>
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<td>&quot; &quot;</td>
<td>Inhabitants of Mudgee and surrounding districts, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Hurley (Hartley) for Mr. House</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>&quot; &quot;</td>
<td>Citizens of Sydney, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Barbour</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>Feb. 19</td>
<td>Chinese Residents in New South Wales</td>
<td>Two hundred and twenty-nine</td>
<td>Captain Onslow...</td>
<td>Praying that in any legislation with reference to immigration, no difference may be made between the natives of China and those of any other friendly country, and that Petitioners may be heard at the Bar of the House by Counsel or Agent against the Chinese Immigration Regulation Bill.</td>
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<td>1879. Feb. 26</td>
<td>Residents of Balmain..........</td>
<td>Four hundred and eighty-one</td>
<td>Mr. Cameron ......</td>
<td>Against the influx of Chinese into this Colony.</td>
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<td>Residents of Bonnalo and the surrounding district, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>One hundred and ninety-six</td>
<td>Mr. Murphy.......</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>Residents of the Hunter River District</td>
<td>One thousand six hundred and fifty-five</td>
<td>Mr. Hungerford ...</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>1879. March 4</td>
<td>Inhabitants of Central Cumberland</td>
<td>One hundred and forty</td>
<td>Mr. Lackey</td>
<td>Praying that the House will favour the construction of the Great Northern Railway Line from Parramatta to Singleton and Balliham Hills, Castle Hill, Dural, Wiseman's Ferry, Macdonald River, and Wollombi.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Parramatta</td>
<td>Ninety</td>
<td>Mr. Lackey</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>Land and householders near Guany Guany Common</td>
<td>Eleven</td>
<td>Mr. Hoskins</td>
<td>Praying to declare this Common a Public Reserve.</td>
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<td>John James Curran, John William, and Patrick Mulcahy</td>
<td>Three</td>
<td>Mr. O'Connor</td>
<td>Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Trustees of certain land on the Old Cook's River Road, in the parish of Petersham, to sell the said land, and to provide for the application of the proceeds thereof.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Armidale</td>
<td>Five hundred and seventy-four</td>
<td>Mr. Terry</td>
<td>Praying that a deviation may be authorized of the proposed route, so that the Great Northern Railway may pass through the city of Armidale.</td>
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<td>Mar. 11 1879</td>
<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman of a Public Meeting, Sydney</td>
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<td>Mr. Hungerford</td>
<td>Praying that the restrictions in the penal clauses of the Chinese Immigration Regulation Bill may be increased.</td>
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<td>John Byron</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>That he served for many years in the Police Force of the Colony, and applied for a pension, which was refused on the ground that his length of service did not entitle him to it; and praying the House to take his case into consideration.</td>
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<td>President and Officers of the New South Wales Political Reform Union</td>
<td>Fifteen</td>
<td>Mr. Gooch</td>
<td>Praying that the Chinese Immigration Regulation Bill may be so amended as to add to its stringency and effectiveness.</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Braidwood</td>
<td>Four hundred and ten</td>
<td>Mr. Greville</td>
<td>In favour of constructing a Branch Railway from Goulburn to Cooma and Braidwood.</td>
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<td>James Gardiner</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>That he is lessee of Wentworth Wharf, Darling Harbour, and that in consequence of the deepening of the channel by the Government dredge the wharf has been damaged, by the foundation being undermined; and praying the House to take his case into favourable consideration.</td>
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<td>Land Proprietors and Residents of Sydney and Suburbs, Bathurst, and West Maitland</td>
<td>Two thousand eight hundred and ninety-one</td>
<td>Mr. Greville</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Medical Bill.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 14 March, 1879.

STEPHEN W. JONES,
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## No. 23.

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<td>Mar. 18</td>
<td>Residents of Monaro</td>
<td>Eight hundred and forty</td>
<td>Mr. Murphy</td>
<td>Praying the House to sanction the construction of a Railway from Goulburn to Monaro.</td>
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<td>Chairman of Public Meeting at the Haymarket</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Buchanan</td>
<td>Praying for amendment of the Chinese Immigration Regulation Bill.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 21 March, 1879.

STEPHEN W. JONES, Clerk of Legislative Assembly.
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<td>1879. Mar. 26</td>
<td>Crown Tenants in Upper Darling District</td>
<td>Forty-four</td>
<td>Mr. Simeon</td>
<td>That they view with alarm certain provisions in the amending Land Bill now before the House; and praying that the House will give its favourable consideration to the subject matter of their Petition.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 28 March, 1879.

STEPHEN W. JONES,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.
**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**

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<td>April 1</td>
<td>Gold-miners of Adelong</td>
<td>Twenty-three</td>
<td>Mr. Baker</td>
<td>Praying that the dedication of a portion of the temporary Common at Adelong may be revoked and provision be made enabling miners to take up the same for gold-mining purposes and for residence.</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Nathan Cohen, of Tamworth</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Burns</td>
<td>Praying for leave to bring in Cohen’s Enabling Bill.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Residents at Lake Macquarie</td>
<td>One thousand seven hundred and fifty-six</td>
<td>Mr. Hungerford</td>
<td>Alleging that fish are now more plentiful than formerly in Lake Macquarie; and praying that the House will refuse to legislate in such a manner as would deprive them of their livelihood.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Electors of Richmond River</td>
<td>Three hundred and seventy-three</td>
<td>Mr. Driver</td>
<td>Representing the necessity for an examination of the entrance to this river with a view to its improvement, and praying the House to take the matter into favourable consideration.</td>
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STEPHEN W. JONES,
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<td>1879. May 14</td>
<td>Property-owners and residents of Paddington and Woollahra</td>
<td>One hundred and fifty-two</td>
<td>Mr. Sutherland</td>
<td>Representing that the Glenmore and Point Piper Roads are in a dangerous and nearly impassable state, and praying the House to take the matter into consideration.</td>
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<td>&quot; 16</td>
<td>Working Men's Defence Association</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Terry</td>
<td>In reference to the expenditure of the Vote for Immigration, and praying the House to take the matter into consideration.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 16 May, 1879.

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<td>1879 May 21</td>
<td>Henry Brown, Chairman of a Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Macintosh</td>
<td>Praying the House to reject the Lands Acts further Amendment Bill.</td>
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<td>Residents of Manila</td>
<td>Three hundred and fifty-nine</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies, for Mr. Danger.</td>
<td>Praying the House to authorize the construction of a Bridge over the Namoi River at Manila.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 23 May, 1879.

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<td>May 27</td>
<td>John Donnelly</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. McElhoun</td>
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<td></td>
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<td>Praying to be allowed to be represented at the meetings of the Select Committee on the Wagga Wagga Common by his Attorney or Counsel, and that his Attorney or Counsel may be allowed to address the Committee on his behalf.</td>
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<td>May 28</td>
<td>Clergy and Laity of Bathurst,</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. W. H. Sutter</td>
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<td></td>
<td>in Synod assembled</td>
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<td>Alleging that the existing Publican Licensing Act is unsatisfactory and demoralizing, and praying the House to take the matter into consideration with a view to an amendment of the law.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 30 May, 1879.

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<td>June 12 1879</td>
<td>J. Bowie Wilson, Chairman of a Public Meeting of the Citizens of Sydney</td>
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<td>Mr. Stuart</td>
<td>Praying the House to pass a Bill to abolish capital punishment for the crime of rape, and to make such Bill retrospective as regards the two prisoners Wilkinson and McCall, now under sentence of death for that crime.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 19 June, 1879.

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<td>June 17</td>
<td>Goldminers on the Barrington Gold Field</td>
<td>Three hundred and twenty-seven</td>
<td>Mr. Copeland</td>
<td>In favour of the abolition of the export duty on gold.</td>
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<td>Goldminers on Adelong Gold Field</td>
<td>One hundred and eighty-seven</td>
<td>Mr. Baker</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>Goldminers on Peel River Gold Field</td>
<td>One hundred and forty-nine</td>
<td>Mr. Copeland</td>
<td>Similar prayer.</td>
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<td>James A. Nolan, Chairman of a public meeting, Orange</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Kerr</td>
<td>Praying that measures may be taken to ensure the passing of an Act transferring the power of licensing public-houses from the Magistracy to the people.</td>
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<td>President and members of the Pharmaceutical Council</td>
<td>Seven</td>
<td>Mr. Stephen Brown</td>
<td>Praying that certain amendments may be made in the Medical Bill now before Parliament.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 20 June, 1879.

STEPHEN W. JONES,
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<td>June 24.</td>
<td>Gold-miners on Hill End Gold Field.</td>
<td>One hundred and forty</td>
<td>Mr. Boyers</td>
<td>In favour of the abolition of the export duty on gold.</td>
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<td>25.</td>
<td>Agnes Dettmann</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies</td>
<td>Respecting deductions made from the salary of her late husband, Louis Dettmann, under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, and praying the House to take her case into consideration.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney, 27 June, 1879.

STEPHEN W. JONES,
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<td>1879. July 2</td>
<td>Gold-miners on Rocky River Gold-field, New England</td>
<td>Forty-six</td>
<td>Mr. Copeland</td>
<td>In favour of the abolition of the export duty on Gold.</td>
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<td>Gold-miners on Araluen Gold-field</td>
<td>Ninety-two</td>
<td>Mr. Greville</td>
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<td>3 &quot;</td>
<td>Mr. James Manning</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Hungerford</td>
<td>Praying the House to reject the proposal to go on with the Upper Repean Waterworks Scheme and cause the question of the Sydney Water Supply to be reconsidered.</td>
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<td>July 9</td>
<td>Andrew McDougall, of Singleton</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. W. C. Brown</td>
<td>Alleging that in the year 1823 he was promised by His Excellency Sir Thomas Brisbane a grant of land of two thousand acres on certain conditions and that he received only one thousand acres, and praying the House to take the matter into consideration with a view to relief.</td>
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Legislative Assembly Offices,
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<td>Oct. 3...</td>
<td>Farmers and others, resident at Raglan</td>
<td>Eighteen</td>
<td>Mr. F. B. Suttor...</td>
<td>(Praying the House not to pass the Birds and Animals Protection Bill in its present form)</td>
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<td>Do. do. Meadow Flat</td>
<td>Forty</td>
<td>Mr. F. B. Suttor...</td>
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<td>Do. do. Bathurst</td>
<td>Thirty-nine</td>
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<td>Do. do. Evans Plains</td>
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<td>Do. do. George's Plains</td>
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<td>Do. do. Oberon</td>
<td>Seventy</td>
<td>Mr. F. B. Suttor...</td>
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<td>Do. do. White Rock</td>
<td>Thirty-six</td>
<td>Mr. F. B. Suttor...</td>
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<td>Sixty-three</td>
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<td>Mr. F. B. Suttor...</td>
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<td>Do. do. Campbell's River</td>
<td>Thirty-two</td>
<td>Mr. F. B. Suttor...</td>
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<td>Mr. F. B. Suttor...</td>
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<td>Residents of Rockley</td>
<td>One hundred and eleven</td>
<td>Mr. Elscher</td>
<td>Against the passing of the Birds and Animals Protection Bill</td>
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<td>Vine-growers, Farmers, and others, Central Cumberland</td>
<td>Three hundred and forty-four</td>
<td>Mr. McCallioch</td>
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<td>Farmers, Gardeners, and others</td>
<td>Two hundred and thirty-nine</td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies</td>
<td>Similar prayer...</td>
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**Chinese.**

| Nov. 6... | People of New South Wales                      | Fourteen thousand seven hundred and one | Mr. Cameron       | (Praying the House to adopt the necessary measures for preventing any further influx of Chinese into this Colony) |                 |
| 19...     | M. Guest, Chairman of a Public Meeting of Mechanics, Labourers, and others, Members of the Working Men's Defence Association | One | Mr. Macintosh | Against the influx of Chinese to this Colony |                 |

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<td>Nov. 20</td>
<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman of a Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney assembled at the Guild Hall</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Praying that immediate steps may be taken to prevent the introduction of Chinese into this Colony</td>
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<td>Dec. 3</td>
<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman of Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney, assembled at the Haymarket</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Praying the House to devise measures for restricting the influx of Chinese to this Colony</td>
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<td>T. R. Smith, M.P., Chairman of a Public Meeting of Residents of the Municipality of Redfern</td>
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<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman of Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney, assembled at Balmore Markets</td>
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<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman of Public Meeting of Inhabitants of Balmain</td>
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<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman of Public Meeting of Citizens of Sydney, assembled under the auspices of the Political Reform Union, and kindred Societies</td>
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<td>Henry J. Lambert, Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Wellington</td>
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<td>Jan. 29</td>
<td>Residents of Tenterfield and the surrounding District</td>
<td>Two hundred and forty-four</td>
<td>Praying the House permanently to restrict or prohibit the admission of Chinese into this Colony</td>
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<td>Feb. 4</td>
<td>Inhabitants of the Borough of Plattsburg and surrounding neighbourhood in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Four hundred and twenty-two</td>
<td>Praying the House to adopt such measures as may be calculated to protect from violence and persecution all Chinese residing in this Colony who are peaceable and unperturbing, and also to induce the British Government to have the Treaty which was made with the Chinese in 1842 carefully reconsidered, that such modifications may be made as may be beneficial to the Empires of Great Britain and China, and permit such of the Chinese as may desire to immigrate to take their wives and children with them; and reject all legislative enactments which may tend to prejudice the minds of the Chinese against Christians and obstruct the progress of commerce, by excluding the natives of heathen countries from trading and residing in this Colony</td>
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<td>James Fullerton, LL.D, and others</td>
<td>Five</td>
<td>Praying the House to adopt stringent measures for restricting the influx of Chinese to this Colony</td>
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<td>Residents of the Harrington Gold Field, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
<td>Two</td>
<td>Praying the House to adopt stringent measures for restricting the influx of Chinese to this Colony</td>
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<td>Inhabitants of Mudgee and surrounding Districts, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Citizens of Sydney, in Public Meeting assembled</td>
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<td>Feb. 19</td>
<td>Chinese Residents in New South Wales</td>
<td>Two hundred and twenty-nine</td>
<td>Captain Osslow</td>
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<td>Residents of Balmain</td>
<td>Four hundred and eighty-one</td>
<td>Mr. Cameron</td>
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<td>Residents of Bombala and surrounding district, in public meeting assembled</td>
<td>One hundred and sixty-six</td>
<td>Mr. Murphy</td>
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<td>Residents of Hunter River District</td>
<td>One thousand six hundred and fifty-five</td>
<td>Mr. Hungerford</td>
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<td>Mar. 11</td>
<td>J. M. O'Connell, Chairman of a Public Meeting, Sydney</td>
<td>One</td>
<td>Mr. Hungerford</td>
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- Working Men's Defence Association
- Residents of Manilla
- John Donnelly
- Clergy and Laity of Bathurst in Synod assembled
- James A. Nolan, Chairman of a public meeting of the Citizens of Orange
- President and members of the Pharmaceutical Council
- Mr. James Manning
- The Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough of the Glebe
- The Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough of Parramatta
- The Chairman and Directors of the Sydney Tramway and Omnibus Company (Limited)

### Number of Signatures

- Three hundred and seventy-three
- One hundred and fifty-two
- One
- Three hundred and fifty-nine
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- Seven
- One

### By Whom Presented

- Mr. Driver
- Mr. Driver
- Mr. Terr near
- Mr. J. Davies (for Mr. Dangar)
- Mr. McElhone
- Mr. W. H. Suter
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<td>Praying that leave be given to bring in a Bill to enable the Trustees of certain lands at Mudgee, in the Colony of New South Wales, dedicated for the purposes of public recreation, to grant leases thereof, and to enable the members of the Mudgee Turf Club to sue and be sued in the name of the Chairman for the time being of the Committee, and for other purposes</td>
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25 Citizens of Sydney, in Public Meeting assembled 

25 Residents of Pyrmont, in Public Meeting assembled. 

29 Residents of Tambaroora 

29 The Chairman of the Congregational Union of New South Wales. 

30 Residents of Bulleen, Morpeth, and surrounding Districts 

30 Inhabitants of Bega 

Nov. 6 Citizens of Sydney, in Public Meeting assembled 

13 Residents of Balmain in Public Meeting assembled. 

19 Residents of the Macleay River 

19 Residents of Glaisher, Smithtown, Austral Eden, and Belmore River 

22 Citizens of Sydney 

22 Inhabitants of Balmain 

1879. 

Jan. 22 Residents of Kelso 

Feb. 7 James Pulterton, LL.D., and others 

1878. Railways. 

Sept. 17 The Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough Council of Paddington 

17 Inhabitants of Borough of Woolashe 

17 Inhabitants of Borough of Waverley 

18 Residents of the Narrandera District 

24 Inhabitants of the Borough of Reidsmill 

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Fourteen Mr. J. Davies Similar prayer.

Five Mr. Greenwood Similar prayer.

Eleven Mr. Lynch, for Mr. Bogers Similar prayer.

One Mr. Lucas. Similar prayer.

Eighty-seven Mr. Wisdom Similar prayer.

Thirty-six Mr. Clarke. Similar prayer.

Sixty Mr. Rosely Similar prayer.

Fifteen Mr. J. Davies. Similar prayer.

Thirty-two Mr. J. Davies. Similar prayer.

Thirty-six Mr. J. Davies. Similar prayer.

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Two Mr. W. H. Sutter. Similar prayer.

James Pulterton, LL.D., and others 

Mr. Macintosh. Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for Circular Suburban Railways.

Mr. Leary. Praying the House to take steps for the immediate construction of the direct line of Railway from Junee to Narrandera.

Mr. Greenwood. Praying the House to give its most favourable consideration to any measure that may be submitted for Circular Suburban Railways.

Mr. Cameron. Similar prayer.

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STEPHEN W. JONES,
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Legislative Assembly.

New South Wales.

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<td>[Mr. Harley (Hartley)], Mr. Barbour, Mr. Farnell, Mr. M'Ellhone, Mr. Hunter, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Teale, Mr. Driver, Mr. Harley (Hartley), Mr. T. R. Smith, Mr. Cameron, Mr. Terry</td>
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<td>[Richard Ryther, Mr. Bowker, Esquire, M.B., George Day, Esquire, John Lackey, Esquire, Henry Moone, Esquire, Roberts Parke Smith, Esquire, James Watson, Esquire, James Cotterill, Esquire, Andrew Hardie M'Cilloch, Esquire]</td>
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<td>[Mr. Harley (Hartley)], Mr. Day, Mr. Farnell, Mr. W. O. Brown, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Harris, Mr. McGlone, Mr. Jacob, Mr. W. Davies</td>
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<td>Josiah Petty's Conditional Purchase at Penrith.</td>
<td>1 October, 1878. Votes No. 11, Entry 17 (On motion of Mr. M'Ellhone for Mr. Harley, Hartley.)</td>
<td>[Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Driver, Mr. Cameron, Mr. J. Davison, Mr. Macintosh]</td>
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<td>Claim of Messrs. Kelleher and Fitzgerald.</td>
<td>1 October, 1878. Votes No. 11, Entry 18 (On motion of Mr. Greenwood.)</td>
<td>[Mr. Windeyer, Mr. Teale, Mr. Hangerford, Mr. Harley (Hartley)]</td>
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<td>Redmond's Estate Bill</td>
<td>8 October, 1878. Votes No. 15, Entry 7 (On motion of Mr. Windeyer.)</td>
<td>[Mr. Driver, Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Cameron, Mr. J. Davison, Mr. Day]</td>
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<td>[Mr. Driver, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Cameron, Mr. J. Davison, Mr. Day, For Henry Parke, Mr. Rosby]</td>
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<td>22 October, 1878. Votes No. 21, Entry 11. <em>(By Ballot.)</em></td>
<td>(Mr. Hurley, [Harley], Mr. Terry, Mr. Baker, Mr. Simson, Mr. Driver, Mr. Greerwood, Mr. Driver, Mr. Lowry, Mr. Burns, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. F. B. Sutton.)</td>
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<td>22 October, 1878. Votes No. 21, Entry 16. <em>(On motion of Mr. Greer.)</em></td>
<td>Mr. Cameron, Mr. Ginn, Mr. Long, Mr. Driver, Mr. Davies</td>
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<td>Pilot Steamer &quot;Captain Cook&quot;</td>
<td>22 October, 1878. Votes No. 21, Entry 10. <em>(On motion of Mr. Cameron.)</em></td>
<td>Mr. W. Davies, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Day, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Lynch</td>
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<td>City of Goulburn Gas and Coke Company's Incorporation Bill</td>
<td>31 October, 1878. Votes No. 27, Entry 6. <em>(On motion of Mr. W. Davies.)</em></td>
<td>Mr. J. Davies, Mr. Rosney, Mr. Rosney, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Davies</td>
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<td>Primitive Methodist Church Temporalities Bill</td>
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<td>Mr. R. B. Smith, Mr. Baker, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Davies, Mr. Greer, Mr. Howley <em>(Harley)</em></td>
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<td>Sir John Robertson, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Cram, Mr. Cowan, Mr. Davis, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Boyers, Mr. Terry</td>
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<td>Mr. Carman, Mr. Davis, Mr. Rinaldi (Harley), Mr. Sheppard</td>
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<td>Mr. Lynch, Mr. Day, Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Boyers, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Hartley (Harley), Mr. Charles</td>
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<td>Mr. Pichard, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Cram, Mr. Coonan, Mr. Day, Mr. Leary, Mr. Thompson</td>
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<td>Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Burns, Mr. Moore, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Thompson</td>
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<td>Mr. Burns, Mr. Farrell, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Moore, Mr. Thompson</td>
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STEPHEN W. JONES, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.